

Leadership Laramie

Leadership Laramie is sponsored by the Laramie Area Chamber of Commerce and is designed to build essential leadership skills and to familiarize participants with the local economy and issues facing leaders within our community.

The Laramie Area Chamber of Commerce offers a 100% money back guarantee if you and your employer are not 100% satisfied with the results of this program.

“People ask the difference between a leader and a boss... The leader works in the open, and the boss in covert. The leader leads, and the boss drives.”
~ Theodore Roosevelt



Leadership is understanding people and involving them to help you do a job. That takes all of the good characteristics, like integrity, dedication of purpose, selflessness, knowledge, skill, implacability, as well as determination not to accept failure.”
~ Admiral Arleigh A. Burke

“Leadership Laramie gave me an introduction to the leaders of our community. I met individuals who make decisions every day that help make Laramie a better place to live and play.

Leadership Laramie gave me the tools and experience to take the next step and now, as a graduate, I am a member of the board of directors for two organizations. I have met a whole new group of professionals and my circle of friends just got bigger.”

~ Graduate, Leadership Laramie Class of 2009



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*Building Better
Leaders for a
Better Community*

“To be able to lead others, a man must be willing to go forward alone.”

~ Harry Truman

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What is “Leadership” and why learn about it? It has been defined in many different ways, and not everyone agrees on what true leadership is all about. A person could assume a leadership position by moving into an official capacity like a political official or a manager in the workplace. Or, the person can grow into a leadership role without being placed in an official position, like an informal leader of a study group, or a leader who steps up to get things done in planning the next year’s class. Some leaders are elected by others; some work their way to the top on their own. Whatever your leadership needs and interests are, we aim to help you achieve your goals.



Management is doing things right; leadership is doing the right things.
~ Peter F. Drucker

Description

Leadership Laramie consists of nine, one-day sessions from September through May. Sessions include a combination of issues, theory, skills, community based experiences and panel discussions.

Leadership Laramie is modeled on the UW Cooperative Extension Service EVOLVE Program and is available for undergraduate or graduate credit through the University of Wyoming.



Objectives

- ◆ Provide training on leadership concepts and techniques
- ◆ Increase the understanding of Laramie issues, economics and resources
- ◆ Provide networking opportunities between people, organizations and communities
- ◆ Increase community involvement
- ◆ Facilitate personal growth

Course Information

- ◆ Orientation and Team Building
- ◆ Communication and Leadership
- ◆ Emotional Intelligence and Generational Dynamics
- ◆ Managing Change and Conflict Resolution
- ◆ Motivating Others and Facilitating Effective Meetings
- ◆ Community Involvement
- ◆ Fish Bowl Observation Day
- ◆ Strategic Planning

“Leadership and learning are indispensable to each other.”
~ John Fitzgerald Kennedy

Community Based Experiences

CBEs provide participants an understanding of community resources and issues, prepare and motivate them for community involvement, and build relationships between people and communities.

CBE sessions represent a broad base of community resources, including education, government, judicial services, law enforcement, health care, business/industry, non-profit organizations and social services.

