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**Fresh Start**

**North East Agricultural Business Academy 2018**

**Application Form**

**Applications are now open until 5pm on Friday 26th January 2018**

**Please return your completed form to:** **info@freshstartlandenterprise.org.uk** **or send to**

**Academy Applications, FSLEC, Highfield Lodge, Highfield, Leek, Staffordshire ST13 8SG by no later than 5pm on Friday 26th January 2018.**

**Essential information:**

Applicants, if successful should be able to attend the complete academy programme. A fee of £120 (no VAT) per successful applicant will be payable once a place has been officially offered from the selection panel. If you have any questions over this fee please do speak to us.

**For further information** or if you have any questions please contact:

Graham Bulmer, Academy Co-ordinator at Fresh Start Land Enterprise Centre

Tel: 07734 079 459 or email Graham@freshstartlandenterprise.org.uk

**The Academy commences on 8th February 2018 and runs until 3rd May 2018.**

**A full list of the academy dates and the programme can be found at**

[www.freshstartlandenterprise.org.uk](http://www.freshstartlandenterprise.org.uk)

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| Name |
| Address |
| LandlineMobile |
| Email |
| Date of birth(The Academy is open to applicants aged 18 years and over) |

**Please complete the questions on the following pages as fully as possible.**

**Previous Education/Training - please tick as appropriate**

GCSES/ ‘O’ levels

AS levels

A levels

Other secondary school certificate

**Further /Higher Education - please tick and list title of course/s**

National Diploma \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Higher National Diploma \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Degree \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Other \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**Please list any other training courses that you have taken that you feel are relevant.**

**Please give a brief outline of any relevant work experience from within and outside the agricultural industry, including for example, business management, joint ventures or contracting.**

**What are your aspirations for the future, especially over the next 5 years?**

**(This is applicable if you are currently running a business or looking to start up in business.)**

**What do you see as the main challenges to you personally in starting up a business or taking over a business within the agricultural sector?**

**What are the key areas of help/advice you are looking for to move forwards with your own business?**

**How do you see the North East Agricultural Business Academy 2018 helping you on your way to your goal?**

**Fresh Start – North East Agricultural Business Academy 2018 is supported by:**





