

ADVANCED LIONS LEADERSHIP INSTITUTE CURRICULUM (2019-2020)

SESSION TITLE	SESSION DESCRIPTION
Opening Session	Icebreakers and warm-up activities in this session allow faculty to evaluate participant needs and to establish a comfortable adult learning environment.
Leadership Fundamentals	Participants are given an opportunity to define their own understanding of leadership, learn research-based practices about the behaviors of effective leaders, and complete a self-assessment of their current leadership skills.
Developing Extraordinary Teams	In this session, participants will have the opportunity to discuss the concept of an “extraordinary” team, the type of team where members not only experience collective success, but also find opportunities to experience individual growth as they work together.
Promoting Lions Image	Through discussion and activities, participants will come to understand the benefits of promoting Lions image and the strategies and resources that are available to help Lions.
Project Management	In this session, participants apply a model of project planning to a case study of a Lions club in order to develop their skills in project management.
Conflict Resolution	This session prepares participants to recognize the sources of conflict and the diverse ways conflict can be resolved. Participants learn guidelines and steps to actively resolve conflict within their organizations.
Delegation	The concept of delegation is studied in terms of benefits and challenges. A five-step model for delegation is introduced and practiced in this session.
Service Journey Resources	Participants will examine the Service Journey and the resources available to support this journey. They will also discuss how to promote these resources.
Presentation Preparation	This session focuses on the preparation needed to ensure quality presentations, including: selecting appropriate topics, creating an outline, developing supporting materials, and effectively practicing prior to delivery.
LCIF	This session reviews LCIF grants, including the grant application process. It further examines the ways through which Lions and others can support the foundation.
Developing Lions Leaders of Tomorrow	Participants will study the need for leadership development, how they can leverage their own leadership experience, and how to utilize available strategies and resources to identify and develop Lions leaders.
Focused Discussion	These informal sessions provide participants with an opportunity to discuss leadership challenges and personal development, identify and discuss local issues and opportunities, and brainstorm new ideas with one another.