Project Title:

Exploring increases in confidence and changes in identity following participation in the John Curtin Leadership Academy (JCLA) Program.

You are being asked to take part in a research study on the effect the John Curtin Leadership Academy (JCLA) had on your confidence, the development of your leadership identity and behaviour.

In this study you will be asked to complete an online survey, which should take approximately 20 minutes. This contains questions that will ask you to reflect on your JCLA experience and investigate any changes in yourself that have occurred.

You will also have the opportunity to participate in short interviews to further explore the impact of your experience in JCLA. These questions may also aid your personal reflection and self-awareness of the benefits of the program.

Participation is voluntary and participants can withdraw at any time.

It is envisaged that the results will help inform future program development by providing a deeper understanding of student leadership identity development.

Confidentiality

The data we collect do not contain any personal information about you except your student number. We will de-identify your data from your student number and store it separately. You will not be personally identifiable in any reporting or publications. No one will link the data you provided to the identifying information you supplied (e.g., name, address, email). Data may be presented in aggregate at conferences, reporting or publications.

For further information:

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This study has been approved by the Curtin University Human Research Ethics Committee (Approval Number HR xx/2013). The Committee is comprised of members of the public, academics, lawyers, doctors and pastoral carers. If needed, verification of approval can be obtained either by writing to the Curtin University Human Research Ethics Committee, c/- Office of Research and Development, Curtin University, GPO Box U1987, Perth, 6845 or by telephoning 9266 2784 or by emailing hrec@curtin.edu.au