



Employer Commitment Form

Class 20 (2023-2025)

AUTHORIZATION STATEMENT FROM EMPLOYER

Your employee is applying to participate in the Advanced Agricultural Leadership Program (AALP) Class 20, a program of the Rural Ontario Institute. AALP participants must make a commitment of time, energy and money. As his/her employer, you are also required to make a commitment. AALP participants must attend <u>ALL</u> seminars, webinars and study tours. If selected for Class 20, you will need to allow the participant time away from work. Your co-operation will be a significant contribution to the program. Investment in leadership training cannot be done by a few people; many must become involved.

By returning this completed Employer Commitment Form, I understand _

will be away from work for approximately 50 days between September 2023 and March 2025. There will be six seminars (3 to 5 days each), approximately five 2.5-hour webinars, 2 virtual workshops, a North American study tour (approximately 8 to10 days), and an international study tour (approximately 10 to 14 days). One will be in early spring 2023 and the other in winter 2025.

Yes, this employee has my authorization to participate in the Advanced Agricultural Leadership Program Class 20.

Employer's Name:	
Title:	
Business Name:	
Business Address:	
Town/Province:	Postal Code:
Telephone:	-
Email:	
Employer's Signature:	Date:
We plan to support with: time off paid tuition _	% other
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