

Brussels Study Tour 2018

Post-Secondary Faculty Course Module Planning Template

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		Discipline: Honors	
Course/Module Narrative:	<p>Honors Leadership/Articulating a Vision – A Common Purpose</p> <p>The purpose of this course is to help Honors students further develop their leadership potential. The concepts of leadership are explored through both theory and practice, including service to others.</p> <p>In this unit, the students will study effective practices for articulating a vision in order to engage others in service to a cause. We will use the EU’s “Joint Public Statement on the Adoption of the New European Consensus on Development” as a model of a well-articulated statement of their vision to eradicate poverty and achieve sustainable development by 2030.</p>		
Course Objectives:			
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> → Formulate a fundamental understanding of leadership and the skills manifest in effective leaders. → Appraise his/her personal leadership assumptions and philosophy to enhance self awareness. → Apply effective techniques for articulating a vision. → Practice the steps involved in setting goals. → Articulate his/her personal leadership values with an awareness of the complexities inherent in ethical leadership. → Employ the processes involved in effective decision making. → Differentiate types of conflict and the roles a leader can play in managing conflict. → Illustrate team-building and empowerment strategies. → Employ effective methods for initiating change and providing meaningful service to others. 			
Module Objectives/Learning Objectives:			
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> → Analyze Kouzes and Posner’s techniques for enlisting others to a vision statement. → Apply the analysis to “Joint Public Statement on the Adoption of the New European Consensus on Development.” → Articulate a shared vision. → Formulate a shared vision statement to unite constituents around a common purpose/goal. 			
Assigned Readings			
<p>“Joint Public Statement on the Adoption of the New European Consensus on Development.” European Parliament. <i>Internal Policies and EU Institutions Press Release</i>, Brussels: 07-06-2017.</p> <p>“Life of Henry V” William Shakespeare (149-150)*</p> <p>“Enlist Others: Attracting People to Common Purposes” James Kouzes and Barry Posner (154--165)*</p> <p>“Theories of Visioning and Goal Setting” (166-174)*</p> <p>“I Have a Dream” Martin Luther King, Jr. (151-152)*</p> <p><i>*Leadership Development Studies: A Humanities Approach, 4th ed.</i> Jackson: Phi Theta Kappa, 2006.</p>			
Content & Delivery			
Course Content		Instruction and Delivery	

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<ul style="list-style-type: none">→ PowerPoint slides→ Readings→ Group Analysis of “Joint Public Statement on the Adoption of the New European Consensus on Development”	<ul style="list-style-type: none">→ Small group work→ Discussion→ Presentation→ Immediate formative feedback on vision statement
Assessment	
<ul style="list-style-type: none">→ Self-Reflection on the Service Project/written analysis of the individual team member’s and the group’s ability to enlist others to the cause as well as a reflection on the effectiveness of the leadership practices employed in goal achievement.	
Resources and Materials	
<p>“Joint Public Statement on the Adoption of the New European Consensus on Development.” European Parliament. <i>Internal Policies and EU Institutions Press Release</i>, Brussels: 07-06-2017.</p> <p><i>Leadership Development Studies: A Humanities Approach</i>, 4th ed. Jackson: Phi Theta Kappa, 2006.</p>	