# WESTERN SYDNEY UNIVERSITY

### 2019

## **Inspire Leadership Program**

The Inspire Leadership Program for current and aspiring academic and professional leaders is an acclaimed professional and career development program that supports your leadership and governance role at Western Sydney University.

The yearlong program builds on contemporary research and models of leadership and specifically focuses on applications in the Higher Education setting. It utilises critical reflection as a strategy that fosters deep learning throughout your leadership journey. The program provides a balance between leadership development and opportunities to examine leadership and academic practice.

### **Benefits of participating**

Using a blended learning approach, the Program provides you with:

- Practice-based leadership models and frameworks, including completion of a 360° feedback survey
- Resource manual and handouts focusing on leadership roles
- Networking and mentoring with colleagues from across the University
- Opportunities to hear from members of the Executive and Senior Staff at Western Sydney University
- Access to on-line learning resources
- A Certificate of Completion upon meeting the requirements of the Program.

### **Learning Outcomes**

- Apply the Leader/Manager Framework to your leadership role
- Identify leadership capabilities and strengths in self and others
- Identify strategies to build positive working relationships
- Describe the value of coaching and peer mentoring as a leadership development strategy
- Plan and implement an action learning project on leadership.

**2019 Important Dates -** Inspire Leadership Program applications close – **Friday 1 February 2019** <u>https://www.westernsydney.edu.au/tld/home/career\_development/inspire\_leadership\_program</u> Inspire Leadership Program Briefing Session – **Thursday afternoon 21 February 2019** 

	Group 1	Group 2
Learning event 1	Tuesday 19 March	Friday 22 March
Learning event 2	Separate program several dates	Separate program several dates
Coaching Conversations –	on offer, register for most	on offer, register for most
Compulsory	convenient	convenient
ZOOM Midpoint sessions	18 – 21 June to suit	18 – 21 June to suit
Optional		
Learning event 3	Tuesday 10 September	Thursday 12 September
Learning event 4	Thursday 14 November	Friday 15 November