

LGLA 2018

Light the Torch and Lead

Communication • Building Relationships • Public Service
*Partnering with Lafourche Commission on Women
and
Louisiana Legislative Women's Caucus*

Louisiana Center for Women
in Government and Business
at Nicholls State University
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**Apply by
April 1**



**June 10 – 14, 2018
@ Nicholls State University**

**Celebrity Keynotes
Four nights in university housing
Tour of the State Capitol
Lunch at the Governor's Mansion
Networking Dinner with the 1st Among
Louisiana Women in Public Service
Closing Reception (parents invited)**

To apply visit: www.louisianawomen.org

LOUISIANA GIRLS LEADERSHIP ACADEMY

For girls entering 9th-12th grades

LGLA program focus:

1. Communication
2. Situational leadership
3. Public service and responsible citizenship
4. Current issues in Louisiana public policy



Application checklist:

1. Letter of recommendation from teacher, staff or community leader.
2. Resume with extracurricular activities (2016-present) and GPA.
3. Student essay "Why I should be a leader selected for LGLA"
4. Online application with an \$80 fee.

*Actual cost of \$1500 per participant will be paid for by LCWGB & partners.



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Featured Speakers

- **"Holden On" Movie** – Based on a true story, director, Tamlin Hall will premiere the movie and talk about teenage suicide prevention. Lead actor, Matt Fahey and supporting actor Bear Badeaux will meet with participants as well.
- **Cameron Richard** – American Idol Contestant 2016
- **Energy Service Project** – Felicia Frederick, Chevron, Manager (SE Region) Government Affairs; Mike Gautreaux, Nicholls, Executive Director, Petroleum Engineering Tech. and Safety Management
- **ABC's of Running for Office** – Dr. Laura Badeaux, President, Lafourche Commission on Women and Director, Louisiana Center for Women in Government and Business; Suzanne Troxclair, Houma-Thibodaux Diocese Superintendent
- **Leaders in Action** – Luci Sposito, Chair, Lafourche Parish Council; Wendy Thibodeaux, Lafourche Parish Assessor; Annette Fontana, Lafourche Parish Clerk of Court
- **Motivation and Team Building Session** – Steve Morgan, President, New Directions of the Future
- **Workforce Development/Luncheon at Governor's Mansion in Baton Rouge** – with First Lady Donna Edwards
- **"I Am That Girl"** – Alexis Jones, international recognized public speaker, author and media personality
- **Conquering the Camera, Communication: The Necessity of Skilled Perception and Improvisation** – Los Angeles Improv Actors for IO West, Comedy Club and Southern Rivers Productions. Bear Badeaux and Crystal Rivers
- **Women of Power Dinner (Insights into Making Your Own Opportunities)** – with 1st Among Louisiana Women in Public Service and Business Dr. Rebekah Gee, Director, Louisiana Health and Hospitals; Genny May, First Woman U.S. Marshall in Louisiana
- **Closing Ceremonies** with Public Service Project Presentation & LGLA Ambassador Election Results (parents invited)

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