Leadership Minor
PROGRAM SHEET

THE UNIVERSITY OF WYOMING'S LEADER DEVELOPMENT PROGRAM: The Leadership Minor is a unique curricular and co-curricular experience that prepares students to be leaders in every facet of their lives. Through an interdisciplinary curriculum, students acquire the knowledge necessary to develop leadership competencies. Students then test and refine those competencies by earning the Cowboy Leadership Certificate as part of the program.

Program Requirements

- Leadership Foundations
    - » LEAD 2110 – Foundations for Leadership (3 credits)
    - » MGT 3110 – Business Ethics (3 credits)

- Leadership Electives – complete a minimum of 6 credits with courses from the below list
    - » AGRI 4600 – Developing Organizational Leadership (3 credits)
    - » AGRI 4700 – Elements of Leadership (3 credits)
    - » AIR 2010 – Leadership Foundations (1.5 credits)
    - » AIR 2020 – Team and Leadership Fundamentals (1.5 credits)
    - » AIR 3010 – Leading People/Effective Communication (3 credits)
    - » ARMY 2010 – Applied Leadership and Management (2 credits)
    - » ARMY 2020 – Leadership Skills and Small Unit Management (2 credits)
    - » ARMY 2060 – Competent and Confident Leadership (2 credits)
    - » ARMY 3010 – Leadership and Tactics I (3 credits)
    - » ARMY 3020 – Leadership and Tactics II (3 credits)
    - » CNSL 2200 – Introduction to Student Leadership (2 credits)
    - » CNSL 3010 – Student Leadership Strategies (2 credits)
    - » CRMJ 4130 – Leadership and Management in the Criminal Justice System (3 credits)
    - » ENR 2800 – Introduction to Outdoor Leadership (3 credits)
    - » ERS 2000 – Ethics and Leadership (3 credits)
    - » FCSC 4117 – Understanding Community Leadership (3 credits)
    - » MGT 3420 – Organizational Behavior and Leadership (3 credits)
    - » NURS 4830 – Leadership in Healthcare Today (2 credits)
    - » NURS 4835 – Leading Nursing Practice (2 credits)
    - » WMST 1900 – Women and Leadership (3 credits)
    - » UWYO 3000 – Student Leadership in Supplemental Instruction (3 credits)

- Capstone Project
    - » LEAD 4110 – Leadership in Practice (3 credits)

- Extra- and Co-curricular Leadership Experience
    - » Cowboy Leadership Certification

Program Learning Objectives

- Students completing the Leadership minor will:
  » Be knowledgeable of core leadership theory, competencies, and principles
  » Independently develop their leadership potential
  » Demonstrate core leadership competencies
  » Plan and execute large-scale projects requiring the involvement of others

Core Program Course Descriptions

▶ Lead 2110 – Foundations for Leadership

As the gateway course of the university's leadership program, this course introduces students to leadership theory and helps them to identify their leadership potential. Students learn to define and understand the multifaceted concept of leadership through an interdisciplinary study and develop leadership competencies through experiential coursework.

▶ MGT 3110 – Business Ethics

Students study the cognitive, social, behavioral, and corporate processes affecting individual, group, and organizational judgments in morally questionable situations. Through analysis, students will discover which factors give rise to and influence ethical issues and how an organization's values precipitate ethical behavior among employees.

Prerequisites: sophomore standing.

▶ Lead 4110 – Leadership in Practice

The culminating leadership experience of the university's leadership program. Students draw upon their prior learning to lead an experiential project, benefiting a UW stakeholder. Students continue to learn about effective leadership through the lens of practitioner-oriented literature and apply their learning in advanced casework. The instructor acts as leadership coach who helps students refine their leadership competencies and enhance leadership potential.

Prerequisites: LEAD 2110, MGT 3110 and completion of the Cowboy Leadership Certificate.