LEADERSHIP DEVELOPMENT PROGRAMS

Leadership Development Programs are training opportunities offered by companies and organizations in many different fields to develop the leadership talent potential of young professionals. These programs are often the best way to kick off your career in a positive, powerful way!

Are you ready to be a leader? These Career Library resources help you find out:

BA.03 From Day One: Success Secrets for Starting Your Career / William J. White
BA.07 Creating You & CO: Learn to Think Like the CEO of Your Career / William Bridges
BA.08 They Don’t Teach Corporate in College: A Twenty-Something’s Guide to the Business World / Alexandra Levit

Which opportunities are for ME? Leadership development programs are available in most industries. Programs range from one to 4 years in length & candidates rotate through several parts of the company. Below are some examples of the most popular:

AT & T: http://www.att.jobs/student-program/home – Business, finance, technology
Raytheon: http://www.rayjobs.com/campus/index.cfm?tool=Leader – Business, Communications, HR, IT, etc
GE: http://www.ge.com/company/culture/leadership_learning.html – Communications, IT, Sales/Marketing, etc

Where can I find these opportunities? Start your search online & at the Career Library:

Vault Guide to Management & Leadership Development Programs
12D.21 Best Entry-Level Jobs / Princeton Review
12D.24 BusinessWeek Fast Track: The Best Places to Launch a Career / Lindsay Gerdes