Turnaround Leadership Development Program Provider Information: 2020-21

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Link to Program Information on Provider Website	https://relay.edu/school-leaders/national-principals-academy/overview-national-principals-and-principal-supervisors
Provider Contact Required <u>Before</u> Submitting EASI Application?	No.

Program Overview	The National Principal Supervisors Academy, at Relay Graduate School of Education is a selective* national instructional leadership program designed for passionate and reflective principal managers. The program offers a practice-based curriculum providing practical leadership training and support to managers and their principals in high-need and turnaround school districts or networks. Coursework throughout the year is based on instructional leadership; strong instruction (content); strong instruction (pedagogy; cultural leadership; and strategic leadership. The program prepares principal managers to better support their principals and implement a common framework for cultivating excellence in instructional leadership. Relay aims to increase teacher effectiveness as a result of higher-capacity principals who provide meaningful and actionable feedback to teachers, ultimately increasing student achievement. The role of the principal manager is critical to this, as they are a key lever and resource in helping the principal keep teaching and learning central to their principals' work. *Seats will be prioritized to school systems who send vertically aligned teams to Relay's Leadership Programs (supervisors, principals, instructional team leaders).
Program Areas of Focus	- Instructional Leadership - Data-Driven Instruction - Planning and Leading High-Quality Professional Development - Curriculum and Planning - Strategic Planning
Program Location	Relay is a national organization. The summer intensive will take place in Denver, location TBD. The location for the four weekend sessions will be announced in early 2019.
Program Duration	NPSA is a one-year program
Program Touch Points	. Principal supervisors will begin with a 2-3 day spring orientation followed by a week and a half summer intensive (with their principals) in June. Throughout the year, leaders will convene four times, in October, December, February and May. Relay faculty visit schools periodically to walk the school with the principal manager and principal to support the principal in implementing their learning, look for trends in instruction and provide coaching and feedback. A baseline assessment is conducted at the beginning of the program and again at the end

	to assess leaders' professional development as a result of program participation. After the end of the school year, student achievement results are compared with those of the participants' overall district performance the year before. After the end of the program, alumni are welcome to return and attend courses as space is available, and Relay faculty remain available for alumni support.
Participants this Program will serve	☐Teachers ☐Aspiring Leaders ☐Current Principals ☐District Staff X Principal Supervisors ☐Other:
Number of Seats Available summer or fall 2020	TBA
Cost per Participant	NPSA costs is $20,000 per participant, excluding travel. $18,000 is covered by tuition (generally paid by participants' schools or districts); the remaining $2,000 is covered by Relay GSE's philanthropic partners.
Application Process, Timeline, Due Dates	Step 1: The partner district must apply for seats in the cohort. Step 2: Participants who have been nominated by their school network or district for the program must complete the Relay Admissions application and provide additional supporting materials. Additional information can be found at: https://www.relay.edu/school-leaders The application will be available in late 2019.
Credential Issued (if any)	☐Master's Degree X Certificate of Completion ☐Type D License ☐Other: