

# EPFP SITE PROGRAM OVERVIEW

This EPFP site-level program overview describes the EPFP process, from intended goals, resources, curricula, to outcomes and legacy.

**Mission:** Education Policy Fellowship Program’s mission is to develop a diverse and collaborative community of strategic leaders for effective public policy.

**Vision:** Transform. Empower. Inspire.

GOALS	RESOURCES	CURRICULA	OUTCOMES	LEGACY
<p>EPFP will:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✓ Add value, improve, and expand Fellows’ understanding of effective education/public policy</li> <li>✓ Add value, improve, and expand Fellows’ strategic leadership capacity</li> <li>✓ Add value, improve, and expand Fellows’ capacity to build collaborative communities, professional relationships, and new, diverse networks</li> </ul>	<p>Resources provided at the EPFP site level include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✓ Host institutions</li> <li>✓ Local staff</li> <li>✓ National staff</li> <li>✓ Sponsoring agencies</li> <li>✓ Tuition/program fees</li> <li>✓ In-kind support</li> <li>✓ Outside funding</li> <li>✓ Speaker/facilitators</li> <li>✓ Alumni</li> </ul>	<p>Site specific 9-12 month curricula may include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✓ Orientation/retreats</li> <li>✓ Seminars</li> <li>✓ Leadership inventories</li> <li>✓ Policy projects</li> <li>✓ Book discussions</li> <li>✓ Simulations/role play</li> <li>✓ Site visits</li> <li>✓ Regional forums</li> <li>✓ Washington Policy Seminar</li> <li>✓ Graduation event</li> <li>✓ Outside-sponsored events</li> </ul>	<p>Outcomes that Fellows reach include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✓ Develop understanding of effective education/public policy and political processes</li> <li>✓ Enhance knowledge and use of leadership theory and skills</li> <li>✓ Increase access to and improve ability to partner with education/public policy stakeholders at local, state, and national levels</li> <li>✓ Engage in a collaborative community of strategic leaders</li> <li>✓ Connect to a lifelong professional alumni network</li> </ul>	<p>The program leaves the Fellows with:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✓ A sense of empowerment and engagement in the public policy processes</li> <li>✓ Greater awareness of system complexities</li> <li>✓ Transformed leadership capacity and enhanced leadership roles</li> <li>✓ Expanded networks of diverse education, community, and policy leaders</li> <li>✓ An inspiration to contribute in their organizations, communities, and beyond</li> </ul>
<p><i>Sponsoring agencies benefit through EPFP by having: a) professionals equipped to make dynamic, research-based contributions to policy and practice; b) better informed, more skilled professionals; c) professionals prepared to assume greater leadership responsibilities; and d) expanded professional networks.</i></p>				