



VA COUNCIL OF CEOS

About VACEOs

The Council was founded in 2000 to connect CEOs of small and mid-sized businesses to share experiences, comfortably test new ideas, get “unstuck,” and think differently about their business

More than 200 CEO members participate in monthly roundtable discussions, quarterly luncheons, knowledge network meetings, and annual retreats

We attribute our success to the purity of our mission and the aspirations of our vision. Members enjoy the benefits of networking, camaraderie and professional development within our unique “safe haven” culture

Mission

The Virginia Council of CEOs connects CEOs for learning and growth

Vision

The Virginia Council of CEOs is the single most effective way for a business leader to achieve success

Values

We seek members who are comfortable within peer roundtable settings characterized by:
Confidentiality • Respect • Honesty • Accountability • A Willingness to Share Experiences

Opportunities to Connect Learn & Grow

ROUNDTABLES ~

- New members are carefully assigned to a roundtable and trained in our disciplined meeting process
- Collaborate to grow your business, learn from eight to ten other CEOs and enjoy the sanctuary of a group of leaders who are there for you
- CEO Forums are available to CEOs who lead companies that are more complex and broader in scope, generally with 100 employees or more. CEO Forums are professionally facilitated, meet quarterly for a full day, and consist of eight to ten non-competing CEOs

QUARTERLY LUNCHEONS ~ Connect with your colleagues over lunch and learn from each handpicked speaker asked to address your business concerns

KNOWLEDGE NETWORK ~ Gain the expertise of fellow CEO members several times a year

RETREAT ~ Members-only gathering of ~200 central Virginia CEOs for three days of connecting and learning: speakers; break-out sessions; planned meals and entertainment and optional extracurricular activities. Retreats are held in nearby resorts like Kingsmill, the Homestead and The Boar’s Head Inn

PARTNERSHIP WITH THE VIRGINIA CHAMBER connects our members with the largest business advocacy organization in the Commonwealth and helps us connect with CEOs of small- and mid-sized companies