**The Leadership Academy Overview**

Over the course of 10 months, participants of the Exeter Leadership Academy will have access to specific speaker series that expose them to current or important topics in the leadership domain. This includes the Leading Edge series and online leadership talks delivered by Exeter scholars. These sessions will allow participants to reflect on their understanding and practicing leadership a structured setting.

Participants will be asked to self-assess their leadership skills and have the option to combine this with 360 feedback via the Exeter-developed platform TEXL. The platform’s breadth of different leadership behaviours and styles allows us to provide a focused and clear assessment of the current situation, while also providing information for both reflection and development needs.

**The Schedule:**

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| Month | Type | Topic | Length and who |
| 20th October 2023  10.00-11.30 | ExCL session | Introduction to the Exeter Leadership Academy | 1.5 hours  (Dr. Michelle Mahdon, Prof. Andreas Wihler) |
| 16th November 2023 10.00-11.30 | ExCL session | Dark Triad and Leadership | 1h plus Q&A, ExCL researcher (Prof. Andreas Wihler) |
| 28th November 2023 17.00-19.30 | Leading Edge series  (Sign up encouraged) | The arts, shaping a new purpose-driven leadership approach | Leading Edge seminar by Skinder Hundal, MBE. Register at: <https://business-school.exeter.ac.uk/edge-events-series/> |
| 8th December 2023  09.30-11.00 | ExCL session | Leadership in Practice I | 1h plus Q&A, ExCL researcher (Prof. Greg Allen) |
| 23rd January 2024 17.00-19.30 | Leading Edge series  (Sign up encouraged) | CEOs and their climate crisis blindspot | Dr Margaret Heffernan. Register at:  <https://business-school.exeter.ac.uk/edge-events-series/> |
| February 20, 2024 10.00-11.30 | ExCL session | Leadership in Practice II | 1h plus Q&A, ExCL researcher (Prof. Ciara Eastell) |
| March 7, 2024  17.00-19.30 | Leading Edge series  (Sign up encouraged) | Olympic success to a new understanding of high performance | Dr Cath Bishop. Register at:  <https://business-school.exeter.ac.uk/edge-events-series/> |
| April 25th 2024  10-11.30 | ExCL session | Leadership and Wellbeing | 1h plus Q&A, ExCL researcher (Prof. Ilke Inceoglu) |
| May 16th 2024  13.00-14.30 | ExCL session | Self-Leadership | 1h plus Q&A, ExCL researcher, (Dr. Inmaculada Adarves-Yorno) |
| May 24th 2024 | TEXL 360 feedback assessment (invitation sent out) | | |
| June 13th 2024  10.00-11.30 | ExCL session | The hideous effects of destructive leadership | 1h plus Q&A, ExCL researcher (Prof. Andreas Wihler) |

All ExCL Sessions are core to the programme and will take place online. These will not be recorded in-order to generate safe and open discussions.

Leading Edge Sessions are part of a larger expert speaker programme delivered by the Business School and are in person. Attendance is highly recommended, and registration required to attend.