Salt Lake Community College is honored to host the 2014 American Association for Women in Community Colleges (AAWCC) LEADERS Institute, June 1 through June 6, 2014. LEADERS continues its legacy as the premier provider of training for leadership skills and networking opportunities for women in community colleges. Participants in the national AAWCC LEADERS Institute in Salt Lake City, Utah, will be immersed in intense and in-depth leadership experiences.

Many challenges face community colleges. LEADERS presenters are experts in their fields who provide practical and innovative leadership strategies. The LEADERS Institute provides participants with the leadership tools to excel in confronting the myriad challenges in their community colleges today, and into the future.

If you want to increase your leadership skills, your contributions and advance your career path, talk with your leadership to obtain sponsorship to LEADERS Institute to be held June 1-6, 2014, in Salt Lake City. This year’s Institute will be held in downtown Salt Lake City’s award winning boutique hotel — Hotel Monaco.

The LEADERS website, www.aawcc-leaders.org, will provide details, and a lodging and registration portal. Remember, included in the registration fee is five breakfasts and four lunches. LEADERS is also providing an outstanding hors d’oeuvres selection for the opening reception Sunday, June 1. Networking dinner on two nights is also part of your growth experience!

LEADERS INSTITUTE – LEADERSHIP FOR WOMEN IN COMMUNITY COLLEGES

Curriculum

Institution Development
- Policy Development
- Student Success
- Data Driven Decision Making
- Managing Change
- Budget Development

Skill Building
- Conflict Management
- Team Building
- Negotiation Skills
- Systems/Strategic Thinking & Planning
- Ethical Decision Making

Self Awareness
- Commitment to the Community College Mission
- Self-Assessment
- Using Power Productively
- Building a Professional Development Plan

The LEADERS Institute is designed for community college women who possess a desire to fulfill a central leadership position, and are currently employed full-time in a community college.

Benefits:
- Pragmatic approach with career mapping
- Mentor component
- Interaction with women community college presidents
- Established network of women LEADERS

LEADERS is a week-long workshop, which facilitates leadership development through an extensive content rich curriculum, a self assessment component, skill building to manage decision making, conflict and change, and networking with present and future LEADERS.
Dr. Susan D. Baker

Assistant Vice President, Student Services

I applied NLLG when standing before you and could hardly believe that my part of my journey was ending. I applied to the first school I visited, which was a revelation. In 2006, I completed my PhD and moved to Salt Lake City to join AVLCC. I was always a reader and a learner, finding my passion for educational leadership through entrepreneurship and community leadership. My experiences have taught me the value of lifelong learning and the importance of developing leaders who can lead others. My journey has been one of discovery, learning, and growth. I have had the privilege of working with many passionate and dedicated leaders who have inspired me and helped me to become the leader I am today. I am grateful for the opportunities I have had to make a difference and to contribute to the education and development of others. I believe in the power of education to change lives and inspire change. I am committed to continuing my education and to empower others to do the same. I am proud to be a part of the AVLCC program and look forward to continuing to learn and grow in my role as a leader. I am confident in my ability to make a difference and to inspire others to do the same.