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Leadership Education/Action Development
2023-2025 LEAD Fellows
Group 42, Continued
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### 2023 – 2024 Seminar Schedules

**Nebraska LEAD 42: Year 1 Schedule**

- **Seminar 1:** September 2023 (Sun-Tue) **
  - **Theme:** Leadership Assessment and Potential
  - **Location:** University of Nebraska-Lincoln, East Campus

- **Seminar 2:** October 2023 (Sun-Tue)
  - **Theme:** Natural Resources, Water and Energy
  - **Location:** Nebraska College of Technical Agriculture, Curtis

- **Seminar 3:** November 2023 (Sun-Tue)
  - **Theme:** Leadership Through Communication
  - **Location:** University of Nebraska-Kearney, Kearney

- **Seminar 4:** January 2024 (Sun-Tue)
  - **Theme:** Our Political Process
  - **Location:** Union College, Lincoln

- **February 2024 (Wed)**
  - **Theme:** Nuclear Energy
  - **Location:** Peru State College, Peru

- **Date:** February 2024
  - **Theme:** Various Topics
  - **Location:** National Study Group
    - Kansas City, Washington, D.C., Chicago

- **Seminar 5:** March 2024 (Thu-Sat) **
  - **Theme:** Social Issues (No Alumni Dinner)
  - **Location:** Creighton University, Omaha

- **Seminar 6:** March 2024 (Sun-Tue)
  - **Theme:** Panhandle Agriculture – The Land & The People
  - **Location:** University Nebraska Research and Extension Center, Scottsbluff

**Nebraska LEAD 41: Year 2 Schedule**

- **Seminar 7:** September 2023 (Sun-Tue) **
  - **Theme:** Understanding and Developing Our Leadership Skills
  - **Location:** Chadron State College, Chadron

- **Seminar 8:** November 2023 (Wed-Fri)
  - **Theme:** Agricultural Policy, Finance and Marketing
    (No Alumni Dinner)
  - **Location:** University of Nebraska-Lincoln, East Campus

- **Seminar 9:** November 2023 (Sun-Tue)
  - **Theme:** Global Perspectives
  - **Location:** Wayne State College, Wayne

- **Seminar 10:** December 2023 (Sun-Tue)
  - **Theme:** Comparative Cultural, Educational, Political & Religious Systems
  - **Location:** Doane University, Crete
    - University of Nebraska-Lincoln, City Campus

- **January 4 - 19, 2024**
  - **Theme:** International Study Tour
  - **Location:** Albania, Greece, and Italy

- **Seminar 11:** February 2024 (Thu-Sat)
  - **Theme:** Agribusiness and Advances in Health Care
  - **Location:** University of Nebraska-Omaha, UNMC

- **Seminar 12:** March 2024 (Thu-Fri) **
  - **Theme:** Looking Ahead – Final Seminar (No Alumni Dinner)
  - **Location:** University of Nebraska-Lincoln, East Campus
    - **March 15, 2024**
      - **Annual Recognition Banquet**
        - University of Nebraska-Lincoln, East Campus
        - **Seminar with spouses**

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### Leadership Education/Action Development

**The LEAD Program**

Up to thirty individuals are selected annually to participate in the Nebraska Leadership Education/Action Development (LEAD) Program. During the two year program, LEAD Participants attend 12 three-day seminars and two study/travel seminars, one national and the other international. Content of the seminars are essential to leadership and focus on economics, government, human relations, communications, international trade, sociology, education, the arts and social-cultural understanding.

During the first year, participants study local, state and national issues. The second year curriculum emphasizes continued leadership, skill development and international study.

**The LEAD Participants**

All participants are Nebraska residents involved in production agriculture, agribusiness or a closely related occupation. Preference of LEAD Participants is given to individuals between the ages of 25 and 55 who possess proven leadership potential, capability and a commitment to Nebraska.

**The LEAD Organization**

The Nebraska LEAD Program is under the direction of the Nebraska Agricultural Leadership Council and is supported by individuals, businesses and industries, as well as public and private institutions of higher education and research.

**The LEAD Purpose**

The dynamic industry of agriculture plays a profound and over-riding role in every phase of Nebraska life. The LEAD Program recognizes that the development of human resources for agriculture and Nebraska should not be left to chance. The LEAD Program strives to address the needs of community members involved in the business of agriculture by presenting opportunities to broaden one’s knowledge and strengthen leadership and decision-making abilities.
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