

NEW Leadership Texas

June 8 - 12, 2025

Center for Women in Government

Jane Nelson Institute for Women's Leadership

Texas Woman's University

Denton, TX

Full Schedule

Time	Title	Location
Day 1	Sunday, June 8	
1:00 PM - 4:00 PM	Move-In at Residence Hall	TBD
4:30 PM - 6:00 PM	Program Orientation, Icebreakers, Surveys, Student Sign Up for Speaker Intro, & Logistics <ul style="list-style-type: none">Marlene Phillips, Center for Women in Government Director	OMB Training Rm 257
6:00 PM - 7:00 PM	Dinner	Dining Hall
7:00 PM - 8:30 PM	Political Action Project Intro and Group Assignments <ul style="list-style-type: none">Dr. Jennifer Danley Scott, Faculty in Residence, Center for Women in Government	OMB Training Rm 257
Day 2	Monday, June 9	
8:00 AM - 9:00 AM	Breakfast	Dining Hall
9:00 AM - 10:00 AM	Media Literacy <ul style="list-style-type: none">Laura Santana, Program Coordinator, Center for Women in Government	OMB Training Rm 257
10:00 AM - 10:15 AM	Break	
10:15 AM - 11:15 AM	Networking 101	OMB Training Rm 257
11:15 AM - 12:30 PM	Protocol & Etiquette Luncheon	TBD
12:45 PM - 2:15 PM	Legislative Process	OMB Training Rm 257
2:15 PM - 2:30 PM	Break	

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2:30 PM - 3:30 PM	Sue S. Bancroft Women's Leadership Hall Tour <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Diana Garcia, Outreach Manager, Center for Women in Government Elizabeth Qualia, Curator, Sue S. Bancroft Women's Leadership Hall 	OMB SSBWLH
3:30 PM - 5:00 PM	Staffers Panel - Getting your first (and last) job on the campaign, district staff, or Capitol office <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Sina Tidwell, Communications Director Rep. Patterson - confirmed 	CFO Rm 204
5:00 PM - 8:30 PM	Dinner and project work	
Day 3	Tuesday, June 10	
8:00 AM - 9:00 AM	Breakfast	Dining Hall
9:00 AM - 10:30 AM	Advocacy Training <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Dr. Jennifer Danley Scott, Faculty in Residence, Center for Women in Government 	CFO Rm 204
10:30 AM - 10:45 AM	Break	
10:45 AM - 12:15 PM	Policy Roundtables - participants will move from table to table and learn from policy experts	OMB Training Rm 257
12:15 PM - 1:15 PM	Lunch	
1:15 PM - 5:00 PM	Action project work	
5:00 PM - 6:00 PM	Dinner	
6:15 PM - 8:15 PM	Action project presentations <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Participants 	OMB Training Rm 257
Day 4	Wednesday, June 11	
6:00 AM	Depart TWU campus - Breakfast tacos en route	
10:30 AM - 10:45 AM	Arrive Capitol Complex - Met by <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Kevin Crusier, TWU Legislative Director 	
10:45 AM - 11:45 AM	State House Tour	

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11:45 AM - 1:00 PM	Lunch and Panel	
1:00 PM - 2:30 PM	Legislator Office Visits	
2:30 PM - 2:45 PM	Photo Capitol steps	
2:45 PM - 3:00 PM	Board bus and depart Capitol Complex	
7:00 PM	Arrive TWU campus Denton	
7:00 PM - 9:00 PM	Pizza and a movie – Options include <i>On the Basis of Sex</i> or <i>Shirley</i>	TBD
Day 5	Thursday, June 12	
8:00 AM - 10:00 AM	Breakfast & Room Check Out	Dining Hall
10:00 AM - 11:30 AM	Life After NEW Leadership – How to stay involved and active <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Justice Hilda Tagle - confirmed 	OMB Training Rm 257
11:30 AM - 12:30 PM	Lunch and Program Evaluation	OMB Training Rm 257
12:30 PM	Farewell	