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Saturday, June 1, 2019

All sessions will be in the Glickman Conference Center, Patten Hall, Room RLP 1.302B

All meals will be in the San Jacinto Residence Hall, Room SJH 210/208 unless otherwise specified.

9:00 – 12:00pm Check into Dorm

San Jacinto Residence Hall

11:00-12:00pm Check into NEW Leadership™ Texas

San Jacinto Residence Hall – Outside of Room SJH 210/208

12:00 – 1:00pm Lunch

Welcome and Introductions

- Susan Heinzelman, Director, UT Center for Women's & Gender Studies
- Nancy Ewert, Sr. Program Coordinator, UT Center for Women's & Gender Studies

1:15 – 1:45pm NEW Leadership™ Texas Orientation

Community Agreements

1:45 – 3:45pm Effective Presentation and Communication

- Dr. Teri Varner, Associate Professor, St. Edward's University

One of the best ways to learn new skills is through practice. During the NEW Leadership™ Texas summer institute, each student will practice public speaking skills by introducing one of our speakers, panelists or workshop leaders.

3:45pm Break

4:00 – 4:45pm Political Action Project (SB 1849 – Sandra Bland Act)

- Armetta LaShun Roy, Political Action Research Assistant, NEW Leadership™ Texas

Participants will be provided with an overview of the project and will receive their individual assignments.

4:45 -6:00pm Women and Public Leadership: FIRS

- Moderator: Sue Heinzelman
- Tammy Key, Retired Special Agent with the Naval Criminal Investigative Service (NCIS)
- Rosamaria Murillo, Director of Community Engagement at Texas Health and Human Services Commission
- Harmony Eichsteadt - invited

6:15 – 7:15pm Dinner

7:15 – 8:00pm Keynote

- Terri Broussard Williams, Vice President of Government Relations, American Heart Association

Dessert Reception after Keynote

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Sunday, June 2, 2019

7:45 – 8:45am	Breakfast
9:00 – 10:15am	Political Action Project - (SB 1849 – Sandra Bland Act) Work Session • Armetta LaShun Roy, Political Action Research Assistant, NEW Leadership™ Texas
10:15am	Break
10:30am – 12:00pm	Networking, Making Connections • Katie Pritchett, Ph.D., Lecturer, UT Management Department, *This workshop will provide networking tips, techniques, strategies and practice to meet the challenge of networking and ensure your success.*
12:15 – 1:15pm	Lunch
1:30 – 2:30pm	Managing your Message • Bethany Albertson, Associate Professor, Dept. of Government, UT Austin *This session will teach you how to better understand your audiences and craft messages that will compel others and establish your place as a leader.*
3:30 - 4:30pm	Policy Development Workshop *This session will discuss policy making and its implementation and implications. We will work on a policy brief for your particular issue* • Shavonne Henderson, Policy Coordinator, UT's Institute for Urban Policy Research and Analysis • Tracie Lowe, Post Doc, UT's Institute for Urban Policy Research and Analysis
4:45 – 5:30pm	Creating a Policy Action Plan
5:30 – 6:00pm	Small group Discussions with table mentors
6:15 – 7:15pm	Dinner
7:30pm	Debrief and Movie Night (*On the Basis of Sex* - A young Ruth Bader Ginsburg brings a groundbreaking case to the U.S. Court of Appeals that overturns a century of gender discrimination.)

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Monday, June 3, 2019

7:45 – 8:45am Breakfast

9:00 – 11:00am Why YOU Should Consider Running for Office Panel

Moderator: Lulu Flores, Partner, Hendler Lyons Flores, PLLC

- Commissioner Christi Craddick, Railroad Commission of Texas-confirmed
- Justice Lora Livingston, 261st District Court
- Justice Gisela Triana, 3rd Court of Appeals, Place
- Council Member Natasha Harper-Madison, District 1 - invited

11:00am – 12:00pm Political Action Project - (SB 1849 – Sandra Bland Act)
Work Session

- Armetta LaShun Roy, Political Action Research Assistant, NEW Leadership™ Texas

Participants will research the subject to establish a good understanding of both sides of the topic.

12:15 – 1:15pm Lunch

1:30 – 3:30pm Learning your Leadership Style

- Susan Billmaier, Program Officer, Woodrow Wilson National Fellowship Foundation

An interactive team-building session that will help identify and understand your personal leadership style through assessment and exercises.

3:30 pm Break

4:00 – 6:00pm BeVocal – Bystander Intervention

Bystander Intervention is recognizing a potentially harmful situation or interaction and choosing to respond in a way that could positively influence the outcome.

- Marian Trattner, Health Education Coordinator, Bystander Intervention Specialist, UT Austin
- Angela Simmons, Graduate Assistant, BeVocal

6:15 – 7:15pm Dinner

7:30pm Identity, Unconscious Bias, Diversity, Privilege, and Allyship

- Quynh-Huong N. Nguyen, Assistant Director, Gender and Sexuality Center, UT Austin

Being an ally is an ongoing process of unlearning and re-evaluating. Allyship is an on-going journey and not an identity. It is important that allyship is about creating platforms and spaces for those without privilege. You will learn about and practice identifying how multiple systems of overlap with heterosexism and cisgenderism on campus. In this interactive workshop, we will use intersectional approach to continue to be an intersectional ally.

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Tuesday, June 4, 2019

7:45 – 8:45am Breakfast

9:00am – 12:00pm Leading from Within: What's my Mission?

- Dr. Robert Sterken, Political Science Professor, UT Tyler

10:00am Break

This exciting and personal session has two big goals. First, we will take a close look at several of the habits cultivated and practiced by successful leaders. What are some of the key habits and practices of a well-lived life? Second, we will explore the idea and the creation of a personal mission statement. What is your well-lived life? Although we will not answer it, we will explore the big question Mary Oliver asked in her poem, The Summer Day, "Tell me, what is it you plan to do with your one wild and precious life?"

12:15 – 1:15pm Lunch

1:30 - 2:30pm Women in Politics

- Nancy Bocskor, Director, Center for Women in Politics & Public Policy, Texas Woman's University

This session will provide a brief history of women's participation in the US and will focus on the current numbers of women in American politics, consider why it matters to have women in political decision making, and discuss some of the ongoing challenges to increasing numbers of women in American politics.

2:30pm Break

2:45 – 3:45pm Political Action Project – (SB 1849 – Sandra Bland Act) Prep for Panel

- Armetta LaShun Roy, Political Action Research Assistant, NEW Leadership™ Texas

Participants will prepare for the expert panel by preparing questions.

4:00 – 6:00pm Consulting with Policy Experts Panel (SB 1849 – Sandra Bland Act)

A panel of experts on Texas' Law of Parties will provide information and answer questions to provide a first-hand perspective.

- Moderator: Tammy Key, Retired Special Agent with the Naval Criminal Investigative Service (NCIS)
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6:00 – 9:00pm Working Pizza Dinner Political Action Project (SB 1849 – Sandra Bland Act)

- Armetta LaShun Roy, Political Action Research Assistant, NEW Leadership™ Texas

Participants will develop their characters and draft their questions/testimony. There will be time to further research the issue in your groups. Identify your goals: organizational considerations; constituents, allies and opponents; targets and tactics. Create materials for your presentation.

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Wednesday, June 5, 2019

7:45 – 8:45am Breakfast

9:00 – 9:45am City Hall Tour with Jessica Bild

10:00 – 11:30am Panel: Women in City Leadership

Moderator: Kathie Tovo, City Council Member/ Mayor Pro Tem

- Sara Hensley, Director of the Parks and Recreation Department
- Julia Joseph, Financial Manager for the Austin Convention Center
- Dr. Dana Kadavy, Executive Director of the Forensic Science Division for the Austin Police Department
- Farah Muscadin, Director of the Office of Police Oversight
- Sona Shah, Culture and Arts Education Manager at the Asian American Resource Center
- Selena Xie, Clinical Field Specialist for Austin/Travis County Emergency Medical Services and President of the Austin EMS Association

Bus departs at 11:45am

12:00 – 1:00pm Lunch at Scholz Garten
Bus Departs at 1:00pm

1:45pm Tour of Texas State Capitol

3:00 – 4:30pm Speakers: (Texas State Capitol, Room E2.028)
3:00pm - The Honorable Donna Howard, Texas State Representative
3:30pm – Andrea Zelinski, Political Journalist for Houston Chronicle (Maybe – text when we get to room)
4:00pm – Denise Davis, Attorney and lobbyist
4:30pm – Perla Cavazos, Vice President of Government Affairs, Central Health

Group photo on south side of Capitol, then board bus for travel back to campus

6:00 – 7:00pm Dinner

7:00 – 9:00pm Political Action Project

- Armetta LaShun Roy, Political Action Research Assistant, NEW Leadership Texas

Finalize action project by gathering in groups to create a press release and finish questions/testimony. Press releases and questions/testimonies must be submitted by midnight.

9:00pm Debrief

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Thursday June 6, 2019

7:45 – 8:45am	Breakfast
9:00 – 10:30am	Political Action Project Presentation- Mock Hearing (SB 1849 – Sandra Bland Act) • Armetta LaShun Roy *Presentation time! This is the mock hearing and the culmination of all your hard work!*
10:30am	Break
11:00am – 12:00pm	After NEW Leadership • Lizzie Robbins, IGNITE Program Coordinator *IGNITE is building a movement of young women who are ready and eager to become the next generation of political leaders. Participants will be given information on how to start a chapter of IGNITE on their campus.*
12:15 – 1:15pm	Lunch
1:30 – 3:00pm	New Leadership™ Texas Completion Ceremony FIR Send-off and Farewell Final Debrief Evaluations End of Institute (Turn in Keys)