Equity-Based Leadership

In March 2020, the Network for College Success will host our Equity-Based Leadership workshop for educators, philanthropists, and other stakeholders interested in leading transformational work. This intensive experience is designed to push your thinking, provoke questions, prompt critical reflection, and collectively make deeper meaning of how equity work can be applied to your practice. The four-day workshop will serve as a learning space to engage in challenging work around identity and leadership as well as an opportunity to explore your impact within your professional community.

NCS will support your efforts to develop an equity-centered approach to your role—both individually and with your colleagues. Guiding our work together is this essential question: What's required of me to radically transform my practice in order to wrestle with issues of equity, deepen relationships, and engage in necessary discourse to improve outcomes for our least reached students/clients?

At the workshop, participants will:

◆ Build awareness of personal narratives, race, culture, and systemic/institutional factors that produce inequitable outcomes.

◆ Engage with texts, structures, tools, ideas, and colleagues in order to develop skills, deepen knowledge, and strategize around individual and team equity-centered work.

◆ Assess current conditions and identify essential conditions necessary to take up equity-centered work in the context of your professional community.

◆ Build (and be in) community with colleagues across difference for the purpose of building alliances needed to pick up equity-centered work.

“I appreciate that the work requires me to look at myself and examine my values and beliefs. NCS has done a great job creating a safe space to be honest and hold each other accountable.

– Former Equity-Based Leadership Participant

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