"Focused Leadership" is a monthly e-mail sponsored by the MUSC ARROW (Advancement, Recruitment, and Retention of Women). This e-mail is sent to all faculty members and features leadership-related articles and resources. We deliver brief, thought provoking, and most importantly, useful e-mails once a month!

LEADERS ON LEADING

We asked Dr. Dusti Annan-Coultas, Director of Education and Information Technology in the College of Health Professions, "What is the most important advice you would give someone interested in moving into a leadership position?"

Her response: My advice would be to begin seeing leadership as a way of serving your unit and colleagues. Be the person whom others can see best representing their interests and with whom they can envision working to accomplish the most important goals.

LEADERSHIP RESOURCES

12 Powerful A’s for Leaders

“What “A” words would you add to the ABC’s for leaders?”

--- Dan Rockwell, Leadership Freak

We don't care enough to give you constructive feedback

“But if we did, it would take a lot to speak up in a useful way.”

-- Seth Godin

UPCOMING EVENTS

Tools for Mentors and Mentees:
HOW TO TELL THE STORY OF YOUR RESEARCH.
When: May 26, 2015 12-1pm   EL 405 (Library)
What: Apple Tree and the Mentor Leadership Council invite all faculty and staff to join Kimberly McGhee and Melinda Carter as they discuss how to best summarize your research into and elevator speech. We hope you will consider participating in this offering. Please bring a typical abstract from a manuscript related to your work that can be used as the basis for an in-class exercise in translating it for a lay public

2015 SCTR Mentorship Training Symposium - "Mentoring for Team Science"
When: Friday, June 5th, 2015, 8:45 AM to 2:00 PM
Where: Drug Discovery Building, Room 110
Registration deadline: Tuesday, May 26, 2015
http://tinyurl.com/l9l7v6f

ACCEL Community Engaged, "ACE" Research Awards
Informational Webinar Recorded Session
http://tinyurl.com/ldsbp2a

**Maralynne D. Mitcham Interprofessional Fellowship for Faculty and Staff:** Call for applications

**What:** The purpose of the Fellowship is to prepare university faculty and staff to successfully assume new roles in interprofessional education, research, practice, and/or administration. The program seeks to foster a new generation of people who demonstrate interprofessional competencies that span multiple disciplines and contexts. Further, the fellowship strives to enrich collaborative learning experiences and scholarship, thereby supporting a deeper level of interprofessional engagement and integration. A cohort of 2 fellows per year for a 12-month experience will be selected, each of whom will receive a $5,000 stipend.

**Deadline for applications:** 5:00 PM, June 12, 2015.

**Contact:** Mary Mauldin (mauldinm@musc.edu) for additional information and application

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**2016 WSI Eminent Scholar Award Call for Nominations**

**What:** The Women Scholars Initiative (WSI) for the Advancement, Recruitment, and Retention of Women (ARROW) is seeking nominations for the 2016 WSI Eminent Scholar Award. The purpose of the WSI Eminent Scholar Award is to recognize nationally renowned female sciences, clinicians, scholars and leaders who have made major impacts in their field. We are seeking nominations from across all disciplines.

**Contact:** Please send nominations of qualified women scientists and scholars to Megan McDonough (mcdonough@musc.edu) by June 1, 2015.

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