GLOBAL ACADEMIC LEADERSHIP DEVELOPMENT

Transformational Training to Build the Capacity of Your Professional Team

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GALD is a customizable global academic leadership and professional development program for cohorts of employees from government and education sectors. GALD is delivered by the University of Alberta, one of the world's top 100 universities.

GALD offers world-class professional training for:
- Senior administrators looking for an opportunity to acquire high-level administration and leadership skills
- Educators wanting to enhance their academic teaching skills
- Researchers wishing to sharpen their research management expertise
- Groups of professionals with a common interest, seeking a customized professional development program to meet specific training goals

UAlberta Fast Facts
- Ranks 94th worldwide (QS World University Rankings)
- Serves almost 40,000 students, with over 7,000 international students from 150 countries
- Has 700 active teaching and research agreements with institutions in 80 countries
- Leads the country with 41 3M Teaching Fellowships, Canada's highest award for university undergraduate teaching
- Received over $440 million in sponsored research revenues in 2015-16, placing it among the highest in Canada

GALD provides three dimensions of learning.
The GALD program focuses on developing these three dimensions of key competencies to build your team's professional success.

*Theoretical Knowledge* complemented with *Practical Application* in a *Global Context*

- **Theoretical Knowledge**
  - Enhance your knowledge and strengthen your theoretical framework in your area of interest.

- **Practical Application**
  - Utilize relevant opportunities to apply theory to practice.

- **Global Context**
  - Improve your English Language Proficiency and intercultural understanding in today's global context.

Why Choose GALD at UAlberta?

- **International Exposure**
  - Cultural immersion and interaction with global counterparts expands global perspective and enhances your team's international competitive advantage.

- **Accessibility & Customization**
  - The customizability of the GALD program ensures scheduling and instructional flexibility to meet your organizations’ specific needs.

- **Dedicated Service & Organization**
  - We offer one point of contact before, during, and after the program, ensuring a smooth transition and an effective learning environment for your team.

- **Instruction from Leading Experts**
  - Your team will learn from leading experts in a wide range of subject areas from our 18 academic faculties and administrative branches.

UAlberta is located in Edmonton, the vibrant capital city of the province of Alberta in Western Canada. Home to a thriving economy, Edmonton offers a safe and welcoming environment and is known as Canada’s “Festival City” due to the many celebrations that take place in all four seasons.

Sample themes
- Leadership
- Research Management
- English for Specific Purposes
- TEF/Teacher Education
- International Student Services
- Teaching Methodology Enhancement

Delivery modes
- In Home Country or in Canada
- Face-to-face, online, or both
- In English or other languages

History of Success
Since 2012, over 350 university administrators at the Dean and Vice Dean's levels have participated in GALD Programs.

We have successfully delivered GALD Programs for countries such as China, Saudi Arabia, Germany, and Mongolia.

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