

LEADERSHIP

Emerging Leaders Program

Find YOUR Leadership Path

The Emerging Leaders Program is a co-curricular certificate program that allows Harford Community College students the opportunity to develop leadership skills, get connected to the college and local community, and explore personal values and goals—all while providing a great addition to students' resumes.

Students engage in a variety of experiences that have been shown to have a significant impact on leadership development. The program utilizes specific opportunities, such as workshops and strengths assessments, to prepare students to be leaders in a multicultural society.

Benefits of Participation

- Learn more about personal leadership styles and hone transferrable skills
- Have the opportunity to apply for an Emerging Leaders scholarship
- Be considered to attend regional or national leadership conferences, such as the NACA

Completion Requirements

1. Attendance at bi-weekly Emerging Leaders meetings- featuring workshops, speakers, and activities to develop leadership skills
2. Participation in a Registered Student Organization, illustrated through the submission of a resume
3. Participation in at least one service learning experience
4. Completion of the CliftonStrengths for Students Assessment
5. Creation of a personal mission statement
6. Identification of one's philosophy of leadership
7. Creation of one short-term and one long-term goal

Emerging Leaders Meetings

SEPTEMBER

10—Emerging Leaders Kickoff Lunch

12:30—1:30 pm in Student Center 113

Come learn about what Emerging Leaders has to offer!

24—Goal Setting Workshop

12:30—1:30 pm in Student Center 113

Set some short and long term goals to help you achieve success!

OCTOBER

8—Living Outloud Leadership Speaker

12:30—1:30 pm in Student Center 113

Samantha Ramirez-Herrera will inspire you to discover your power, live boldly and loudly, speak up about what matters & embrace your truth without apologies.

16—International Pronouns Day Speaker

1—2 pm in Student Center 243

Tara Fuller will help you understand how awareness, belonging, & courage create more inclusive environments through critical self-reflection of how your identities relate to others.

23—Etiquette Dinner*

5-8 pm at the Water's Edge Conference Center

Enjoy a delicious dinner while learning about interview and networking etiquette.

NOVEMBER

1-3—Lead365 Conference, Orlando, Florida*

Attend a national leadership conference. Limited spaces are available— see Caitlin White for an application.

5—Stop the Bleed Training

12:30—1:30 pm in Student Center 113

Participate in the national campaign to empower bystanders to help in a bleeding emergency.

8—Maryland Community College Leadership Conference*

Attend a local leadership conference with other community college students—see Caitlin White to sign up.

19—Emerging Leaders Meeting

12:30—1:30 pm in Student Center 113

International Education Week & Global Leadership

*Requires prior registration

JANUARY

4-10—Alternative Winter Break, Key West, Florida*

Volunteer with Florida Keys National Marine Sanctuary. See Caitlin White for details and application.

FEBRUARY

11—Emerging Leaders Resume Workshop

12:30—1:30 pm in Student Center 113

Learn how to draft a resume of your accomplishments

24—Vision Boarding at Mindful Monday

1-2 pm in Student Center 113

Create a vision board to help achieve your goals

MARCH

10—StrengthsFinder for College Students Assessment

12:30—1:30 pm in Student Center 113

Take the StrengthsFinder Assessment and learn your top five strengths.

14-20—Alternative Spring Break, Alabama*

Volunteer with Civil Rights organizations. See Sharoll Love for details and application.

24—Strengths Assessment Results

12:30—1:30 pm in Student Center 113

Learn how to best use your top five strengths to succeed as a student and an employee.

APRIL

7—Optimistic Leadership Speaker

12:30—1:30 pm in Student Center 113

Amber Krzys believes there is one underlying, learnable skill that enhances great leaders in a powerful way—optimism. Optimists are more effective at everything. They excel in school, have better jobs, make more money, and even live longer. Learn the secrets of Optimistic Leadership.

23—Leadership Banquet*

5-8 pm in the Chesapeake Dining Rooms

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For details on these and additional leadership programs, download the Harford Events App.



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