

**NEW ELECTIVE FOR SPRING TERM!
APPLICATION DEADLINE EXTENDED TO
SEPT. 21—APPLY NOW!!**



Siegel Institute

for Leadership, Ethics & Character



Graduate Student Association *Leadership Experience*

2009-2010

THE PROGRAM

Beginning October 2009, KSU graduate students can embark on an exciting new journey through the inaugural Graduate Student Leadership Experience. Like an adventure through uncharted terrain, you will use the scheduled events and study topics as a compass to navigate the process of change and growth throughout this seven-month program. Your action-packed journey will provide inspiration for you to discover new strengths and talents. Your course will be marked by dynamic speakers, meetings with top companies, introspective and experiential activities full of insightful dialogues to help you discover and develop leadership abilities. Every experience will be focused on helping you accelerate and reach your true leadership potential.

In the process of this self-discovery journey, you will create a personal development plan, and develop leadership skills, strategies, and tools that you can put into action in your life. Session topics such as values, ethics, character, managing change, and collaboration will be studied. Achievement goals of the program include:

- * Insight to leading authentically and intentionally
- * Ability to communicate vision and purpose
- * Hands-on collaboration and effective team building
- * Exposure to top companies with both local and global impact
- * Commitment to self-awareness, self-renewal and community

This program is a partnership between the Graduate Student Association and The Siegel Institute for Leadership, Ethics & Character at Kennesaw State University. Participants in the program must attend the October kick-off retreat, and must register for ILEC 8900 Special Topics course for Spring 2010. ILEC 8900 may be used as an elective for most graduate programs at KSU, and will fulfill three credit hours toward the Siegel Institute's Graduate Certificate in Leadership & Ethics.

THE SCHEDULE

Attendance is *mandatory* at the 2009 kick-off retreat and at *all* other sessions. To participate in this program, you must confirm your availability on all of these dates:

WHEN	EXPERIENCE	LOCATION
10:00am Friday, Oct. 16 – noon Sunday, Oct. 18, 2009	Kick-off Retreat	Dahlonega, GA.
Nov. 13, 2009 12:00 – 5:00pm.	Turknett Leadership Group	Atlanta, GA.
Dec. 11, 2009 12:00 – 5:00pm	Jolley Lodge	KSU campus
January 8, 2010 12:00 – 5:00pm	Atlanta Community Food Bank	Atlanta, GA.
Feb. 5, 2010 12:00 – 5:00pm	Delta Air Lines, Inc.	Atlanta, GA.
March 19, 2010 12:00 – 5:00pm	The Carter Center	Atlanta, GA.
April 17, 2010 8:00am – 5:00pm	Sailing Experience	Lake Lanier, GA.

APPLICATION PROCESS

Download the application from www.kennesaw.edu/siegelinstitute or www.ksugsa.com. Application deadline is **September 21, 2009**. Selected candidates will be notified of admission to the program by Sept. 25, 2009. A non-refundable workshop fee of \$180.00 is due upon acceptance, as space is limited to 25 participants. For more information about the Graduate Certificate in Leadership & Ethics, visit www.kennesaw.edu/siegelinstitute/certificate.htm.

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