Urban Leadership Development

Greenspun College of Urban Affairs
School of Environmental and Public Affairs
Preparing future school and community leaders to meet the challenges facing Southern Nevada in the 21st century.

M.A. in Urban Leadership
Every great leader I have known has been a great teacher, able to give those around him a sense of perspective and to set the moral, social, and motivational climate among his followers.

~Vice Admiral James Bond Stockdale
Leaders across the civic landscape — in our schools, our government agencies, our non-profit social service agencies, and in business and industry — must all work together for the well-being of the community.

Leaders as Systems Thinkers
Community Connections

- Advisory Council
- Collaborative planning with Clark County School District
Four Primary Themes

1. Leadership to Develop 21st Century Structures
2. Collaborative/Distributive Leadership
3. Evidence-based Leadership
4. Leadership to Develop a Culture of Learning and Equity
Features of the Program

- Cohort model
- Focus on field-based experiences ~ theory to practice
- Mentoring
- Visiting Scholars
- Professional Development
Field Experiences

- Lead efforts to improve learning for a targeted population of students
- Provide leadership for teachers working with this group of students
- Consider impact of fiscal, contractual, and management structures on student achievement
- Develop skills in supervision to improve student learning
- Learn about the multifaceted job of the principal through shadowing
If your actions inspire others to dream more, learn more, do more and become more, you are a leader.

--John Quincy Adams
Further Information

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