

LEAD LOUISIANA

Leadership Program

September 2022 – April 2023

2ND WEEKEND OF EACH MONTH

FOR EMERGING AND SEASONED LEADERS

MISSION

To provide a safe space for Black and Brown people to explore the issues and public policy facing our people in the state of Louisiana, and to develop solutions together.

CURRICULUM

Designed to educate, motivate and encourage participants to serve our local communities, the state of Louisiana, our country and the world

MONTHLY TOPICS

1. SEPTEMBER: The State of Black and Brown Louisiana- LAFAYETTE
2. OCTOBER: Arts and Culture and Music / History of the City of New Orleans- NEW ORLEANS
3. NOVEMBER: Education/ Civic Participation/ Public Policy- BATON ROUGE
4. DECEMBER: Economics/ Finance/ Business/ Employment - SHREVEPORT
5. JANUARY: Housing - ALEXANDRIA
6. FEBRUARY: Historic/ Civil Participation/ Public Policy – HOUMA, THIBODEAUX
7. MARCH: Criminal Justice Reform - MONROE
8. APRIL: Health Care/ Underlying Health issues – BATON ROUGE

TO COMPLETE THE CLASS SUCCESSFULLY, PARTICIPANTS CANNOT MISS MORE THAN 3 SESSIONS

*****SAMPLE OF A LEAD LA SESSION*****

SEPTEMBER 8TH

INTRODUCTORY SESSION – LAFAYETTE

“The State of Black and Brown Louisiana”

Thursday – 6:30 – 8:00 p.m. RECEPTION - At a local hotel

Friday - 7:00 – 8:00 a.m.- BREAKFAST - At a local venue
8:00 -10:00 – SESSION
10:00 -10:15 - BREAK
10:15 – 12 - SESSION
12noon – 1 - LUNCH
1 – 3 pm - SESSION
3:00 – 3:15 - BREAK

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| | 3:15 – 5 - | SESSION | |
| Saturday | 6:30 p.m. - | DINNER - | At a local, Black owned restaurant |
| | 8-12 noon- | SESSION – | At a local venue |

SPEAKERS/ FACULTY

- Black Mental Health Group
- Xavier University - Dr Norman Francis - *invited*
- Economics- Black LA
- LSU Law Center - Chris Tyson - *invited*
- UL Lafayette - Professor Theodore Foster - *invited*

HOTEL - At a local hotel