LEAD 444  Leadership Minor Capstone  3 credits

Catalog Course Description: Students will move the theoretical leadership knowledge gained in prior coursework to practical application within the context of their chosen professional career path. Students will also synthesize knowledge gained across the leadership minor curriculum. Students taking this course need to meet prerequisites and should also have an additional 6 hours of approved Leadership Minor electives.

Syllabus Course Description: The purpose of this capstone course is to draw from and reflect on your Leadership Minor course experiences. Students will reflect on what they have learned through the Leadership Minor and how to apply that learning in the context of their future careers. Students will be expected to demonstrate skill in analysis of pertinent literature, write with purpose and clarity, and contribute significantly to a group project. In this seminar, students will submit scholarly products to demonstrate a mature understanding of personal leadership in a range of contexts.

Learning Outcomes:
Upon successful completion of this course, students will be able to:
1. Research and interpret scholarly and practitioner literature on leadership
2. Articulate a personal point of view about effective leadership
3. Reflect upon personal leadership effectiveness and leadership development
4. Synthesize concepts and strategies from various leadership coursework and experiences
5. Integrate leadership concepts with personal career goals and professional competencies and ethics

Prerequisites: LEAD 244, LEAD 344, Leadership Minor Declared.