



**SOUTHWESTERN**  
COLLEGE  
PROFESSIONAL STUDIES

# OPERATIONAL LEADERSHIP



## Undergraduate Certificate

Students who earn the Operational Leadership Certificate develop foundational knowledge and skills in decision-making and strategic leadership strategies that may be applied to multiple business settings.

### Practical Application

Hands-on experience

### 15 Credit Hours

Complete in as little as 8 months

### No Prerequisites

Streamlined admissions process

### Stackable

Transfer credits toward a Strategic Leadership bachelor's degree at SC

## About Southwestern College

Southwestern College Professional Studies offers practical online degree programs focused on an enhanced learner experience, provided by a regionally accredited, 130+ year old non-profit institution. Each learner can expect: hands-on counselors to help you navigate your program requirements; generous transfer credits to reduce your overall cost and time to completion; progressive, nationally recognized programs; accessible student resources to minimize the stress of degree completion; and small class sizes with experienced, practicing faculty to facilitate interaction and ensure your academic success.



# Undergraduate Certificate in Operational Leadership

## Core Requirements

- STL307 Leadership Theories and Practical Applications
- OMGT320 Managing Group Dynamic
- BSAD415 Negotiation and Conflict Resolution
- STL420 Forecasting and Leading Change
- STL 430 Multi-Cultural Perspectives and Global Trends

## Program Description

The Operational Leadership Certificate is designed for individuals interested in developing leadership strategies to assist organizations with the multiple challenges of leading in today's global society. Students are introduced to leadership strategies in the areas of multi-cultural relationships, negotiating, and forecasting. Successful completion of the Operational Leadership Certificate prepares the student to take a proactive role in strategic leadership and decision-making.

## Admission Requirements

Anyone interested in completing the Certificate in Operational Leadership may complete a Southwestern College Professional Studies Application for Admission. The five courses comprising the Operational Leadership Certificate can be completed in eight months or less and there are no prerequisites.

Individuals completing the Operational Leadership Certificate at Southwestern College may apply these 15 multi-discipline credit hours toward a B.S. in Strategic Leadership degree offered by Southwestern College Professional Studies.

The Operational Leadership Certificate is offered in an online format. Courses are delivered in six-week sessions to allow maximum flexibility for busy professionals.