

ADVANCE YOUR IGNATIAN LEADERSHIP

The Certificate in Jesuit Studies program is designed to provide a unique opportunity for participants to acquire a deeper understanding of the spirituality, history, pedagogy, and leadership methods of the Society of Jesus and its colleagues.

This graduate-level certificate program offers a blend of immersion travel and online courses to provide a distinctive experience for individuals desiring both a depth of knowledge and a set of leadership skills.

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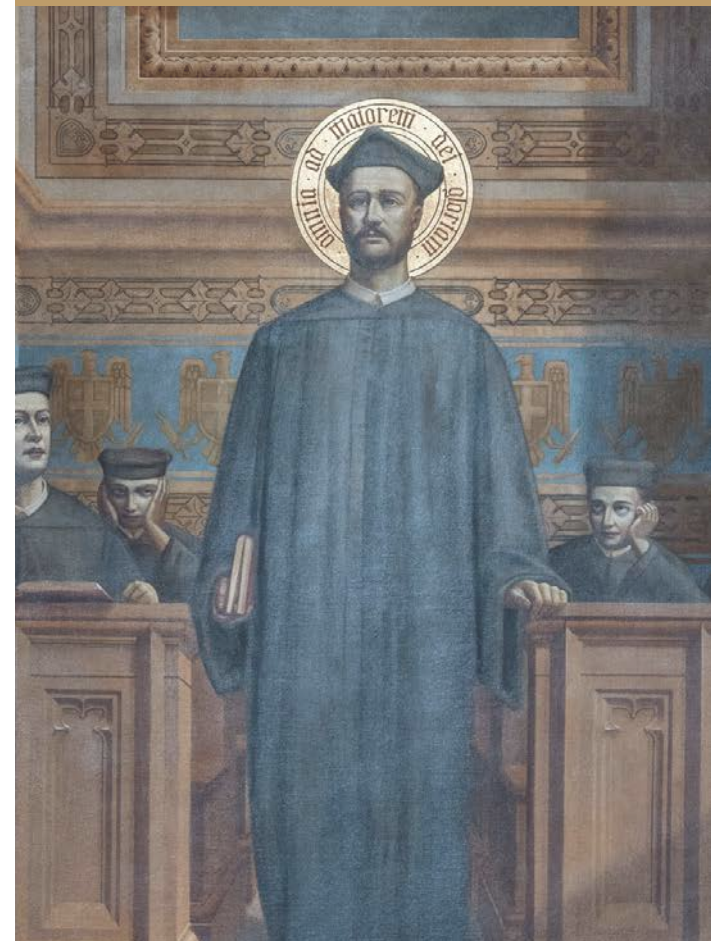


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AT A GLANCE

HOW MANY COURSES?

Certificate applicants must complete 5 of the approved courses for a total of 15 credits

CAN I USE MY ELECTIVES?

Yes, however, please consult with your academic advisor

HOW LONG WILL IT TAKE?

Participants may set their own pace for completing the program

WHAT IS THE PROGRAM'S FORMAT?

4 of the courses are offered fully online

All students must complete the hybrid immersion course to complete the certificate



JOHN SEBASTIAN, CERTIFICATE ALUMNUS
VICE PRESIDENT FOR MISSION & MINISTRY
LOYOLA MARYMOUNT UNIVERSITY

“Following in the footsteps of St. Ignatius and—through the courses and the unique leadership seminars... transformed my understanding of my work as an administrator at a Jesuit university.

Even more, the experiences have since empowered me to help my colleagues on campus grow in their own spirituality and sense of vocation as educators.”

REQUIRED COURSE:

» IN THE FOOTSTEPS OF LEADERS (IMMERSION COURSE)

The Institute offers a 12-day, guided immersion travel through Spain and Italy. This 3-credit hybrid immersion course examines the historical and spiritual contexts for the foundation of the Society of Jesus.

CHOOSE 4 MORE:

- » JESUIT PEDAGOGY
- » SOCIAL JUSTICE IN JESUIT CONTEXTS
- » HISTORY OF THE JESUITS
- » DISCERNMENT AND PRAYER IN THE SPIRITUAL EXERCISES OF ST. IGNATIUS
- » EMERGING LEADERS SEMINAR

WHAT DO CERTIFICATE RECIPIENTS GO ON TO DO?

Certificate recipients continue to be in a wide variety of institutions and positions such as:

- » Regis Jesuit High, Director of Admissions
- » Xavier High School, Headmaster
- » McQuaid Jesuit, Director of Ignatian Identity
- » Arrupe Jesuit High, Pastoral Director
- » Boston College, Associate Dean of Enrollment

HOW DO I APPLY AND ENROLL IN THE CERTIFICATE COURSES?

More information, including the course offerings by semester, is available on our website at: bc.edu/iajs

All interested students should contact the Associate Director of the Institute, Matthew Schweitzer at schweima@bc.edu.

