



Presidential Data Analytics Fellows Program

From Data to Decisions: Empowering LSU Leaders for Success

The Presidential Data Analytics Fellows Program is an innovative, year-long initiative tailored for mid-level administrators and staff at Louisiana State University that aims to empower them with data analytics skills to enhance decision-making processes. Hosted by the Office of Data and Strategic Analytics (ODSA), this comprehensive program offers professional development and training in data analytics within higher education.

PROGRAM OVERVIEW

The Presidential Data Analytics Fellows Program is more than just a professional development opportunity; it is a catalyst for institutional change. By empowering university staff with the knowledge and tools to leverage data analytics, it paves the way for enhanced decision-making, operational efficiency, and a cohesive, data-informed university culture.

This program is ideally suited for mid-level university administrators and staff members interested in:

- Enhancing their strategic decision-making capabilities
- Acting as ambassadors within their respective units, promoting a culture that values data-informed strategies
- Collaborating across departments and administrative units to break down silos and drive university-wide improvements

Participants will be introduced to a broad range of topics, including but not limited to:

- Data Literacy & Analysis
- Data Integration in Decisions
- Data Collection Strategies
- Leadership in Data Practices
- Leveraging Data Analytics Tools

MEETINGS AND TIME COMMITMENT

- **Summer Institute: June 2024 (16 hrs)** The program launches with a Summer Institute consisting of four half-day sessions filled with professional development and networking activities to introduce participants to the fundamentals of data analytics.
- **Monthly Meetings: July 2024-May 2025 (2hrs/month)** To provide continuous learning opportunities and professional development, participants will engage in monthly meetings.
- **Capstone Showcase:** The program concludes with a capstone showcase where fellows will present a collaborative project that leverages data to address a problem within their departments.

FELLOWSHIP STIPEND

Participants will be awarded a \$500 stipend for their active involvement.

NOMINATION AND SELECTION

Interested candidates can nominate themselves with supervisor approval or be nominated by their supervisors. The nomination form can be accessed by scanning or clicking the QR code. The deadline for nominations is **March 29, 2024**.



If you have any questions, please contact the Office of Data and Strategic Analytics at lsudata@lsu.edu.

