In the context of Global, Multicultural & Virtual work environments domain knowledge alone is not a sufficient guarantee for professional success. Since long we have been talking about organizational leadership or corporate leadership. In fact leadership is an adjective mostly attached to the growth of industry. Rarely do we realize the importance of leadership in educational institutions. This course is designed to help the teaching/Academic professionals to understand how educational leadership can transform and enhance the effectiveness of educational institutions. This course intends to focus on academic community and to encourage individual members to develop various skills, competencies, abilities to enhance their leadership skills. It will also help them to develop awareness into their self-motivation, reflective practices, critical thinking and positive plans of actions for enhancing their leadership impact and institutional effectiveness. This course is aimed to mobilize human resources of education sector, educational administration and prospective teachers.

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**COURSE PLAN:**

- **Week 01**: Educational Management & Leadership: Issues & challenges
- **Week 02**: Professional Development & the Reflective Practitioner
- **Week 03**: Professional Ethics & Values in Teaching
- **Week 04**: Key Challenges for Educational Leaders: Grooming Capable & Authentic Educational Leaders
- **Week 05**: Emotional Intelligence & Educational Leadership
- **Week 06**: Leadership for Managing Diversity & Inclusion in Education
- **Week 07**: Educational Leadership in a changing World: 21st Century Challenges
- **Week 08**: Innovative Pedagogy, Technology & Turnaround Leadership: The Stakeholders’ Perspectives