

A CENTER FOR 21ST
CENTURY LEADERSHIP

*Where the wisdom of the past,
present, and future of
leadership comes together for
the dignity and benefit of all.*

Who We Work With

We work with leaders and teams in organizations to enhance their capacities for engagement, collaboration, and generative outcomes.

We also offer programs for children, teens, and adults to evoke more of their innate leadership potential for more success in school, career, relationships, and community.

In the process, we nurture a reverence for all sentient life, along with awareness of its inherent wisdom.

First Nature Foundation

*"Never does
nature say one
thing and wisdom
another."
-Juvenal*

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FIRST NATURE
RANCH



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Why Leadership?

63 %

of millennials say they lack leadership experience



80%

of employees consider emotional intelligence crucial for developing their careers



Teams with high engagement experience

- 37% less absenteeism (on average)
- 21% higher productivity
- 10% increase in customer service ratings
- 48% fewer safety incidents
- 65% lower employee turnover

Our Mission

At First Nature Foundation, our mission is to cultivate 21st Century Leadership: to help develop core self-leadership and collective leadership skills needed for this time.

Our Programs

LEADING FOR CHANGE

A program is for change agents who wish to discover and practice what it takes to more effectively contribute to a more socially equitable and ecologically just world.

CONFLICT AS A PATH TO COLLABORATION

This program helps leaders recognize how to reduce conflict avoidance, which leads to impasses, gets in the way of executing on strategy, and causes disengagement and morale slump. We explore a process for loosening up where our teams are stuck, and increase your ability to understand how diving into conflict can be much less painful than ignoring it and much more productive than trying to “make nice”.

REVEALING YOUR STRENGTHS

Revealing Your Strengths helps individuals explore and expand on individual strengths, and increase their ability to bring their best self at home, work, and everywhere. This short program creates a safe external space to develop internal resilience and calm, and reduce conflict with family members and work teams



How You Can Help

DONATIONS

Support our programs by making a tax-deductible donation on our website, or by mailing a check to our office.

SPONSORSHIP OPPORTUNITIES

Corporations and businesses can sponsor an upcoming program for the opportunity to receive recognition on our website, social media, and other media channels.

COLLABORATION

Have an idea for a program or event? We would love to work with you to develop unique leadership programs for your audience.

USE OUR SPACE

Looking for a venue to host a meeting or event? Businesses and nonprofits organizations can rent space at the ranch for a fee. All proceeds support First Nature Foundation's mission.

