

2017 WASHINGTON DC EXCHANGE APPLICATION

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Year in School: _____

Leadership Certificate
Working Towards: _____

Description & Learning Outcomes

Washington D.C. will become a living classroom during four days in which three schools will team up and develop a cohort-based experiential leadership program that explores various aspects of leadership in Washington D.C. Thirty six students from Augustana College, Maryville University, and Suffolk University will converge in our nation's capital for an immersion experience. Students will visit national monuments and learn about leaders of the past and their leadership styles; for example, how Abraham Lincoln and Martin Luther King Jr. were both transformational leaders. Participants will also engage with current political and nonpolitical leaders in the DC area.

Augustana will bring 12 participants to the Exchange. The Exchange has a cost of \$250. Lunches, dinners, entrance fees, transportation, and lodging will be covered by the Leadership Academy. This four-day program will not only create relationships with students from other institutions but also give students an understanding of leadership styles and best practices.

Learning Outcomes

Students who participate in the Washington, D.C. Leadership Exchange will:

1. Become familiar with and reflect on the leadership styles and theories embraced by national heroes.
2. Embrace leadership as responsibility and privilege versus positional and a right
3. Build relationships with students from other institutions.
4. Think critically about your organizational structure and impact on campus
5. Think critically about your individual role and how to effectively communicate with others.
6. Clarify and assess individual leadership values and personal and professional values related to leadership and character
7. Develop a better understanding of their own character and leadership style
8. Learn how to effectively work within a team in an autonomous environment.

Schedule

Thursday, November 9, 2017

Participants will provide their own transportation to Moline International Airport.

Friday, November 10, 2017

Programming & Tour DC

Saturday, November 11, 2017

Programming & Tour DC

Sunday, November 12, 2017

Morning- wrap up & departure

Return flight home to Moline International Airport

Please attach a separate sheet(s) with your answers to each of the following three groups of questions. Label each group of answers with the section title (Leadership Mission Statement, Reflect, Engage, and Involvement). Please limit each group of answers to 350 words or fewer.

Leadership Mission Statement

Please tell us your leadership mission statement. (2-4 sentences)

Reflect

Describe your interest and expectations in this program. How does the experience connect to your leadership goals? What do you hope to learn from this experience?

Engage

Describe your definition of leadership. How do you display this leadership on campus? Why do you believe that you have been designated as a leader within your organization? Please describe your own leadership challenge, in relation to your role as a leader, and how you think the Leadership Exchange will help you overcome these challenges.

Involvement

The OSL Leadership Academy would like to take participants involved in various activities and groups across campus. Please specify your on-campus involvements over your time here at Augustana.

Please return this form to the Office of Student Life and Leadership by 6:00 pm on September 15th.