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Young Leadership Council Graduates 29 Members of Its Leadership Development Series

New Orleans, LA (Dec. 12, 2011) – The Young Leadership Council (YLC) concluded its ninth annual Leadership Development Series December 6. The Leadership Development Series (LDS), an intensive ten-week course exclusively for YLC members, is designed to teach leadership skills to individuals interested in taking on leadership positions within the YLC and eventually, in the community at large. 29 members of the LDS Class of 2011 completed the series.

The graduates are: Lindsay Anan, Louis Bartels, Julie Borsch, Simone Boustead, Jeffery Carlson, David Coons, Markus Crockett, Nicole Detillier, Emily Finn, Elizabeth Ford, Letitia George, Helen Howard, Lindsey Hoyt, Christopher Justin, Alicia Labat, Jim Mulvihill, Jimani Mwendu, Blake Poole, Jacob Quinton, Angela Shepard, Jermaine Smith, Lindsay Southwick, Scott Sternberg, Sarah Stogner, Erica Washington, Juliana Wilkins, Caroline Wilson, Jamie Wine, and Paul Zimmer.

Class members were selected through an application process. LDS sessions cover such topics as Organization & Structure, Finance, Marketing and PR, Creating Effective Collaborations and others.

For more information about the YLC, please contact the YLC office at (504) 585-1500, ext. 201 or visit www.youngleadershipcouncil.org.

The Leadership Development Series is a project of the Young Leadership Council. The Young Leadership Council is a non-profit, non-partisan civic organization created to develop leadership through community projects. Through volunteer-created community projects, the YLC recruits and retains young professionals to New Orleans, creating a positive impact on the quality of life in the region. The oldest, independent YPO (young professionals' organization) in the country, the YLC has raised more than \$25 million to support community projects in and around the New Orleans area since 1986.

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