

#### **Leadership Portfolio**

#### **General Reminders**

#### Include originals if possible

- Use page protectors
- Reflect on what you've done professionally and personally
  - Evergreen
- Will receive Binder at beginning of Mod III
  - Externally the same, internally individualistic
- Use tabs and/or Title pages to separate the sections
  - Extra Wide tabs works best

# Leadership Portfolio Components - Required

- 1. Personal Leadership Statement
- 2. Leadership Assessment Compilation
- 3. Resume
- 4. Curriculum Vitae
- 5. Educational Credentials
- 6. Awards/Honors
- 7. Organizations
- 8. Career Development Goals

- 9. Leadership Autobiography
- 10. Leadership White Paper (LWP)
- 11. Professional Social Network
- 12. Module I
- 13. Module II
- 14. Module III
- 15. Module IV
- 16. Optional (any additional applicable components)



# **Required Components**



## **Personal Leadership Statement**

- Definition of Leadership
- Include your own Leadership Model
- Why do you believe in this model?

#### **Leadership Assessments Compilation**

- Insert a copy of all the assessments taken during LCC and elsewhere
- Answer the question
  - "What is one insight I gained as a result of this assessment?"
  - Your answer will be placed in front of the assessment

### Resume

- Specific- use numbers where appropriate
- Relevant information about yourself
- Be chronological (recent to oldest) include dates of employment
- Begin with brief summary of your qualifications
- Limit to 2-page max
  - Choose words wisely
- Do not include personal information
  - Hobbies
  - Family information
- Do not use complete sentences for employment
  - Use bulleted statements
- Seek online resources for templates and guides

# **Curriculum Vitae**

- A CV is a longer (two or more pages), more detailed synopsis of background and skills
  - Is cumulative of work experience and other achievements
- A CV includes research and teaching experience, publications, grants and fellowships, professional associations and licenses, awards
- Start by making a list of all background information, then organize it into categories.
  - Make sure to include dates on all the publications

# **Educational Credentials**

#### Include Certifications and Training



## **Awards/Honors**

#### Letters of recommendations

Commendations

Special awards



# Organizations

- What organizations do you/have you belonged to?
- What are the dates?
- What leadership roles did you take on?
- What were some of the major projects accomplished by these organizations while you were a member?

# **Career Development Goals**

Clearly states what professional goals you hope to attain within the next 5-10 years

 Elaborate enough to give a sense of what you hope to accomplish in the future

## Leadership Autobiography & Biographical Sketch (six words)

- How did you become the leader you are today?
- Who and/or what influenced you?
- Share your story
- Describe those personal and professional leadership events in your life that influenced your career choice
- Write a *biographical sketch* in six (6) words.
  - Should cause you to wonder
  - What six-word description would best describe me?
  - Would it be positive or neutral?
  - Imagine your story behind those six words

"Not an easy person to love"

or

"A shining light for positive change"

# Leadership White Paper (LWP)



# **Professional Social Network**

Listing of contactsBusiness Cards

• Why is this important?



## **LCC Modules**

#### Module I

Module II

Module III

Module IV

# **Optional Components**

Any additional applicable components

- Work In Progress
- Pictures





- Survival Guide Link: <u>http://www.lemitonline.org/programs/lcc-docs.html</u>
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