

Maine NEW Leadership™

June 1 – June 6, 2017

Thursday, June 1

9:30– 10:45am	Students check-in <i>Greeters: Kim Moody</i>	Woolley Rm.
11:00–Noon	Welcome and Introductions Jonathan Rubin , Director, Margaret Chase Smith Policy Center, UM Introduction of Maine NEW Leadership Staff: Mary Cathcart , Program Director Jill Duson (FIR) Portland City Councilor and FIR 2009 Alison Sucy (FIR) Real Estate Development Consultant and FIR (2009, 2015) Abby Roche & Marie-Laurence(Laurie) Georges , Interns Dana Carver-Bialer; Susan D’Angelo Program Coordinators	Woolley Rm.
Noon– 12:45pm	Lunch Welcome Videos from members of Maine’s Congressional Delegation	Woolley Rm.
1:00-2:30 pm	Public Speaking Workshop Facilitator: Michelle Michaud , Lecturer, Dept. of Communication, UNH	Woolley Rm.
2:30-3:00pm	Break	Woolley Rm.
3:00–4:15pm	Introduction to Women and Politics <i>(Past, Present and Future)</i> Presenters: Posie Cowan , Divorce Mediator, Bangor District Court, and great granddaughter of a suffragist Dana Carver-Bialer , Doctoral Candidate	Woolley Rm.
4:15-4:30pm	Break and Icebreaker (Laurie & Abby)	Woolley Rm.
4:30pm	Walk to Hill Auditorium	
4:45-5:30pm	Women and Public Leadership <u>Moderator: Cary Olson-Cartwright</u> , Unum Asst. Vice Pres, CSR Mary Cathcart , former State Senator & NEWL Program Director <u>Faculty in Residence (FIRS):</u> Jill Duson , Portland City Councilor Alison Sucy , Real Estate Development Consultant	Hill Auditorium, 165 Barrows
5:45-6:00	Break	
6:00-6:30pm	Pizza Dinner	Woolley Rm.
6:30pm	Screening of film “NextStepRun!” by Maine film maker Pamela Maus	Woolley Rm
7:00pm	Ice Cream Sundaes	Woolley Rm
7:30-8:00pm	Post film discussion with Pamela Maus	Woolley Rm

Friday, June 2

8:15am	Breakfast	Woolley Rm.
9:00-9:30am	Icebreaker and Break <i>(outside if weather permits)</i>	Woolley Rm.
9:30-11:00am	Why You Should Run for Office <u>Moderator:</u> Rebecca Wyke , Vice Chancellor, University of Maine System <u>Panelists:</u> Beverly Uhlenhake , Brewer City Councilor Jane Sexton , former State Representative (FIR 2012) Maulian Dana Smith , Penobscot Nation Tribal Councilor Meredith Strang Burgess , CEO Burgess Advertising, former State Representative	Woolley Rm.
11:00-11:15	Break	Woolley Rm.
11:15–12:45pm	Leadership as a Lifelong Practice <u>Facilitators:</u> Dr. Rich Powell , Professor, Political Science, UM	Woolley Rm.
1:00–2:00pm	Lunch	Woolley Rm.
2:00-2:45pm	Break and change for reception	
2:45–3:00pm	Walk to Wells Conference Center	
3:00-4:00pm	Making Connections: Networking Workshop <u>Facilitator:</u> Emily Cain , Chief Strategy Officer, HistoryIT, former State Representative & Senator	Wells
4:00–5:15pm	GROUP & INDIVIDUAL PHOTOS , taken by Zhen Zhang	Wells
5:30–6:15pm	Networking Reception	Wells Atrium
6:15–7:15pm	Dinner <u>Welcome:</u> Sharon Barker , Director Emerita, Women’s Resource Center, UM Allyson Eslin , 2015 NEWL graduate Karen Kemble, Esq. University of Maine Foundation	Wells
7:30pm	Keynote Address: Introduction: Shelbe Moore , Esq, 2012 NEWL Graduate & 2015 Intern <u>Presenter:</u> Dean Danielle Conway, Esq. University of Maine School of Law	Wells

Saturday, June 3

8:00am	Breakfast <i>How a bill becomes a law (FIRS)</i>	Woolley Room
9:00–10:00am	Political Action Project Assignment Topic: <i>(An Act to Improve Science and Engineering Education for Maine’s Students)</i> Introduction: Dana Carver-Bialer Abby Roche & Marie-Laurence (Laurie) Georges <u>Action Project Group Advisors:</u> Jill Duson (FIR), Portland City Councilor Alison Sucy (FIR), Real Estate Development Consultant Shelbe Moore, Esq. , 2012 NEWL Graduate Sarah Nichols , Bangor City Councilor Gabi Berube-Pierce , Disability Rights Maine Attorney Group A – Proponents testifying before the Education and Cultural Affairs Committee Group B – Proponents presenting a press conference Group C – Opponents testifying before the Education and Cultural Affairs Committee Group D – Opponents presenting a press conference Group E – Members of the Education and Cultural Affairs Committee and of the media	Woolley Room
10:00–10:45am	Political Action Project groups meet	Great Halls
11:00am– 12:30pm	Crafting a Message <u>Presenter:</u> Kathy Kilrain del Rio , Maine Women’s Lobby & Maine Women’s Policy Center	Woolley Room
12:30–1:30pm	Lunch (working)	Woolley Room
1:30–3:00pm	Action Project group work	TBA
3:00–3:30pm	Walk to Hill Auditorium (165 Barrows Hall)	
3:30–5:00pm	Consulting with Policy Experts <u>Moderator:</u> Pamela Proulx-Curry , Dean UMA-Bangor <u>Panelists:</u> Amber Hathaway , Ph.D. Candidate & 2010 NEWL Graduate Rachelle Tome , Chief Academic Officer, Maine Dept. of Education	Hill Auditorium, 165 Barrows
5:00	Return to Woolley Room	
5:15–6:15pm	Dinner	Woolley Room
7:30pm	Movie Night/Social Hour (popcorn)	Woolley Room
	Reminder for Sunday: Mosque Etiquette- dress modestly. <u>NO</u> shorts, short skirts, tank tops	TBA

Sunday, June 4

8:30-9:30am	Breakfast	Woolley Rm.
9:30-9:45am	Session Overview & Presenter Introductions Shelly Chase-Johndro , Director, Project Reach, UM	Woolley Rm.
9:45-10:00am	Privilege Free Write Activity Dr. Melissa Ladenheim , Associate Dean of UM Honors College	Woolley Rm.
10:00-12:00pm	Privilege Walk and Lists Shelly Chase-Johndro , Director, Project Reach, UM Marc Cryer , Director, Bureau of Labor Education, UM	Woolley Rm.
12:00-12:30	Paul Bloom TED Talk: “Can Prejudice Ever be a Good Thing?” Marc Cryer , Director, Bureau of Labor Education, UM	Woolley Rm.
12:30-1:30pm	Lunch	Woolley Rm.
1:30-4:15pm	The Islamic Center of Maine: Introduction, Travel to, Visit, Return Travel and Group Discussion, Reflection & Debriefing Dr. Melissa Ladenheim , Associate Dean of UM Honors College Marc Cryer , Director, Bureau of Labor Education, UM	Woolley Rm.
4:00-6:00	Free time	
6:00pm	Dinner at Margarita’s Mexican Restaurant	

Monday, June 5

7:00am	Breakfast <i>Board the bus at 7:45pm</i>	Woolley Rm.
8:00am	Bus leaves for Augusta (watch “Miss Representation”)	
9:30–9:45am	Bus drop off at State Capitol	State House
10:00–10:20am	Welcome Terry Hayes , State Treasurer and greetings from Legislators	Welcome Center
10:30am–11:15am	Observe House and Senate	House & Senate Chamber
11:30am–12:30pm	Influencing Public Policy <u>Moderator:</u> Rebekah Smith , former Co-Director NEWL <u>Panelist:</u> Muriel Mosher , President, Maine MEP Eliza Townsend , Exec. Director of Maine Women’s Lobby & Policy Center Carol Woodcock , State Office Representative for Sen. Susan Collins	Cross Room 103AB
12:30–1:15pm	Lunch	Cross Room 103AB
1:15-2:00pm	Free Time	
2:00-3:30pm	Making a Difference in your Community <u>Moderator:</u> Dean Joyce Gibson , Lewiston-Auburn College <u>Panelist:</u> Hawo Abdille , Community Relations Coordinator, Lewiston Public School Penthea Burns , Senior Policy Associate: CYF, USM & Co-Director Maine-Wabanaki Reach Pamela Cummings , Pres. Board of Directors of the Abyssinian Meeting House & Dir. of Education Jacynthe Jacques , Dir. of Cultural & Language Programs Franco American Center, Lewiston Ann Pollard-Ranco , Gedakina Staff & UMaine Student	Cross Room 103AB
3:45pm-4:30pm	Bus departs for Skowhegan	
4:30pm	Margaret Chase Smith Library in Skowhegan Dr. David Richards , Director and MCSL Staff: remarks and tour Guests: Maine higher education leaders	MCS Library
5:30pm	Barbecue	MCS Library
6:45pm	Bus Departs for Orono	
8:00pm	Complete Action Project Assignments	

Tuesday, June 6

8:00–8:30am	Breakfast	Woolley Room
8:30-9:00am	NEW Leadership Evaluation, Postcards, Thank you notes	
9:00–11:00am	Action Project Presentations	Woolley Room
11:00–11:45am	Action Project discussion and debriefing	Woolley Room
11:45am–12:30pm	Lunch <i>NOW WHAT! Resources for Continuing Leadership Opportunities</i>	Woolley Room
12:30pm	Walk to Hill Auditorium	
12:45–1:45pm	NEW Leadership Alumnae Panel: <u>Moderator:</u> Samantha Paradis , <i>class of 2012</i> <u>Panelists:</u> (NEWL Alumnae): Abby Bennett , <i>class of 2016</i> Allyson Eslin , <i>class of 2015</i> Marie-Laurence Georges , <i>class of 2015, NEWL intern</i> Sarah Skillin Woodard , <i>class of 2009</i>	Hill Auditorium, 165 Barrows
1:45-2:15pm	Break	Hill Auditorium
2:30–3:30pm	NEW Leadership Graduation <u>Welcome:</u> Dr. Emily Haddad , Dean, Liberal Arts and Sciences, UM <u>Remarks:</u> Jeanne Hulit , President, Village Candle Company Dr. Mazie Hough , Director, Women’s, Gender, and Sexuality Studies Program, UM	Woolley Room
3:30–4:00pm	Pack, clean room, return room keys and sign out with receptionist at counter, & depart	DTAV