

TRINITY WESTERN UNIVERSITY

Master of Arts in Leadership



The Master of Arts in Leadership establishes strong connections between theory and practice. The program aims to equip you with:

- ▶ Practical insights and abilities to form, direct, motivate, and evaluate individual and team activity with integrity, humility, and compassion.
- ▶ An opportunity to apply leadership principles as a community-builder who unites people in a compelling vision of service delivery and results-oriented change.

PROGRAM OUTCOMES



Learn how to effectively manage teams.

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Learn how to lead from a values perspective.

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Become a leadership expert in your sector.

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Enhance your professional development and qualify for salary increases.

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Qualify for opportunities to work in advanced executive leadership roles.

PROGRAM DELIVERY

The program's innovative, dynamic format is anchored in transformational servant leadership, a two-fold paradigm proven to deliver tangible results.

Students can choose either the Langley or Richmond campus based on their specialization or delivery preferences: the Langley campus includes all specializations and offers (a) a mixed delivery of online and one-month classroom residency, (b) a fully online option, and (c) full-time, face-to-face, on-campus delivery; whereas the Richmond campus offers full-time, face-to-face delivery for two specializations—business and health care.

- ▶ Chose one of two pace options: full-time (17-20 months) or part-time (24-29 months). Programs can be completed sooner. Contact us at lead@twu.ca for an individualized fast-track plan.
- ▶ Start dates: January/July/September (Langley), January/June/September (Richmond), May/September (Online).

OVERVIEW OF MA LEAD SPECIALIZATIONS

BUSINESS

The Master of Arts in Leadership, business stream, is designed to equip professionals with the skills to adapt to the increasing demands and rapidly changing priorities of the business sector.

BUSINESS SPECIALIZATION IN MANDARIN

This stream is ideal for practising executives who need the business-focused leadership specialization delivered in Mandarin. Students will cultivate a servant mindset and learn how to build effective teams in organizational environments that promote innovation, personal development, and sustainability.

GENERAL STREAM

The general stream is the perfect way for students to customize their MA in Leadership to their specific educational and professional needs. Students may choose their own blend of courses from the business, education, and health care streams and other disciplines to tailor the program to their interests and career aspirations.

HEALTH

The Master of Arts in Leadership, health stream, is designed for entry-level health-care providers to grow their leadership capacity and for middle managers to enhance their leadership skills. The program focuses on efficiency and LEAN organizational principles within a framework of transformational servant leadership and patient-oriented approaches.

EDUCATION

The Master of Arts in Leadership, education stream, is designed for those working in education (Kindergarten to Grade 12) who would like to advance their education leadership knowledge and/or career.

COACHING AND FACILITATION CERTIFICATE THROUGH TWU'S FAR CENTRE

Ideal for those pursuing careers in online and hybrid learning, the FAR Centre Coaching and Facilitation Certificate is a post-graduate education certificate. This relevant, practical program prepares students for professions in growing demand such as online learning facilitation, facilitation and coaching of international learners, organizational professional development, and coaching within an organizational setting. It is also perfectly suited for MA in Leadership students with any specialization who wish to enhance their professional skill set in a highly employable field.



“ As an Indigenous educator and scholar, it was critical that I join a graduate program whose values aligned with the communities I serve. TWU's MA in Leadership program nurtured my commitment to social and ecological justice through research, theory, and practice. It equipped me to pursue a doctoral degree to redress the legacy of oppression and marginalization of First Peoples and peoples with disabilities.



Heather Simpson, MA
Contract Faculty
Child, Family, and Community Studies
at Douglas College



“ The MA in Leadership program profoundly impacted the organization I was leading at the time. It was the impetus behind motivating our leadership team to break free of the status quo. We successfully moved toward strategic change in order to positively impact our community.



Terri Mazik
Executive Director at Sawubona Project



“ TWU's MA in Leadership philosophy of transformational servant leadership has stretched me in more ways than I can count. Though I was familiar with servant leadership, it was the transforming aspect of this journey that was most gratifying. The professors' humility pushed me to greater heights than I thought possible.



Dean Hardy
Pastor at Deaf TEAM Ministries

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