



TECHNOLOGY INFORMATION CENTER FOR  
ADMINISTRATIVE LEADERSHIP

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Leading Edge Certification  
For the Professional Learning Leader  
*A Few Reflections from Practicing School Leaders*

This course was the "just in time" training I needed to plan more efficient and effective professional development in my district. The adult learning strategies, goal setting activities and lesson development ideas were invaluable. I look forward to the development and implementation of a new PD learning center design.

*~Technology Support Specialist*

If you are looking for an opportunity to further your own education and experience where learning and education is heading this module is for you. I plan to offer this module to my directors and instructional coaches.

*~ Assistant Superintendent of Instruction*

This professional certification course is unlike any other professional learning I have experienced. The material is relevant and forced me outside of my comfort zone. I am a better educational leader because of the growth in my own learning through this course.

*~ Instructional Coach, High School Teacher on Special Assignment*

This course was the perfect blend of individual, online and collaborative work. It was well researched and the projects were applicable to my professional goals and work. I appreciated the coaching as well as the colleagues I met. This is a must for educational leaders as this models how are students should be learning in our ever changing world.

*~ Middle School Principal*

The Leading Edge Certification for the Professional Learning Leader was a valuable experience. It is a robust course with meaningful content and projects to reinforce the learning process. I would recommend this course to other educational professionals and feel it would be a great team-building event for groups.

*~ Project Specialist - OTAN*

The LEC PLL program was exactly what I needed at this point in my career. I appreciated the opportunity to learn the latest in pedagogy for delivering professional development to staff. Also, the convenience of online learning made this easy to accomplish during my summer vacation.

*~ Technology Teacher*

Before taking this course, I was not at all literate about the idea of blended learning. I am grateful to my boss for giving me the opportunity to participate in this training. Now I have the knowledge and skills needed to make my own PD sessions more interactive, engaging and high tech.

*~ Bilingual Resource Teacher*

The team was very welcoming at the face-to-face and operated like a well-oiled machine. They did a good job of setting the tone. The feedback was timely and helpful. The instruction was great. They also did a good job of anticipating the hurdles in the course and sending out a positive message to get everyone up and moving before the deadlines.

*~ Teacher on Special Assignment*



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