The Chancellor’s First Year Student Leadership Program (CFYSLP) is now accepting nominations. The Program will accept 25 first year students and/or transfer students. The CFYSLP is a two-semester commitment of two hours per week on Mondays from 5:15-7:15 p.m.

**Purpose**

The Program seeks to identify and nurture a cohort of emerging leaders. The primary objective is to build a cadre of student leaders who are civic-minded, intellectually able, and professionally skilled, and who will become the community, business, and national leaders of the future. Participants will complete relevant seminars and workshops that address important leadership topics. In addition to the formal programming events, there will be arranged dinners and programs with both the Chancellor and Mrs. Woodson.

**Who is Eligible?**

Student participants are required to be in their first year at NC State. Transfer students are also welcome to apply. Students from historically under-represented groups, from rural areas and with a declared major in science, technology, engineering and mathematical fields are particularly encouraged to apply. However, all student majors are welcome to apply.

**How to Apply**

If you would like to nominate a student, please send your nominations to Dr. C. Ellen Washington, Assistant Director for Leadership and Scholar-in-Residence (cewashi2@ncsu.edu). All nominations should include the student’s name, email address, telephone number, declared major/minor and a one-page essay on why they are interested in the Leadership Program.

**Important Dates**

Recruitment for the CFYSLP will begin on Monday, September 1, 2014. The deadline for all nominations is Monday, October 20, 2014 at 5:00 p.m. The program will begin in January 2015 and conclude December 2015. Each applicant is required to participate in an interview process.

For more information about the CFYSLP, please email Dr. C. Ellen Washington at cewashi2@ncsu.edu or phone (919) 513-3137. The Chancellor’s First Year Student Leadership Program is a program of the NC State Women’s Center, a unit of the Office for Institutional Equity and Diversity.