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City Incubator: Application Form

Link to the application form: https://form.typeform.com/to/zrLVji

Note: If you are submitting your application for the Early Application Deadline (August 6) you will not need to submit your Letter of Commitment from your leadership team or agree to the program time commitment until your final submission by August 31.

1. Your name
2. Title
3. Email address
4. Which city government are you employed by?
5. Which Office, Agency or Division are you a part of?
6. Please share a little bit with us about your role and responsibilities highlighting your work with data. (800 character limit)
7. Describe a successful data initiative you've led in the past. (We want to ensure that all City Incubator program participants are able to learn from each other; tell us about an experience you feel it would be helpful to share with a cohort of peer data intrapreneurs in city government. Note: 800 character limit)
8. Provide an overview of the primary data programs and initiatives underway in your city. (Note: 800 character limit)
9. Which application deadline are you submitting for? (If you submit your application by 11:59pm ET on August 6th the Open Data Policy Lab Team will provide you with feedback on your application by 11:59pm ET on August 13th; you will then have to re-submit your application by 11:59pm on August 31st along with all required application materials.)
    a. Early Application Deadline
    b. Final Application Deadline
10. The City Incubator Program will run from September 2021 through March 2022. We expect program participants to participate for the full length of the six month program and agree to engage in seven hours of programming and programming preparations per month in addition to making progress on launching their data innovation outside of City Incubator programming (recommend a minimum of 15 hours per month).
    a. I agree to this time commitment should I be selected
11. Please upload a letter of commitment from your leadership team (Commissioner, Chief of Staff or Deputy Mayor). (If you have questions or would like a template please contact adrienne@thegovlab.org)
12. Upload the Data Innovation Canvas slide deck here.
13. How would you categorize your data innovation? (Select all that apply)
    a. Engaging the public to assess demand for data (publishing with purpose)
    b. Data collaboration & partnerships
    c. Advancing open data
    d. Data responsibility
    e. Data rights
    f. Citizen science
    g. Data literacy

        h.   Data governance
        i.   Other
14. Tell us why you feel being a part of the City Incubator will be able to help you in launching your data innovation. (Select all that apply)
        a.   Peer network
        b.   Access to the Council of Mentors
        c.   Expertise and support of the Open Data Policy Lab Team
        d.   Programmatic offerings and resources
        e.   Public visibility
        f.   Other