

LeadNOW

Developing leaders for the common good



Welcome to LeadNOW

One year ago, a group from the Gardner Policy Institute traveled to Witchita, Kansas to attend the You Lead Now training hosted by the Kansas Leadership Institute. The training highlighted key leadership principles and was completely focused on helping Kansans do good work for their state. We returned to Salt Lake motivated to share a similar public leadership experience with Utahns. It's my pleasure to introduce you to our new leadership program, LeadNOW.

LeadNOW is based on the premise that anyone can be a leader, anytime, and anywhere. Our program focuses on four leadership competencies: diagnosing situations, managing self, intervening skillfully, and energizing others. By attending LeadNOW, you'll learn skills and knowledge that will help you strengthen your capacity to lead. In our program, you will apply the leadership competencies to a problem you are addressing in your workplace or community.

Our beautiful venue, the Thomas S. Monson Center, offers a rich learning environment with state-of-the-art classrooms and collaborative spaces that deepen the learning experience. You'll create valuable new connections with peers through our peer-consultation processes, participate in lively classroom discussions, and interact with our exceptional instructors.

I'm confident your experience will not only enrich your skills and professionalism, but it will help build a more prosperous community. We welcome your participation.

Sincerely,

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Director, Kem C. Gardner Policy Institute

LeadNOW begins with the premise that anyone can be a leader, anytime, and anywhere. In today's world of complex and interconnected problems, LeadNOW strengthens your capacity to confront challenges in your workplace and community.

Who should attend?

- Federal, state, and local government professionals who want to enhance their public service.
- Non-profit professionals who want to enrich and deepen their skills to improve the community.
- Community leaders who want to learn so they can lend service.

How will you benefit?

You'll increase your capacity to lead by learning about the four key competencies of leadership and how to apply those to challenges in your workplace or community. As part of the program, participants will receive coaching from our highly trained instructors to further develop their skills.

What will you learn?

By attending the LeadNOW program, you'll learn leadership competencies that will help you develop your capacity to lead.

- Learn how to diagnose the situation by exploring multiple interpretations, assessing different kinds of work, and considering the points and capabilities of a variety of stakeholders.
- Practice assessing and managing your strengths and weaknesses and become more creative and intentional in your interactions with others.
- Discover how to intervene skillfully as a leader by considering each action in light of the specific circumstances of the current situation.
- Recognize how to energize others by creating a trustworthy process inspired by collective purpose.

UPCOMING COURSES

Early Spring Session

Orientation March 7, 4:00pm – 9:00pm Classes March 21, 28, & April 4, 1:30pm – 9:00pm

Late Spring Session

Orientation April 6, 4:00-9:00pm Classes April 20, 27 & May 4, 1:30pm – 9:00pm

OUR INSTRUCTORS

Jennifer Robinson, Associate Director
Dan Griffiths, Senior Advisor
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