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ENGL 213: Management Lessons from Literature Course Fee: \$3,500

Spend J-Term 2014 in Washington D.C. exploring the intersection of literature and leadership while interacting with a variety of related guest speakers and lecturers. The program will be led by PLU President Thomas Krise, and features visits to Capitol Hill, the State Department, and the Smithsonian Museums, among others. Interested students should contact the Wang Center for more information. Apply today!



Management Lessons from Literature

Credit:

ENGL 213

- Department Credit
- GenEd Credit (LT)

Program Cost:

\$3,500

Includes airfare, lodging, and program related transportation

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Course Description:

In "Management Lessons from Literature," students will explore works by authors such as Sophocles, Shakespeare, Austen, and Machiavelli with an eye toward gleaning lessons in management and leadership. The course will be taught by the University's president and will begin with a week on campus and then move to Washington, D.C., where people with important leadership responsibilities will periodically join the class as guest lecturers or discussion leaders as we explore leadership questions such as, How should a leader make a choice between personal loyalty and the good of the institution? How does a leader co-opt subversion within his or her organization and get opponents to become enthusiastic teammates? How does a leader make hard choices that affect people's lives and livelihoods? Guest lecturers will include PLU alumni and others who lead organizations such as government agencies, Congressional offices, and museums. Students will benefit from getting to know these leaders, by making connections that might lead to future opportunities for internships or career choices, and by understanding how these leaders have pursued their "Wild Hope" of a vocational calling. Class discussions will be supplemented by tours and visits to many of the sites and institutions (e.g., the Capitol, the State Department, the Holocaust Museum, the Newseum, the Kennedy Center) that make the nation's capital a unique site for the study of leadership and culture.

Application Deadline:

November 1, 2013. A non-refundable deposit of \$50.00 is required with the application. A \$250 non-refundable payment to confirm participation in the course is due within 10 days of notification of acceptance. Maximum 18 students.

