

# Summer Leadership Conference 2012 Scholarship Application

**Interested in growing as a leader? Expanding your capability to share your vision?  
Be involved in a more complex role in your organization or other role on campus?**

**K**alamazoo College's Office of Student Involvement is here to help you accomplish these goals by providing scholarships for students to attend a 2012 Summer Leadership Conference! We look forward to sending several Kalamazoo College students to the I-LEAD and LeaderShape Conferences to help represent our college on a national level. In addition to sharing the "K" experience with others, we hope that our students will gain valuable knowledge on leading others that will help facilitate growth in the Kalamazoo College community.

Two options are available for the summer leadership conferences that will be sponsored by the Office of Student Involvement. The Association of College Unions International (ACUI) hosts a summer program titled **I-LEAD: the Institute for Leadership Education and Development**, which will be held **July 15-20, 2012** at the **University of Missouri in Columbia, MO**. The **LeaderShape** Institute is also hosting a leadership session in **Champaign, IL July 29 – August 3, 2012**.

The Office of Student Involvement will be offering up to 15 scholarships to cover the cost of registration at these conferences. For both conferences, the registration cost covers housing, food, and participation fees. Additionally, up to \$400 per student will be available to reimburse travel costs to and from the conferences (please see delegate contract for details). For more information on the LeaderShape and I-LEAD conferences, please see the following websites: <http://www.leadershape.org/Institute.aspx> & <http://www.acui.org/ilead/>.

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To apply for the Summer Leadership Conference Scholarships provided through the Office of Student Involvement, please submit the following:

- 1. Current Resume**
- 2. Brief essay explaining the following information** (800-1000 words):
  - Your interest in attending a 2012 Summer Leadership Conference
  - Your current involvement on campus and goals for the rest of your time at K
  - What you expect to gain from your experience with ILEAD or LeaderShape
  - How you and the "K" campus community will benefit from your participation in ILEAD or LeaderShape
- 3. Application Form** (attached)
- 4. Delegate Contract** (attached)

**All materials must be returned in a single packet to Emily Lott  
in Student Involvement by May 18, 2012 @ 5:00pm for full consideration.**

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Full Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Year: \_\_\_\_\_ Major: \_\_\_\_\_

College/University: \_\_\_\_\_

Campus Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Summer Address: \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

Daytime Phone #: \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone #: \_\_\_\_\_

Emergency Contact (Phone & name):  
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Current Leadership Roles:  
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Please check which conference you are interested in attending. If you are interested in attending both of the conferences, please rank which conference you would rather attend. You will not be selected to attend both. Priority will be given to non-graduating students.

	Summer Leadership Conferences
	I-LEAD University of Missouri in Columbia, MO: July 15-20, 2012
	LeaderShape in Champaign, IL: July 29 – August 3, 2012



# Delegate Participation Contract

## If selected as a leadership conference participant:

- I will respond to all emails and other communication from Emily Lott in OSI regarding the conference in a timely manner.
- I will attend a delegation meeting with Emily and other Kalamazoo College conference delegates at a time to be determined during Spring 2012.
- I will be responsible for booking my own travel. Reimbursements will be made for up to \$400 for airline, train, or bus tickets, or the cost of fuel or tolls. I recognize that receipts must be provided to the Office of Student Involvement **no later than one week after the conference** in order to ensure reimbursement.
- I recognize that I will be representing Kalamazoo College at the conference, and will do so in a respectable manner.
- I will not use drugs or consume alcohol while attending the conference, even if I am of legal age.
- If I fail to attend the conference for any reason, I will be responsible for reimbursing Kalamazoo College for the full registration fee and any cancellation or other fees incurred by the College as a result of my absence. In addition, I will not be reimbursed by the College for any previously booked travel expenses.
- I will fill out Student Involvement's evaluation of the conference within a week of receiving it.
- I will attend a conference debriefing meeting during the first month of Fall Quarter to share information I learned at I-Lead or LeaderShape.
- I am willing to be an advocate for leadership programming during the 2012-2013 school year.

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Signature of Applicant

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Printed Name

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Date