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Leadership Institute for Faith-Based Community Engagement

**A Partnership between Lynchburg College's School of Education, Leadership Studies, and Counseling,
Heroes and Dreams Academy (Richmond, VA) and the Faith-Based Community**

VISION

The Leadership Institute for Faith-Based Community Engagement seeks to connect and equip faith-based leaders with skills, strategies, and resources to promote sustainable community restoration. While needs assessment is important, the focus of the institute will be on how to create structures that lead to meeting the needs within the community, not just identifying them. Emphasis will be placed on identifying assets of individuals, organizations, and institutions within the community and how those assets can be leveraged to improve communities. Participants will identify and map assets within their communities to create solutions.

INSTITUTE TOPICS

- I. Leadership Fundamentals (stages of leadership, authentic leadership, transformational leadership, and creating an individual leadership model) and Introduction to the Capstone Project)
- II. Teams (creating high performing teams and how to move teams from working groups to high performance) and Change (understanding change and how to lead it)
- III. Professional Learning Communities (Creating and utilizing them) and Asset-Based Community Engagement (Identifying and connecting community assets)
- IV. Poverty and Families in At-Risk Environments (Critical issues in working within these environments and identifying assets that engage individuals in these environments)
- V. Philosophy of Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. and Developmental Assets/Risk & Resiliency/Trauma Informed Care and Practice
- VI. Capstone Presentations (Sharing how we move forward to restore communities)

FORMAT AND COST

Institute participants will meet from September 2016 to February 2017 on the following dates: September 10, October 1, November 5, December 3, January 7, and February 18. All sessions will be held on the Lynchburg College Campus. Sessions will run from 8:30 a.m. – 5:00 p.m. each day. Per participant cost of the Institute is \$600. Please see registration form for payment options.

INSTITUTE FACULTY

Dr. Owen Cardwell, Pastor, New Canaan International Church, Richmond, VA, Co-Founder of The Family Restoration Network, and Executive Director, Heroes and Dreams Academy
Dr. Carl Hutcherson, Jr., Pastor, First Baptist Church of South Lynchburg, Former Mayor, City of Lynchburg
Dr. Roger Jones, Dean, School of Education, Leadership Studies, and Counseling, Lynchburg College
Dr. Paula Lichiello, Assistant Professor of Leadership Studies, Lynchburg College
Ms. Pat Price, Program Coordinator, Multi-Cultural Services, Lynchburg College, Community Activist
Ms. Treney Tweedy, Community Development Manager – Eastern Region for Goodwill Industries and Vice Mayor, Lynchburg City Council
Dr. John Walker, Chair of Leadership Studies, Lynchburg College
Dr. Virgil Wood, Pastor Emeritus of Pond Street Baptist Church (RI), Pastor in Lynchburg during the Civil Rights Movement, and Personal Friend of Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. (via Google Hangout)

**REGISTRATION FORM
LEADERSHIP INSTITUTE FOR FAITH-BASED COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT**

NAME _____

ADDRESS _____

FAITH-BASED INSTITUTION _____

CONNECTION WITH INSTITUTION (Minister, Board Member, Deacon, etc.) _____

TELEPHONE NUMBER _____

EMAIL ADDRESS _____

COST

Cost of the Institute is \$600. Participants must enroll for the entire Institute.

To secure a spot in the Institute, please follow one of the following procedures:

_____ **Submit the registration form and a check for \$600 made payable to Lynchburg College (by August 19, 2016) to:**
Dr. Paula Lichiello, Assistant Professor
School of Education, Leadership Studies, and Counseling
1501 Lakeside Drive
Lynchburg, VA 24501

_____ **Submit the registration form and a check for \$300 made payable to Lynchburg College (by August 19, 2016) to:**
(Remaining \$300 due by November 5, 2016)
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