QELi’s Tomorrow’s School Leaders program is a 12-month practical program that will develop your capacity to lead effective teaching and learning, lead self and others, and lead improvement, innovation, and reform.

It will also help develop your understanding of working within a particular community and understanding cultural contexts, in particular, indigenous.

Through face-to-face interactions, experiential and problem-based learning, case studies and action research, the program is delivered flexibly, catering to the needs and priorities of individual participants.

**Who should attend**

QELi’s Tomorrow’s School Leaders program is suited for high-performing junior, deputy, assistant and associate principals (and equivalent) who aspire to the position of principal.

**Program features**

- Two day face-to-face with an experienced facilitator/coach
- Pre-reading online preparation
- Engagement in activities using a research-based model of adult learning principles
- Working with like-minded teachers to enhance learning outcomes.

“...It gave me an opportunity to work with like-minded educators, unpack approaches to leadership, and strengthened my knowledge of myself as a leader, to think about what I want to do differently.”

2015 Tomorrow’s School Leaders program participant
Program outline

Phase 1: Program preparation
- Self-assessment audit
- Individual learning plan
- Readings
- Reflective learning journal
- Online community

Phase 2: Four day face-to-face workshop
- Individual learning plan
- Readings
- Reflective learning journal
- Assessment tasks

Phase 3: On the job application
- Action research
- Online collegial tutorials
- Readings
- Reflective learning journal
- One-to-one coaching sessions

Phase 4: 2 day face to face workshop
- Reflection, sharing and celebration
- Readings
- Reflective learning journal
- Assessment tasks

Phase 5: Moving forward
- Action plan
- Reflective learning journal
- Readings
- Online collegial tutorials
- One-to-one mentoring

You will
- Develop your strategic thinking skills
- Network collegially
- Improve your operational management skills
- Advance your personal leadership capabilities
- Extend your cultural awareness and capacity building skills.

At a glance

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Message from Dr Stephen Brown

“The Queensland Education Leadership Institute is delighted to be partnering with Charles Darwin University to deliver these outstanding programs designed specifically for school leaders in the Northern Territory.

Education in the Northern Territory is on the cusp of great change. As pressures to improve educational outcomes gather momentum; as interaction between schools and the community develop increasing sophistication; as authority and accountability are being devolved to the school community level - educational leadership becomes even more complex.

These outstanding programs are based on years of research and development on leadership and what we know works – but they make no assumptions and are flexible and tailored specifically to the needs of individual school leaders and their contexts. We are thrilled to be delivering these programs with Charles Darwin University that will build professional and leadership capability in Northern Territory education – and ultimately get the best outcome for students and their communities.”

Further information

For more information about this program, please visit the Centre for School Leadership at Charles Darwin University website [www.cslld.edu.au/programs](http://www.cslld.edu.au/programs)