

Edna Davis Hobbs California Student Leadership Institute

In 2006, the Ukleja Center for Ethical Leadership launched its signature program, the Edna Davis Hobbs California Student Leadership Institute. This two-semester course is designed to equip students with the transformational power of ethical leadership. Class participants have an opportunity to explore ethical issues related to business, government, education, media, healthcare, and other professional fields. The course enables students to discover their core values and build a strong ethical foundation upon which future decisions can be made. Teamwork, community service, and networking with guest speakers are integral parts of the program, which is held off-campus and hosted by local business leaders.

The service learning component has been a highlight of the program experience. In April 2007, student leaders volunteered at the Southern California Youth Correctional Center in Norwalk to provide inmates with training on applying for college and interviewing for jobs upon their release. In April 2008, students designed a service project for Camp Ronald McDonald for Good Times, a family camp in Mountain Center. They created workshops and activities for young cancer patients and their families.



Hobbs Students Volunteer at Camp Ronald McDonald for Good Times