Join our National District Leader Fellowship (NDLF)

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The National District Leader Fellowship is an intensive one-year program that empowers system level leaders to create greater impact in their communities focused on supporting all students to achieve at their fullest potential.

- Support the transformation in communities where all students are celebrated, treated with dignity, and their strengths are leveraged to empower authentic and individualized learning
- Close and eliminate the performance gap for diverse learners in the communities we serve
- Grow a pipeline of special education leaders—particularly educators of color
- Develop our own authentic voices and leadership skills

Program Details
- On-site summer intensive
- One-on-one individualized leadership coaching
- Virtual workshops
- Professional learning communities
- National school visits to exemplary programs
- On site school reviews
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Who is the National District Leader Fellowship for?
This cohort is designed for anyone leading the charge of leading an educational system at a network, district, or state level.

Why join the district fellowship?
This fellowship was created to support the transformation in communities where all students are celebrated, treated with dignity, and their strengths are leveraged to empower authentic and individualized learning; close and eliminate the performance gap for diverse learners in the communities we serve; grow and develop a pipeline of special education leaders - particularly educators of color; and constantly grow and develop our own authentic voices and leadership skills.

Who facilitates the training?
Every training is facilitated by our experienced programming team. Each of the programmatic staff members who will lead this were successful district staff members.

How many leaders are in each cohort?
Cohorts of leaders are between 8-12 leaders. We limit the number of leaders who may participate to allow teachers to have a cohort experience.

What’s the facilitator to participant ratio?
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How are training sessions delivered?
The Summer Experience, school reviews, and National School Visits are delivered in person. Training sessions and professional learning communities will be conducted over Zoom.

Will participants receive access to the materials?
Yes! Participants will receive relevant materials prior to each session. Leaders will also receive relevant and useful resources through our monthly newsletter.

Who can pay for a leader fellowship?
Leader Fellowships are designed to be paid for by schools, districts, charter management organizations, or groups that support education.

May I register for a cohort on my own?
National District Leader Fellows must have a reference who knows their body of work.

When do you offer workshops?
Cohorts are 1 year experiences beginning in July.

How much do cohorts cost?
The cohort experience costs $10,000. This includes travel, hotel accommodations, and food for the Summer Experience and Nation School Visits.

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<td>Do you provide continuing education credit hours? Currently, SELF does not provide continuing education credit hours for this cohort.</td>
<td>How should leaders extend the learning, after the training is over? Alumni may receive coaching from a SELF staff member following their two year experience.</td>
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<td>Do you provide certificates of completion? Yes, each leader will receive a certificate of completion.</td>
<td>I’d like to speak to a team member to learn more about the content–how do I do that? Of course. Send us an email at <a href="mailto:info@selfnola.org">info@selfnola.org</a> with your question, and we will respond shortly.</td>
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