



2012 WLT II: Toolbox for Leaders

This track has been designed from the NEA Women's Leadership Training Program that was created in the late 1970's. PSEA's WLT has been refined to meet the specific needs of our PSEA members. *WLT II: Toolbox for Leaders* consists of four modules geared to our members who have had some Association Leadership experience and builds on the knowledge and skills gained from *WLT I: Skills for Emerging Leaders*. WLT II participants will benefit both personally and professionally as this track will equip them with knowledge and skills to emerge as a more confident and capable leader. Participants will commit to 9.5 hours of training during the weekend with the first session beginning at 6:45 Friday evening and will experience the following course modules: 1) Stress Awareness; 2) Assertive Communication; 3) Group Decision Making; and 4) Time Management. Participants in this session will be able to move forward more confidently in active participation within their own Associations. The maximum number of participants for the WLT is 30 people.

WOMEN'S LEADERSHIP TRAINING AGENDA

(Note: There are some slight variations between this WLT agenda and that of the MLT Conference. Participants of the Women's Leadership Training must commit to the entire 9.5 hours of training and follow the agenda below.)

Friday, March 16

4:00 – 6:30 p.m.	Women's Leadership Training II (WLT) – Conference Registration
5:00 – 6:30 p.m.	UniServ Info. Session
6:45 – 7:50 p.m.	WLT – Session I
8:00 – 9:00 p.m.	Welcome/Remarks/ Keynote Speaker
9:00 – 10:00 p.m.	WLT – Session II
10:00 – 11:00 p.m.	Hospitality (last hour)

Saturday, March 17

8:30 – 11:10 a.m.	WLT – Session III
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Saturday, March 17 (cont.)

11:15 a.m. – 12:45 p.m.	Student Performance/Lunch
1:00 – 4:15 p.m.	WLT – Sessions IV and V
6:15 – 6:45 p.m.	Cocktail Hour
6:45 – 8:00 p.m.	Heritage Pride Dinner*
8:00 p.m. – 12 midnight	Social with DJ

Sunday, March 18

8:30 – 10:00 a.m.	WLT – Session VI
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**Heritage Pride Dinner – Join us in honoring our cultural heritage. On Saturday, March 17, come to dinner dressed in the traditional attire of your ancestors.*

WLT II: TOOLBOX FOR LEADERS participants are invited to attend the Minority Leadership Training Conference offerings listed above in green that do not conflict with the WLT sessions. For your convenience, those offerings have been included in the agenda above.

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EveLyn Smith:

EveLyn is a 24-year veteran who teaches grade six in the Stroudsburg Area School District. For the past two years she's served on PSEA's Women's Leadership Training Cadre. She is an active association member holding local and state committee positions as Minority Affairs Chair (SAEA), vice-chair of PSEA's Intergroup Relations Council, and a recent appointment to NE Region's Council V. In addition, she trains for NEA's Bullying and Sexual Harassment Prevention and Intervention Program. EveLyn loves teaching children and helping adult learners recognize and achieve their goals.

Tracey L. Hart:

Tracey lives in Franklin, Pennsylvania with her husband Timothy and two sons, Michael and Jordan. She serves as secretary for PSEA – Northwestern Region, as well as Vice Chair of the state Leadership Development Committee. During her 22 years as a member of Franklin Area Education Association, she served in various positions ranging from Building Representative to President of the Association. The first nine years of her career Tracey taught Learning Support. For the past 13 years she has had the privilege of teaching Third Grade, which she believe is the best job in the world!

Regina Jones:

Regina has been teaching secondary English in the Big Beaver Falls Area School District for 16 years. During her tenure there she has served as a building rep and communications person for her local. Regina has also served PSEA as the Midwestern Region Communications Co-chair for the past 8 years and as an ACE assigned to State Representative Jim Marshall. In 2007, she was selected, out of 400 applicants to be one of 24 teachers from across the nation to participant in the Toyota International Education program in the Galapagos Island.

Regina is married to the Chief of Police for the city of Beaver Falls. She has a son that is presently serving our country in Dubai as an Air Force Security Police officer and a daughter who is an artist.