

2020-2021 CIGIE Fellows Program News

On June 2-4, 2020, CIGIE kicked off the 4th Cohort of the CIGIE Fellows Program. The program has been transformed into a year-long blended leadership development program, to continually align with the standards of federal executive development programs.

What is so powerful about this program is the sheer number and coalition of community members at all levels who volunteer to support the 16 Fellows from 10 different OIGs who are embarking on this journey. During the 3 days of orientation, we had the 16 Fellows, the team of 8 organizers on the program management team, 16 Senior Executive Service Mentors from 13 OIGs, and a dozen or so host liaisons and supervisors, along with former Fellow panelists and IGs and leaders in the CIGIE Community.

Over the next year, we have a dozen LDS volunteers and support from across CIGIE, the OIGs, and OPM to deliver key leadership development topics, assessments, mentoring, group coaching, and continued support for the Fellows throughout their rotations, committee assignments, and development.

In all, approximately 40% of the CIGIE member organizations have engaged thus far in this year's program by either nominating fellows, hosting opportunities, serving as mentors, and/or speaking at or volunteering to deliver cohort activities.

Warmest Regards,

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