

Chapter 637

(House Bill 511)

AN ACT concerning

University of Maryland – Institute for Public Leadership – Establishment

FOR the purpose of establishing the Institute for Public Leadership at the University of Maryland, College Park Campus; exempting certain State funding from certain education funding formulas; and generally relating to the Institute for Public Leadership at the University of Maryland.

BY adding to

Article – Education

Section 13–105

Annotated Code of Maryland

(2018 Replacement Volume and 2021 Supplement)

SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF MARYLAND,
That the Laws of Maryland read as follows:

Article – Education

13–105.

(A) IN THIS SECTION, “INSTITUTE” MEANS THE INSTITUTE FOR PUBLIC LEADERSHIP AT THE UNIVERSITY OF MARYLAND, COLLEGE PARK CAMPUS.

(B) (1) THERE IS AN INSTITUTE FOR PUBLIC LEADERSHIP IN THE SCHOOL OF PUBLIC POLICY AT THE UNIVERSITY OF MARYLAND, COLLEGE PARK CAMPUS.

(2) THE SCHOOL OF PUBLIC POLICY AT THE UNIVERSITY OF MARYLAND, COLLEGE PARK CAMPUS SHALL MANAGE THE INSTITUTE ACCORDING TO THE POLICIES OF THE UNIVERSITY OF MARYLAND.

(C) THE PURPOSE OF THE INSTITUTE IS TO:

(1) ENHANCE THE TEACHING OF PUBLIC LEADERSHIP THROUGH ACADEMIC AND EXECUTIVE PROGRAMS THAT SUPPORT A DIVERSE RANGE OF POPULATIONS, INCLUDING UNDERGRADUATE AND GRADUATE STUDENTS, MID-CAREER PROFESSIONALS, AND EXECUTIVE LEVEL OFFICIALS AND STAFF;

(2) PROVIDE STUDENTS WITH OPPORTUNITIES FOR EXPERIENTIAL LEARNING WITH LOCAL, STATE, AND FEDERAL PARTNERS;

(3) SUPPORT STUDENTS, ESPECIALLY THOSE UNDERREPRESENTED IN PUBLIC SERVICE POSITIONS, TO ACCESS PUBLIC LEADERSHIP CAREERS THROUGH PARTNERSHIPS, SKILL DEVELOPMENT, AND PROFESSIONAL MENTORSHIP;

(4) BUILD AN ACTIVE COMMUNITY OF ACCOMPLISHED LOCAL, STATE, AND FEDERAL PRACTITIONERS ASSOCIATED WITH THE INSTITUTE TO SHARE THEIR KNOWLEDGE AND EXPERIENCE WITH STUDENTS, FACULTY, AND THE PUBLIC; AND

(5) SERVE AS A RESOURCE FOR PUBLIC LEADERS IN THE STATE AND THE NATION THROUGH RESEARCH ON ISSUES OF CURRENT AND EMERGING SIGNIFICANCE.

(D) FOR EACH OF FISCAL YEARS 2023 THROUGH 2027, THE GOVERNOR SHALL INCLUDE IN THE ANNUAL BUDGET BILL AN APPROPRIATION OF \$1,500,000 TO THE INSTITUTE.

SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That State funding for the Institute for Public Leadership in the School of Public Policy at the University of Maryland, College Park Campus established in Section 1 of this Act may not be included in the calculations of State funding under §§ 16–305, 16–512, and 17–104 of the Education Article.

SECTION ~~2~~ 3. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect July 1, 2022.

Enacted under Article II, § 17(c) of the Maryland Constitution, May 29, 2022.