





STUDENT EXPERIENCES

Employability skill development with a spotlight on Leadership and Integrity includes:

Preparing for interviews with specialized training

Crafting a personalized career action plan

Collaborating with a team to accomplish objectives

Establishing ambitious goals for future achievements

Participating in the election process for the upcoming state officer team

ADVISOR EXPERIENCES

Enhancing work-based learning initiatives:

Integrating the SkillsUSA Framework for comprehensive skill development

Fostering chapter success with the SkillsUSA Program of Work

Facilitating informal advisor discussions

Providing updates on career competition developments

WHAT IS L.E.A.D.?

L.E.A.D. is a dynamic two-day conference designed to unlock members' career and leadership potential. Packed with engaging activities and inspiring sessions, *L.E.A.D.* equips attendees with practical skills and motivation to thrive in their professional journey.

At *L.E.A.D.*, participants get hands-on experiences which boost their career readiness and grasp the nuances of effective leadership within a SkillsUSA Chapter. Whether you're a student seeking to enhance your skills, or an education professional looking to refine your instructional approach, *L.E.A.D.* has you covered.

OUTCOMES

This year's focus is on amplifying work-based learning initiatives, a vital aspect of modern career development. Through the lens of the SkillsUSA Framework, *L.E.A.D.* identifies the path to success by focusing on the essential elements of:

INTEGRITY

Doing the right thing in a reliable way.

TEAMWORK

Working with others to achieve a common goal.

LEADERSHIP

Influencing the hearts, minds, and actions of others.

JOB-SPECIFIC SKILLS

Identifying, developing, and implementing unique knowledge and skills required by a specific job.

PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT

Engaging intentionally in learning experiences that contribute positively to career path progression.



DATES AND LOCATION

OCTOBER 17-19, 2024

Thursday at 7 p.m. – Saturday at 2 p.m. Four Points by Sheraton Peoria 500 Hamilton Blvd., Peoria, IL 61602



REGISTRATION INFO

Registration Deadline: SEPTEMBER 25, 2024

Conference Experience

Registration includes training, materials, t-shirt, hotel accommodations, and meals while on-site.

Registration Fees

Per member, hotel accommodations included: Quad: \$300 | Double: \$375 | Single: \$525

How to Register

Submit registration today at register.skillsusa.org. Hotel rooming lists can be found at: www.SkillsUSAIllinois.org/LEAD

MORE INFORMATION

Visit www.SkillsUSAIllinois.org/LEAD or email membership@SkillsUSAIllinois.org.