Open Enrollment Leadership Courses this Fall

Leadership Programs is offering two courses this fall open to any undergraduate student, any major. If you know a student who is interested in learning more about leadership, please forward the information below.

EDL 297a: 008: Topics in Leadership: Event Planning and Leadership Fall 2015
Wednesdays, 3-4pm, 1-credit
Course number: 68941

Course description:
The Event Planning and Leadership Course is designed to educate students on the variety of aspects involved in large-scale event planning including creating a strategic plan and vision for the event, understanding various marketing strategies, budget management, networking, conference design, public speaking, and assessment. This course will prepare students to work effectively with teams through shared power and motivation and expose them to a greater understanding of both the structural and interpersonal aspects of leadership through event planning. The Event Planning and Leadership Course offers students the opportunity to apply their leadership skills and styles through the art of large-scale event planning by proposing their own large-scale event while utilizing the National Collegiate Leadership Conference as a case study.

*Students who complete the course will be encouraged to attend, present, volunteer, or complete a 1-credit Internship in the spring for the National Collegiate Leadership Conference held at the University of Arizona on February 12-14, 2016.*

Please email the instructor, Devon Thomas, at devonthomas@email.arizona.edu if you have questions about the class.

EDL 297A: 010: Topics in Leadership: The Leadership Challenge Fall 2015
Fully online, 3-credits
Course number (iCourse): 71012

Course description:
Today’s professional environment demands a new level of preparation, social engagement, and leadership skills from college graduates. Professionals face a competitive job market, pressing societal problems, and also unparalleled opportunities. This fully online course provides an introduction to taking the challenge to be a leader in our society. Throughout the course, students will be challenged to think about leadership, practice leadership outside of the online context, and reflect on their various leadership experiences.

Please email the instructor, Brandie VanOrder, at bvanorder@email.arizona.edu if you have questions about the class.