

PACE BDC MENTORING TRAINING PROGRAM

FOR CLIENTS AND MENTORS

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GROW THE BUSINESS

The mission of the Mentoring Program is to grow a Clients (Mentee's) business by providing the participants with leadership challenges and developmental opportunities.

MENTORING PROGRAM OBJECTIVES

RETENTION AND ENGAGEMENT

- SUPPORT AND REWARD HIGH PERFORMANCE CLIENTS
- SUCCESSION PLANNING
 - CREATION OF TALENT POOL
- DEVELOPMENT OF PROFESSIONAL RELATIONSHIPS
- CREATE CULTURE OF CONTINUOUS LEARNING
 - INDIVIDUAL DEVELOPMENT
 - KNOWLEDGE TRANSFER
- CAREER GROWTH AND DEVELOPMENT:
 - CULTIVATE INDIVIDUAL CAREER PLANNING
- MENTOR TO GAIN BETTER PERSPECTIVE OF ENTREPRENEUR / ORGANIZATIONAL ISSUES





WHAT IS A MENTOR?

A MENTOR IS A LEARNING LEADER WHO FACILITATES THE LEARNING PROCESS FOR A MENTEE:

- PROMOTES INTENTIONAL LEARNING THROUGH MULTI-CHANNELS: TRANSFORMATIONAL LEARNING, BEYOND THE DAY TO DAY EXPERIENCE
 - COACHING, INSIGHTS, SHARING OWN EXPERIENCES (ANECDOTES AND PERSONAL SCENARIOS), GUIDANCE, MODELING, STIMULATES INDIVIDUAL GROWTH, ENCOURAGES THOUGHT PROVOKING OPPORTUNITIES THAT HELP DEVELOP A PERSONAL VISION, HELPS MENTEE IDENTIFY HIS PERSONAL WINNING STRATEGY, ELICITS HIGH COMMITMENT TO PERSONAL CHANGE AND DEVELOPMENT
 - OPENS DOORS TO LEARNING OPPORTUNITIES WHEN POSSIBLE AND APPROPRIATE

PROVIDES MENTEE EXPOSURE TO BROAD NETWORKS

PROVIDES A BROADER VIEW THUS CREATING A PATH FOR THE FUTURE OF THE MENTEE.

WHAT IS THE MENTOR'S RESPONSIBILITY?

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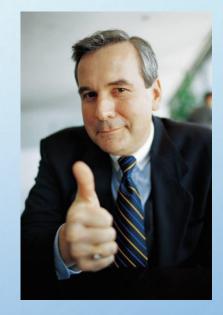
- CAREER SUPPORT BY ENCOURAGING CHALLENGING AND GROWTH
 OPPORTUNITIES
- EMOTIONAL SUPPORT: ENCOURAGEMENT, RECOGNITION, FEEDBACK, COACHING
- SUPPORT FOR SHORT TERM AND/OR LONG TERM PLANNING



ACCESS TO LEARNING OPPORTUNITIES, RESOURCES AND NETWORKING KEEPS THE MENTEE ON THE RIGHT TRACK TO AVOID AIMLESS DETOURS



• THE VOLUNTEER MENTOR'S COORDINATOR WILL REVIEW THE PROGRESS OF THE MENTOR/MENTEE AND HELP IN THE LEARNING AND MAKING SURE THE MENTOR/MENTEE IS GETTING ALL THE SUPPORT NEEDED FROM THE PACE BUSINESS DEVELOPMENT CENTER

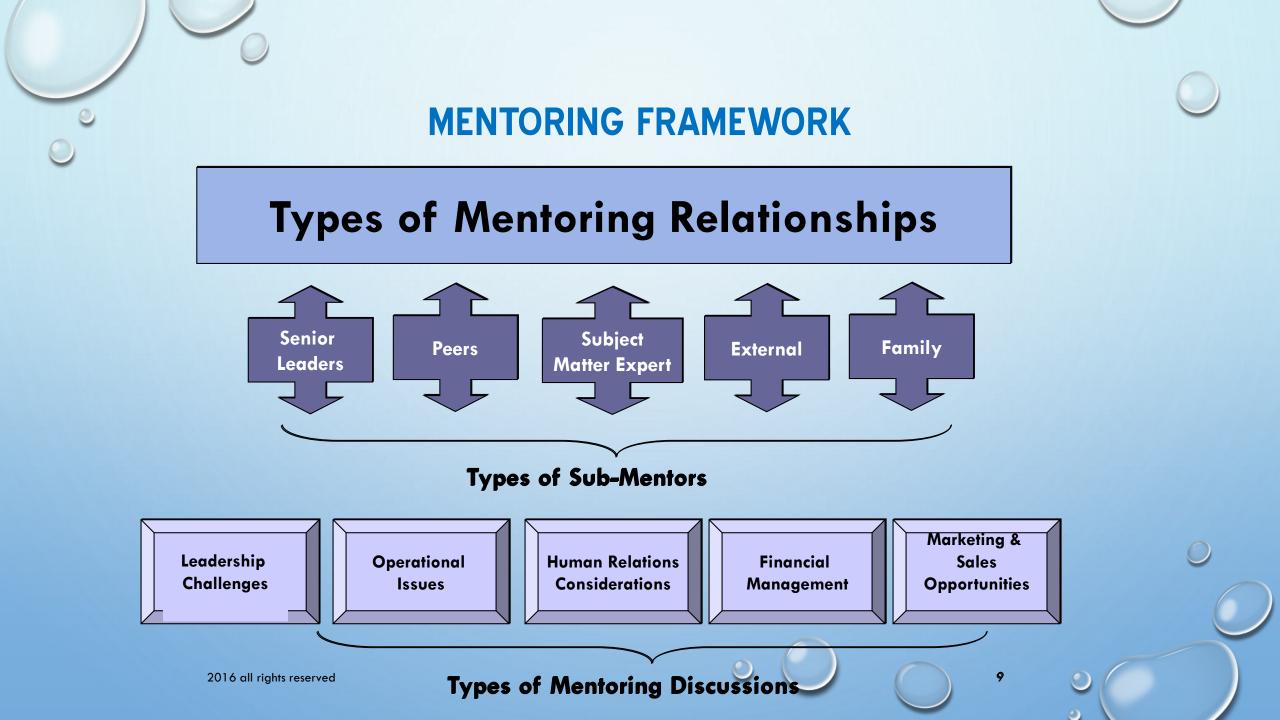


MENTORING PROGRAM PROCESS

HOW OFTEN DO YOU MEET?

- MENTEES AND MENTORS MAY MEET ONCE A MONTH
- HOW DO YOU WORK TOGETHER?

- MENTEES AND MENTORS REVIEW THE MENTEE'S NEEDS ASSESSMENT AND ESTABLISH GOALS FOR CAREER DEVELOPMENT.
 - RESOURCES ARE AVAILABLE ON THE MENTORING WEBSITE TO GUIDE CONVERSATIONS AND DEVELOPMENT OPPORTUNITIES
- MENTEES WORK ON THE DEVELOPMENT ACTIONS AND CHECK IN WITH MENTOR FOR COACHING
- MENTEES AND MENTORS COMPLETE QUARTERLY FEEDBACK REPORTS ON-LINE.
- HOW LONG IS THE PROGRAM?
- IT IS A SIX MONTH PROGRAM. WITH PERIODIC MEETINGS WITH MENTOR EITHER IN PERSON OR INTERACTIVELY ONLINE DEPENDING ON THE MUTUAL AGREEMENTS.





STEPS IN THE MENTORING PROCESS

- **STEP 1.** MENTEES REGISTER ON-LINE WWW.PACELADBC.ORG/CONSULTING.ORG
- STEP 2. COMPLETE COMPETENCY ASSESSMENT
- STEP 3. ATTEND MENTORING WORKSHOP: MENTORING OVERVIEW AND FAMILIARIZATION WITH ON-LINE TOOLS
- **STEP 5.** MENTOR AND MENTEE FIRST MEETING: GET ACQUAINTED AND COMPLETE MENTOR / MENTEE CONTRACT
- **STEP 6.** MENTOR AND MENTEE ON-GOING MEETINGS: REFER TO DISCUSSION GUIDE, AGENDA, WORK ON AREAS FOR DEVELOPMENT AND CHALLENGES, MEASURE OUTCOMES
- STEP 7. QUARTERLY FEEDBACK SUBMITTED ON-LINE
- **STEP 8.** END OF PROGRAM FINAL PROGRAM EVALUATION

IDENTIFY STRENGTHS & DEVELOPMENT NEEDS

- IDENTIFY AREAS THAT NEED IMPROVEMENT AND BRAINSTORM ACTIONS FOR
 DEVELOPMENT
 - REVIEW THE ASSESSMENT AND IDENTIFY STRENGTHS AND DEVELOPMENT AREAS
 - ADD ANY OTHER AREAS YOU WANT TO DEVELOP
 - PRIORITIZE: WORK JUST ON THE TOP 3 ISSUES
 - IDENTIFY ACTION STEPS THAT WILL HELP YOU ACHIEVE DESIRED GOALS
 - WHAT RESOURCES YOU WILL NEED AND HOW CAN YOUR MENTOR SUPPORT YOU?
 - COMMIT TO EXECUTING ON YOUR ACTION PLAN
 - DETERMINE HOW YOU WILL TRACK PROGRESS AGAINST YOUR ACTION
 PLAN

GET ACQUAINTED MEETINGS WITH MENTEE

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GET ACQUAINTED AND ESTABLISH A RELATIONSHIP

- FIND COMMONALITIES AND SHARE PERSONAL INTERESTS, HOBBIES
- SHARE PROFESSIONAL BACKGROUND, EDUCATION, AND AREAS OF EXPERTISE
- LEARN ABOUT WHAT IS MOST IMPORTANT TO EACH ONE OF YOU

SET EXPECTATIONS

- WHAT DOES THE MENTOR EXPECT FROM THE MENTEE?
- WHAT DOES THE MENTEE EXPECT FROM THE MENTOR?
- WHAT WILL THE MENTOR PROVIDE OR NOT PROVIDE?
- HOW WILL WE MEASURE AND EVALUATE OUTCOMES?



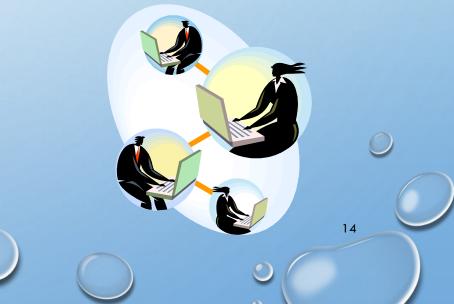
ON-GOING MEETINGS

- SET A SPECIFIC TIME, DATE, AND LOCATION
- HAVE AN AGENDA PREPARED IN ADVANCE
- HAVE A SUMMARY OF NOTES FROM THE LAST SESSION
- MEET AT THE AGREED TIME AND BE PUNCTUAL
- FOLLOW UP ON ACTION ITEMS FROM LAST MEETING
- AGREE ON WHAT WILL BE DISCUSSED IN NEXT MEETING
- AGREE ON ACTION ITEMS TO BE ACCOMPLISHED AGAINST DEVELOPMENT PLAN
- MENTEES AND MENTORS HAVE ONE FINAL MEETING TO SHARE LEARNINGS AND CELEBRATE THEIR SUCCESS





- TO ENHANCE YOUR MENTORING RELATIONSHIP AND ULTIMATE OUTCOME OF YOUR DEVELOPMENT PLAN
- SHARE FEEDBACK TO RECOGNIZE ACCOMPLISHMENTS, AND TO SUGGEST
 OPPORTUNITIES FOR IMPROVEMENT
- TRACK AND MONITOR PROGRESS



END OF PROGRAM EVALUATION

• MENTEE AND MENTORS COMPLETE AN END OF THE PROGRAM EVALUATION TO DETERMINE THE EFFECTIVENESS AND MEASURE RESULTS.



MENTEE PROGRAM SUMMARY

MANDATORY:

- MENTEE MUST FIRST REGISTER
- COMPLETE SELF-ASSESSMENT (MENTEE)
- IDENTIFY STRENGTHS/DEVELOPMENT
- ATTEND MENTOR/MENTEE MEETINGS
- ATTEND AN OVERVIEW WORKSHOP
- AGREE TO A MINIMUM OF 6 MONTH ENGAGEMENT
- PROVIDE FEEDBACK: QUARTERLY AND END OF PROGRAM





"I hear and I forget. I see and I remember. I do and I <u>understand</u>." Confucius



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IF YOU ARE INTERESTED IN BECOMING A VOLUNTEER MENTOR

REGISTER ONLINE NOW!

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