

The Catholic Business Accelerator

Expectations

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Thank you for joining, or your interest in, The Catholic Business Accelerator (CBX). We appreciate your intent to accelerate your current business or start a new business. We are pleased to join our commitment to yours.

This list of expectations is offered for clarity and understanding.

At The Catholic CEO we do not work with a formal contract. Instead we offer a set of expectations in the belief that our clients will respect the ethical principles of honesty, charity, and justice just as we do.

EXPECTATIONS:

1. The CBX is offered for a fixed period of time, assigned at the beginning of each cohort. The model assumes an initial screening process to enter the program. Key factors include: coachability, focus on execution, the right life circumstances that promote attention and diligence, a suitable idea and willingness to put in the effort.
2. Payment is in advance, once the screening process has been completed. After that point there are no refunds. Payment is for the use of CBX technology, preparation and work time of team members, knowledge, experience, and availability.
3. Participation in the CBX does not necessarily guarantee a successful start-up since that is always beyond the control of an accelerator. Final responsibility is that of the client.
4. The client should use good judgment in applying input from the CBX team. CBX team members are mentors and not consultants. The difference is that a mentor provides ideas and input, where a consultant provides a set of directives and specific action plans.
5. The model uses an initial on-boarding process, five monthly working sessions, homework items, brief check-in calls of about 15 minutes between working sessions, a mid-point assessment, and a final assessment is given of the state of the business at that time. The five working sessions are selected from the 10 offered modules, with 80% of the focus on the top 5 modules, approximately, and 20% on the other modules.
6. The CBX team will work diligently to focus attention, provide input and ideas, and observe upon progress.
7. The client will exhibit a sense of industriousness and attention to detail.

8. The responsibility for the success of the start-up or the existing business expansion plan is that of the client. The CBX team will apply its extensive knowledge of business to guide progress.
9. All discussions are private and confidential. Meetings open and close with prayer. St. Joseph is the patron saint of The Catholic CEO and his intercession is requested on matters pertaining to the business and individuals participating in the CBX.
10. It is expected that the team and clients will exhibit principles and practices consistent with the Catholic Faith.
11. It is expected that the team and clients will follow all applicable laws and regulations.

May God bless you and your works.

Sincerely,

The Catholic CEO and The Catholic Business Accelerator Team