



LEADERSHIP, EDUCATION AND DEVELOPMENT (LEAD) PROGRAMME



PROGRAMME INTRODUCTION

Vision

We aim to inspire positive changes in Ukraine by actively shaping the mind-set of the next generation of leaders.

Concept



LEAD is a training programme providing talented Ukrainian students with an opportunity to spend 14 days in London in order to gain exposure to and insight into the professional environment, work ethics and corporate culture of the UK's public and private institutions. Through a series of presentations, workshops, case studies and group projects participants hone their communication, organisation and political skills, and explore concepts of transparency, compliance, and public governance. Under the patronage of the

Ukrainian British City Club (UBCC) and with endorsement from the Ministry of Education and Science of Ukraine, LEAD endeavours to motivate young Ukrainians to learn from the best Western practices and to apply them to systems, institutions and values in their native Ukraine.

Following the completion of the programme, participants are asked to dedicate time to volunteering or internship opportunities in public sector institutions of Ukraine.

Objectives

During the course of the programme we aim to:

- ▶ Familiarise participants with the workings of public and private institutions in the United Kingdom.
- ▶ Organise targeted training in subject areas that would be particularly useful in public sector jobs in Ukraine (e.g. municipal governance, lobbying, and project management).
- ▶ Provide opportunities for networking and information sharing with corporate professionals, public officers, students and peers.
- ▶ Maintain contact with our alumni, providing them with further mentoring.



PROGRAMME DETAILS

Participant Selection Criteria

A group of up to twelve students from various regions in Ukraine who meet the following criteria:

- ▶ Current Master's students and those starting their Master's degree in 2016
- ▶ Majoring in Business or Humanities related disciplines
- ▶ Able to demonstrate leadership qualities, academic excellence and active social engagement
- ▶ **Advanced** level of English
- ▶ Interest and motivation to be involved in the public sector in Ukraine



Application Process



Participant selection process will consist of two phases: (1) a written application form submitted online and (2) a Skype interview with the project team. Skype interviews will be conducted in English. Application forms must be completed online via

<https://www.surveymonkey.co.uk/r/LEADProgramme2016>.

The deadline for submission is **Sunday, 27 March 2016**.

Successful applicants will be invited for a Skype interview with the project team in the middle of April. The programme itself will take place **between 9 and 23 July 2016**.

Contacts

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through education!***

