FARMERS FOR THE FUTURE APPLICATION FORM

**Instruction for applicants**: The following information is required for you to participate in the Competition. We have provided this word document so you can pre-fill it at your convenience.*Please note: you cannot submit your application in this MSWord document. You must transfer the content of this form to the online application form, to submit it.* To begin your application online, go to <https://f4f.wealthishere.org/apply/> . **Application Deadline: 11:59pm, 12th March 2021**

**SECTION 1: TEAM LEAD INFORMATION**

*The following set of questions should contain the business leader’s bio-data for proper identification and distinction. Please note that the Leader must be a Batch 20A Corp Member, to qualify him and his business for the farmer for the future grant.*

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| **First Name**  *Your first name, as it appears in official documents.eg your Intl Passport or School Certificate.* |  |
| **Last Name**  *Your last name, as it appears in official documents.eg your Intl Passport or School Certificate.* |  |
| **Email**  *Please put in a valid and active email address to stay updated on important info. through the course of the competition* |  |
| **Home Address**  *Your current home/family house address not an address you are currently occupying due to your service year* |  |
| **Mobile Number**  *Put in your active mobile number correctly* |  |
| **Gender**  *Male/Female* |  |
| **Date of Birth**  DD/MM/YYYY |  |
| **NYSC Batch**  e.g Batch 20A |  |
| **NYSC Call-Up**  *Please fill-in your correct NYSC call-up number* |  |
| **State Posted to**  *In what state did you serve?* |  |
| **NYSC State Code**  *Please put in your NYSC state code* |  |
| **Highest Qualification** *What is your highest academic qualification: BSc MSc OND, HND.* |  |
| **Higher Institution Attended**  *What University or college did you finish from? Full name not abbreviations please.* |  |
| **Course Read**  *What was your course of study or program in school?* |  |
| **Business Role**  *What role do you currently occupy in this business. Eg: CEO, HOD, MD etc.* |  |
| **Is this your first Business?**  *Yes/No* |  |
| **Other Business Experience**  *Have you had any other previous business experience(s)? If yes, mention and elaborate (not more than 400 words)* |  |
| **Facebook Link**  *Link to your personal Facebook profile/page (if you have one)* |  |
| **Twitter Handle**  *Link to your personal twitter profile/page (if you have one)* |  |
| **Instagram Account**  *Link to your personal Instagram profile/page (if you have one)* |  |
| **LinkedIn Page**  *Link to your personal LinkedIn profile. (if you have one)* |  |
| **How Did you hear about FTF**  *Via Email; word of mouth; radio; newspaper; Facebook, Instagram; Twitter; LinkedIn; if any other channel please specify.* |  |

**SECTION 2: BUSINESS BASICS**

*The following questions cover crucial information about your business, where it is located; physical and online, the type of business, the history of the business and other relevant information.*

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| **Your Business Name** |  |
| **Business Location**  *What state in Nigeria is the business located in?* |  |
| **Business Website**  *Business website* |  |
| **Business Type**  *what type of agricultural enterprise is this: Crop Farming, Livestock/Animal Husbandry, Agricultural Product Logistics & Distribution, Trade (Wholesale/Retail), Aquaculture, Horticulture, Agricultural Mechanization, Agricultural Produce Processing, AgTech, Agric Financing, Agric Education & Stakeholder Support* |  |
| **Registered?**  *Is this business registered with the CAC? Yes/No* |  |
| **Business Start Date**  *When did it all begin? MM/YY* |  |
| **Business Stage**  *What stage is your business in? Idea stage; Prototype stage; set-up stage; Pre-revenue stage; Post-revenue stage.* |  |
| **Revenue till date**  *If post revenue stage. What is your revenue till date?* |  |
| **Achievement**  *Noteworthy achievements in the business so far? (not more than 400 words)* |  |

**SECTION 3: BUSINESS THESIS**

*The following set of questions will help us to understand more about the problem you are trying to solve, the solution/idea you have, your market goals and other key elements of your enterprise*

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| **Problem Description**  *Discuss what problem(s) you are trying to solve through your enterprise? (not more than 400 words)* |  |
| **Solution Description**  *Discuss the solution(s) your idea/business is proposing/implementing to address the problem(s)? (not more than 400 words)* |  |
| **What are the Service(s) you/your product offer?**  *What is/are your product(s)/service(s) offering(s)? (not more than 400 words).* |  |
| **Product Development Stage**  *At what stage of development is your product/service now?*  *(not more than 400 words).* |  |
| **Target Customer(s)**  *Who are your target customers and how will you find them?*  *(not more than 400 words)* |  |
| **Business profitability**  *Please explain how you plan to make money. (not more than 400 words)* |  |
| **Proof of Business Success**  *Proof that people are willing to pay for your product/service? (not more than 400 words)* |  |
| **Business Competitors**  *Who are your competitors in the market? (not more than 400 words)* |  |
| **Uniqueness of Business**  *What are your unique selling points or competitive advantages? (not more than 400 words)* |  |
| **How you Plan to stay above the competition**  *Why do you think your competitions will not overshadow you? What is your plan to out-do your competition?* |  |
| **Is Business using Tech**  *Are you currently using any technology in your business* |  |
| **If Yes, How? If No, Why?** |  |
| **Positive Impact potential of your Business?**  *What are the positive impacts your business can deliver to the economy or local environment?* |  |

**SECTION 4: VISION, MOTIVATION & SUPPORT REQUIREMENT**

*The following set of questions seeks to understand your ‘WHY’ for the business: What is your vision, motivation and drivers for this business? And the amount of support you will need to scale the business.*

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| **Business Motivation**  *What motivated or inspired you to start this business? (not more than 400 words)* |  |
| **Long-term Vision**  *What is your long-term vision for the business? (not more than 400 words)* |  |
| **Why are you the best person for the Business**  *Why are you the best person/team to do this business? (not more than 400 words)* |  |
| **Short-term Vision**  *What is your goal for the business in the next 6 months? (not more than 400 words)* |  |
| **Major Challenges**  *What are the major challenges you have faced so far? How do you plan on addressing these challenges? (not more than 400 words)* |  |
| **Specific Support**  *What specific kinds of support would you require to be more successful in your business? (not more than 400 words)* |  |
| **How long do you see yourself involved in this business?** |  |
| **Expectation from the F4F competition?**  *Please explain how you expect to benefit from the F4F competition. (not more than 200 words)* |  |
| **How do you propose youths can be motivated to get actively involved in Agriculture?** *(not more than 200 words)* |  |
| **Career Aspirations**  *What do you see yourself doing in the next 5/7 years? (not more than 400 words)* |  |

**SECTION 5: ADDITIONAL TEAM MEMBER INFORMATION**

*Fill this section if you have other people (a team) working with you on this business. You can add up to 3 additional Team members. They must not be corps members.*

**Team Member 1 Information**

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| **Name**  *Full name as it appears in official documents* |  |
| **Email**  *Valid, active email address* |  |
| **Gender**  *Male/Female* |  |
| **Telephone**  *+(234)703 000 0000* |  |
| **Current Location**  *Current House address* |  |
| **Education Status**  *Student; Graduate (Yet to Serve); NYSC (Currently Serving); Completed NYSC.* |  |
| **State Code**  *If currently serving, state Code* |  |
| **Highest Educational Qualification**  *What is your highest academic qualification: BSc MSc OND, HND.* |  |
| **Institution Attended**  *What University or college did you finish from? Full name not abbreviations please.* |  |
| **Course Studied**  *What was your course of study or program in school?* |  |
| **Business Role**  *What role do you currently occupy in this business?* |  |

**Team Member 2 Information**

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| **Name**  *Full name as it appears in official documents* |  |
| **Email**  *Valid, active email address* |  |
| **Gender**  *Male/Female* |  |
| **Telephone**  *+(234)703 000 0000* |  |
| **Current Location**  *Current House address* |  |
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**Team Member 3 Information**

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| **Email**  *Valid, active email address* |  |
| **Gender**  *Male/Female* |  |
| **Telephone**  *+(234)703 000 0000* |  |
| **Current Location**  *Current House address* |  |
| **Education Status**  *Student; Graduate (Yet to Serve); NYSC (Currently Serving); Completed NYSC.* |  |
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*Should you require any clarifications please do not hesitate to send an email to*[*f4fchallenge@saedconnect.org*](mailto:f4fchallenge@saedconnect.org) *or send a whatsapp message to 08104477275.*