

Women's Leadership Institute
A Program in Applied Spirituality
2017-18

The Women's Leadership Institute at Hartford Seminary is an experience-based certificate program that enables participants to develop and strengthen leadership skills while exploring a feminist perspective in religion and society.



Program Components

The Women's Leadership Institute consists of:

- nine monthly seminars
- a cross-cultural immersion experience
- a project in leadership

Core to the program is a guided analysis of content, personal and group reflection on experience, informative and evocative reading, deepening a sense of community, and integrating rituals and prayer. Participants also may opt to audit an additional seminary course within the two-year period from September 2017 through summer 2019.

Schedule

The monthly seminar will meet Friday evening (6:00 – 9:00 p.m.) and all day Saturday (9:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.) on the following days:

2017

September 22-23

October 27-28

November 17-18

December 15-16

2018

January 26-27

February 23-24

March 23-24

April 13-14

May 4-5

Miriam Therese Winter, *Director WLI*
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Cost of Certificate Program

Cost of the nine-month program \$1600

This cost covers tuition (\$1500) and a hospitality fee (\$100) for beverages and snacks at all seminars, a supper at the opening seminar, and lunch during the Saturday sessions.

Hartford Seminary requires an application fee (\$40) due at the time of admission and a graduation fee (\$65). If you are already enrolled in a Hartford Seminary certificate or degree program, the application fee does not apply. **A payment plan is available on request.**

Graduate Credit Option

Program for 6 graduate credits \$4350 (approx. cost)

Enrollment for graduate credit requires baccalaureate degree or its educational equivalent. The bonus course may also be taken for three graduate credits by paying an additional charge.

Scholarships

Limited financial aid is available for those otherwise unable to participate in the program.

Program Prerequisites and Admission

There are no academic prerequisites for admission to the program at the certificate level. Required of all candidates are an openness to the feminist perspective in religions and society and a willingness to honor diverse points of view. The admission process is administered through the WLI office.

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