

Certificate in School Management and Leadership

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Lead a High-Performing School

In 2021–2022, all CSML courses will be offered in October, February, June & July. Specific dates can be found on the CSML website.

Leading Change

Gain the skills needed to successfully drive school change and help diverse stakeholders establish priorities and improve practice.

Leading School Strategy & Innovation

Develop the skills to take a strategic approach to identifying challenges, analyzing the cause, incorporating innovation and driving whole school improvement.

Leading People

Learn to recruit, develop, retain, and inspire outstanding individuals and teams to deliver on the vision of the school.

Leading Learning

Create the systems and practices that build strong learning communities focused on standards-based excellence in every classroom.



With these courses, you're examining 'How can I shift the way people think?' I came away with research-based strategies I could immediately use [...] While the coursework through the CSML program provided the structure and rationale for highly effective leadership, the access to a cadre of exceptional leaders from across the world was equally beneficial as we continue to connect and navigate these challenges together."

— Aubree M., Principal, Peoria, Arizona

CSML By the Numbers:



14,000+ Total Enrollments



125

Countries & Territories Represented



54

U.S. States & Territories Represented



90%

Satisfaction Rating



97%

Completion Rate

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Join a Worldwide Community of School Leaders

Our flexible, interactive platform, powered by HBS Online, is designed to bring practitioners from around the world together in a dynamic learning experience. Build your knowledge and your network of fellow schools leaders.



World-class Harvard faculty research adapted to the PreK-12 school context



Develop a toolkit and solutions that are tailored to improving your school



100% online and interactive



Global peer network of school leaders



Features case studies of leaders from a diverse cross-section of schools and businesses



Select from four courses to develop your own learning sequence, taken at a pace that fits your schedule



The platform itself is marvelous, leading constant collaboration with colleagues. The varied way the material is presented, combined with a case study format as well as the requirement for personal professional reflection results in a deep understanding of the content. This is your chance to take an online class that will truly change the way you think and act...it is built that way. The combination of business and education leadership content is not only new and revolutionary but necessary and immediately useful.”

— Craig D., Assistant Principal, New York City Public Schools

What sets HBS Online apart?

Our flexible online programs are built around three key characteristics:



Active



Social



Case-based

“This program is exceptional. It provides exposure to real-world issues and real-world solutions, implemented and shared by current educational and business leaders.”

— Cindy S., Assistant Principal, Colorado Springs, Colorado

For additional information, contact our admissions team at ppe@gse.harvard.edu.