

# FRANCES HESSELBEIN STUDENT LEADERSHIP PROGRAM

### **FALL SEMESTER**

United States Military Academy | West Point, New York

During the fall semester, the students learn leadership skills from West Point faculty, distinguished guest lecturers, and hands-on activities. These experiences are the same as those our future military leaders learn prior to starting their careers as officers. The evening activities include building lifelong connections with their teammates, sharing their own S2S programs, and goal setting with their new teammates.

#### **SPRING SEMESTER**

United States Air Force Academy | Colorado Springs, Colorado

A team of senior cadets, majoring in Behavioral Science and Leadership, build the annual Frances Hesselbein program starting the fall of their senior year. The week's learning is structured around the core leadership principles taught to the cadets. The students are taught by the cadets and are provided experiences that build on the leadership principles. The week ends with a goal setting session for students to take back to their campus and implement.



The mission of the *Frances Hesselbein Student Leadership Program*<sup>™</sup> is to grow and sustain the *Student 2 Student*<sup>®</sup> (S2S) program on the local campus. Established by MCEC in 2006, the *Frances Hesselbein Student Leadership Program* offers an intensive experience for selected students to enrich their leadership and team building skills.

The week-long experience builds skills through personal and small group settings. Students gain confidence, competence, and commitment to their leadership to strengthen their local S2S program.

Students also have an opportunity to share their program challenges and successes with other peers to gain a new insight on improvement. Distinguished guests provide insights to overcoming challenges and to building personal character.

This is a scholarship-based program. The only expenses to the student are luggage fees, meals while traveling, and souvenirs.

#### **QUALIFICATIONS:**

- Active in S2S
- Demonstrate competency in the core values of S2S
- Sophomore or junior student
- · Complete the application requirements
- Good academic standing
- Sponsor recommendation





## Who is Frances Hesselbein?

Frances Hesselbein (November 1, 1915 – December 11, 2022) was a trailblazer, author, editor, and gifted leader. She was the president and CEO of the Frances Hesselbein Leadership Institute. Prior to founding the Frances Hesselbein Leadership Institute, she served as the CEO for the Girl Scouts of the USA. Between 1965 and 1976, she rose from volunteer troop leader to CEO and held the position of CEO for fourteen years (1976-1990). She is credited with leading a turnaround for the Girl Scouts, increasing their minority membership and establishing the Daisy Scout program for the youngest girls accepted into the Girl Scouts. In 1998, Hesselbein was awarded the Presidential Medal of Freedom for her work with the Girl Scouts of the USA, and was the recipient of 22 honorary degrees.

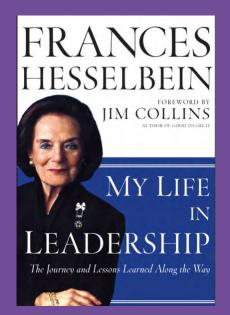
"This training will help me improve my leadership skills, by allowing me to become more resilient and responsible for my actions and giving me the ability to better communicate and strengthen my connections."

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"The lesson that meant the most to me this week was the S.M.A.R.T. goals lesson. I learned so much about how to accomplish goals and how to accomplish them diligently."

-AUBREY T. COLORADO SPRINGS, COLORADO

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