



Student Leadership, Involvement and
Community Engagement

Fall 2011

Consciousness of Self
Congruence
Commitment
Citizenship
Collaboration
Common Purpose
Controversy with Civility

The Center for **Student Leadership, Involvement and Community Engagement** (SLICE) is a leadership development and volunteer service program based in the Student Life Office at the University of Houston – Clear Lake.

SLICE offers a wide variety of programs designed to help students develop their leadership skills and apply them in their communities.

Leadership Development Programs include:

- Leadership Workshops
- 3-Day Leadership Retreat (fall)
- Annual Student Leadership Conference (fall)
- Planning Committees for Leadership programs

SLICE promotes **Community Engagement** in a variety of ways:

- Day of Service (Spring)
- Resources for finding volunteer opportunities in the local community
- Resources for finding on-campus volunteer opportunities
- Bulletin Boards

SLICE also works very closely with **The National Society of Leadership and Success** (NSLS), UHCL Student Chapter. Students who join NSLS must complete membership requirements in order to be inducted as a lifetime member, and will receive access to scholarships, success coaches, and career resources. Requirements include participating in:

- Success Network Teams
- Leadership Training Day
- Monthly videoconferences featuring the nation's top business leaders, authors, and motivational speakers.



UHCL Students engage in teambuilding, ropes courses, reflection, problem-solving, enhance their leadership skills and develop their personal leadership visions at the annual off-campus Student Leadership Retreat. Open to all students, free to attend. Applications available in August.



Our Annual Leadership Conference features a nationally renowned keynote speaker, breakout sessions and opportunities to network with other Texas student leaders!

**For More Information about
SLICE:**

www.uhcl.edu/studentleadershipinstitute

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Servant Leader Scholar Program



Informational Orientations:

(To register for an orientation, please email: clarkjen@uhcl.edu)

9/1: 4pm, SSCB 1.202.07	9/12: 6:30pm, Bayou 1437
9/2: 11am, Bayou 1437	9/13: 6:30pm, SSCB 1.202.07
9/6: 2pm, Bayou 1435	9/14: 12pm, Bayou 1437
9/7: 6:30 pm, SSCB 1.202.07	9/15: 2pm, SSCB 1.202.07
9/8: 1pm, SSCB 1.202.07	9/20: 4pm, SSCB 1.202.07
9/9: 11am, SSCB 1.202.07	9/22: 5:30pm SSCB 1.202.07

The **Servant Leader Scholar Program (SLSP)** is sponsored by the Student Leadership, Involvement and Community Engagement (SLICE) program, housed in the Student Life Office. The SLSP recognizes students who complete service hours and participate in leadership development during their matriculation at UH – Clear Lake.

The SLSP encourages UHCL students to engage in activities that help them develop their servant leadership skills. Students can earn leadership development hours by attending any of the SLICE-sponsored or NSLS-sponsored leadership programs, including workshops, retreats, conferences, and speakers. Credit may also be given to off-campus leadership programs with special approval by SLICE.

Students can earn service hours simply by volunteering on-campus and in the community and documenting their hours served with SLICE. SLICE provides students with opportunities to volunteer through Days of Service (Spring), and also provides an online clearinghouse for Volunteer opportunities in the Houston-Galveston communities. Students can also earn service hours volunteering for on-campus events, such as: Open House, Ambassador Tables, Welcome Back Bash, Commencement, Orientation Leader, and serving on shared governance committees through the Student Government Association.

Service hours may also be accumulated through independent volunteerism performed by the student. Examples of extra-curricular volunteerism include:

- Coaching Little League/Community Sports Team
- Girl Scout Leader or Boy Scout Leader/Den Mother
- Outreach performed through church
- Campaign service/Voter registration
- Soup Kitchens, Hospital Auxiliaries, Hotlines, etc.
- Non-paid internships at non-profit service organizations...

How to Participate in the Servant Leader Scholar Program:

- Fill Out Application in Student Life Office
- Log Service Hours on the President's Volunteer Service Award website (see our webpage for instructions)
- Attend Leadership programs sponsored by SLICE (or provide documentation of participation in off-campus leadership training programs)
- After completing service hours and participation in leadership development programs, all SLSP participants must write an essay reflecting on servant leadership. Essay question and length specifics will be provided by SLICE.

After Completing SLSP Requirements, students will receive:

- Gold, Silver or Bronze Service Pin at Student Leadership Banquet in Spring semester
- Graduation Cord (Gold Level)
- Certificate from UHCL President
- Record of Participation (transcript of involvement)

For specific hour requirements and more information, about **The Servant Leader Scholar Program**, please visit us on the web:

www.uhcl.edu/studentleadershipinstitute

or make an appointment with Jenn Clark:

clarkjen@uhcl.edu; 281-283-2611

Student Leadership Retreat

Friday, October 14 – Sunday, October 16
Retreat held off-campus at a Trinity Pines Conference Center

The annual Student Leadership Retreat has been described by past participants as being one of the most meaningful, fun, and influential experiences of their college life at UHCL. During this three-day retreat, students will participate in a low- and high-ropes course, engage in teambuilding, problem-solving, develop and articulate their personal leadership vision, and enjoy getting to know other student leaders. The Retreat is absolutely free to attend, and applications are required. (Space is limited.) For more info, please visit our website. Applications are available online and in the Student Life Office (beginning August) and the deadline to apply is October 1st.



15TH Annual UHCL Student Leadership Conference

Saturday, November 5, 2011

Free Registration for UHCL Students (a \$45 value!)

Featuring Keynote Speaker: *Jonathan Sprinkles*

Author, TV/Radio Personality, Motivational Speaker
Sprinklisms, Inc.

Show your campus pride and join more than 300 college students from all over the state of Texas for this one-day Leadership conference, featuring one of our nation's top collegiate speakers, and choose from more than 15 different leadership workshops to attend. Breakfast and lunch provided! All attendees will receive a FREE COPY of Jonathan Sprinkles' latest book "Be the One"!



Community Service Fair

Monday, September 19 10am – 2pm

Bayou Atrium I and Garden Room



Looking for a service project for your class? Would your student organization like to plan a project for “Make a Difference Day” in the Spring? Are you interested in volunteering on a regular basis? Do you need service hours for graduation cords, or for the Servant Leader Scholar program? SLICE will be holding its second annual **Community Service Fair** featuring volunteer coordinators from many of our Houston-Galveston area non-profit service organizations. Come by and meet with representatives to learn more about what they do, and how YOU can help serve your community!



DAY OF SERVICE

SAVE THE DATE!!!

Saturday, March 10, 2011



Formerly known as “Community Outreach Day”, **Day of Service** is UHCL’s annual day of service during which students, faculty, staff, alumni and community members give back to our community through service. This year, SLICE is turning to our student leaders to help plan projects for this event so that we can make this program bigger and better than ever, and provide opportunities for many of our UHCL family members to join us in the spirit of giving. If you would like more information and are interested in helping to plan a project for **Day of Service**, please contact Jenn Clark: clarkjen@uhcl.edu. We are forming a planning team for this event, and will also provide workshops for student organizations throughout the fall semester to assist with the planning process.



The National Society of Leadership and Success

Speaker Series

Success Network Teams

Scholarships

Community Service

Recognition for Academic Achievement



Leadership Training Days

Job Resources

Actively Involved Student Organization

Leadership Certification

The *National Society of Leadership and Success* offers live videoconference broadcasts, Leadership Training Days, and Success Network Team experiences to all students. You do NOT need to be a member of NSLS to participate in these programs. However, if you would like to join NSLS and become a lifetime member, participation in these activities does count towards membership requirements for induction. Students who complete requirements are inducted into NSLS during a formal ceremony recognizing their achievements at the end of each semester. For more information about how to become a member of NSLS, please contact Advisor, Jenn Clark at clarkjen@uhcl.edu or visit the NSLS table at Student Organizations Expo. Applications are also available on the SLICE table located in the SSCB Student Lounge.

Orientations* 9/1: 5:30pm, SSCB 1.202.07; 9/2: 10am, SSCB 1.202.07; 9/6: 1pm, Bayou 1435, 9/7: 5:30pm, SSCB 1.202.07; 9/8: 12pm, SSCB 1.202.07, 9/9: 10am, SSCB 1.202.07; 9/12: 5:30pm, Bayou 1437, 9/13: 5:30pm, SSCB 1.202.07; 9/14: 12pm, Bayou 1437; 9/15: 1pm, SSCB 1.202.07; 9/16: 5pm, SSCB 1.202.07; 9/17: 10am, SSCB 1.202.07. All Orientations are 1 hour long. *Mandatory for members. Open to everyone interested in learning more about NSLS.

Leadership Training Days

9/16	2pm – 5pm	SSCB 1.202.07
9/23	1pm – 4pm	Bayou 1437
9/28	4pm – 7pm	SSCB 1.202.07
10/3	4pm – 7pm	SSCB 1.202.07
10/13	4pm – 7pm	SSCB 1.202.07
10/29 (Sat)	10am – 1pm	SSCB 1.202.07
11/7	4pm – 7pm	SSCB 1.202.07
11/11	9am – 12pm	SSCB 1.202.07

Rooms subject to change. Please pre-register for LTD and you will receive email updates in the event of room change.

Speaker Series

For specifics, please visit our website at www.uhcl.edu/slice and click on "Leadership Workshop Series". Live broadcasts: 6pm – 7:30pm; Encore presentations: 12pm – 1:30pm.

Dates:

9/20: Jonathan Sprinkles: "DiversiME University" SSB 1100
10/4: Alton Brown "A Few of the Secrets of m Semi-Moderate Success", Bayou 1418; Encore: 10/12 B 1437
10/25: Al Duncan "Rise N' Thrive: From Great Potential to Exceptional Performance", SSCB 1100; Encore: 11/2 B1437
11/8: Robert and Kim Kiyosaki "Why A Students Work for C Students: The Benefit of Financial Education", Bayou 1418

Encore Marathon: 11/10: 12pm – 6pm , Bayou 1437* ; Saturday, 11/12: Bayou 2512

Deadline to Complete Requirements for Fall Induction: 11/12
Fall Induction Ceremony: Saturday, December 10, 10am

Success Network Team Kick-Off: Friday, September 16 @ 6pm, SSCB Lecture Hall 1100

Leadership Workshop Series :

You can pre-register for these workshops at www.uhcl.edu/studentleadershipinstitute and click on "Leadership Workshop Series" to locate the online registration form. Workshops are FREE and OPEN to all UHCL Students. Please check website for descriptions of workshops.

Friday, September 23: ***"Manage Your Time, Don't Let Time Manage You!"***

10:00am – 12:00pm, Bayou 1437

Presenter: Jennifer Clark, Student Life Office

Monday, September 26: ***"The Biology of Cooperation, Game Theory, and the Challenge of Social Justice"***

5:00pm – 7:00pm, SSCB 1.202.07

Presenter: Dr. Paul Wagner, School of Education

Tuesday, September 27: ***"The Stress Factor" (Stress Management and Life Balance)***

5:00pm – 7:00pm, Bayou 1437

Presenter: Ron Klinger, UHCL Human Resources

Friday, September 30: ***What Is Your Leadership Style?*** (Myers-Briggs)

10:00am – 12:00pm, SSCB 1.202.07

Presenter: Dr. Cindy Cook, Counseling Services

Must take MBTI in Counseling Services office by 12pm Sept. 23rd in order to participate in this workshop. Please register for this workshop PRIOR to taking MBTI.

Wednesday, October 5: ***"Being A CUT Above the Rest: Team and Organizational Effectiveness"***

5:00pm – 7:00pm, SSCB Lecture Hall 1100

Presenter: Ron Klinger, UHCL Human Resources

Friday, October 7: ***"Smashing Stereotypes and Embracing Cultural Diversity"***

10:00am – 12:00pm, SSCB 1.202.07

Presenter: Linda Contreras Bullock, Intercultural and International Student Services

Monday, October 10: ***"Emotionally Intelligent Leadership"***

5:00pm – 7:00pm, SSCB 1.202.07

Presenter: Jennifer Clark, Student Life Office

Wednesday, October 19: ***"An Overview of Executive Leadership Best Practices"***

5:00pm – 7:00pm, SSCB 1.202.07

Presenter: Dr. Gene Easley, School of Business

Friday, October 21: ***"Dealing with Difficult People (Conflict Management and Resolution)"***

10:00am – 12:00pm, SSCB 1.202.07

Presenter: Dr. Gary Adams, Counseling Services

Thursday, October 27: ***"Leadership: It's What You Communicate"***

5:00pm – 7:00pm, SSCB 1.202.07

Presenter: Dion McInnis, VP University Advancement

Friday, October 28: ***"Lights, Camera... (Situational) Leadership!"***

10:00am – 12:00pm, SSCB 1.202.07

Presenter: Jennifer Clark, Student Life Office