**Academic Courses for FLP**

The academic component of the FLP is self-directed and you are encouraged to explore and find a course that is most relevant to you (provided that there is a leadership element). The FLP does not endorse any particular course. A broad range of courses have been completed previously with the majority undertaking PG Certs in either leadership or medical education. Occasionally fellows are already undertaking a postgraduate course related to their specialty, and add a leadership module to this as their academic component. Below is a list of some previous course examples and links. The list is not an exhaustive one, but provides an idea of the courses available.

**University of Hull**

For more info see: <http://beta.www.hull.ac.uk/Study/All-Courses.aspx>

PG Certificate in Education & Leadership:

* Taught course
* Start in January or September
* Part of a longer masters course
* Flexible module options

Website: <http://beta.www.hull.ac.uk/Study/PGT/education-leadership-ma.aspx>

PG Certificate Educator in Practice:

* Taught course
* Uses Nursing and Midwifery Council standards as a framework
* Modules:
	+ Practice Teaching in Context (theory)
	+ Effective Practice Teaching (theory)
	+ Making a Difference Through Work-based Learning (work-based)

Website: <http://beta.www.hull.ac.uk/Study/PGT/educator-practice-pgcert.aspx>

PG Cert Healthcare Improvement: Leadership

* Blended taught/online
* Modules:
	+ Healthcare improvement
	+ Evidencing personal and professional development
* Written assignment

Website: <http://beta.www.hull.ac.uk/Study/PGT/healthcare-improvement-leadership.aspx>

* **Hull York Medical School**

PG Certificate in Health Professions Education:

* Taught/Online

Website: <http://www.hyms.ac.uk/postgraduate/taught-programmes/Health-Professions-Education>

* **University of Leeds**

PG Certificate Clinical Education:

* Taught
* September start
* Modules:
	+ Learning and teaching in the clinical context
	+ Assessment and evaluation in the clinical context

Website: <http://courses.leeds.ac.uk/25041/PGCert_Clinical_Education>

PG Certificate Primary Care Education at University of Leeds

* Taught with online activities
* September start
* Part time over 2 years
* 4 modules:
	+ Educational theory
	+ The consultation
	+ Education in practice
	+ Teaching the primary care consultation
* Assessment- essay based

Website: <http://courses.leeds.ac.uk/25048/PGCert_Education_in_Primary_Care>

* **University of Sheffield**

PG Certificate Medical Education

* Taught
* Modules:
	+ The Principles of Learning
	+ Teaching and Learning in the Clinical Setting
	+ Curriculum Design, Implementation and Monitoring
	+ Assessing the Learner

Website: <http://sheffield.ac.uk/postgraduate/taught/courses/medicine/biomedical/medical-education-pg-cert>

**Sheffield Hallam University**

PG Certificate Medical Leadership

* Taught
* 10 academic days per academic year
* Modules:
	+ Medical Leadership 1
	+ Medical Leadership 2

Website: <https://www.shu.ac.uk/study-here/find-a-course/mscpgdippgcert-medical-leadership>

* PG Certificate Medical leadership and advanced professional skills De Montfort University, Leicester
* February and September starts
* Taught
* Modules:
	+ Leadership
	+ Research
	+ Teaching
	+ Service Improvement

Website: <http://www.dmu.ac.uk/study/courses/postgraduate-courses/medical-leadership-and-advanced-professional-skill/medical-leadership-education-and-research.aspx>

**Others**

PG Certificate Medical Education University of Dundee:

* Taught
* January/May or September entries
* Distance Learning/Online
* Modules:
	+ Learning and teaching in medical education
	+ The principles of assessment in medical education
	+ One optional core module

Website: <http://www.dundee.ac.uk/study/pg/medical-education-parttime-distancelearning/#info-careers>

PG Certificate Leading Change for Patient and Service Improvement University of Salford:

* Taught ‘Blended learning’
* February/September start
* Single module

Website: <http://www.salford.ac.uk/pgt-courses/leading-change-for-patient-and-service-improvement-single-module>

Improvement Science for Leaders (IS4L) (via NHS Quest):

Website: <http://www.haelo.org.uk/what-we-do/science-capability/improvement-science-leaders-is4l/>

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The Mary Seacole Programme

* Multiple intakes
* Mainly online with some face-face
* No longer ‘counts’ as a PG Cert

Website: <http://www.leadershipacademy.nhs.uk/programmes/mary-seacole-programme/>

PG Certificate Leadership for Health Professions postgraduate programme, Swansea University

* October or January intakes
* Distance learning or taught
* Modules:
	+ Leadership in Practice
	+ Understanding organisations, systems and services
	+ Developing yourself as a leader and managing performance

Website: <http://www.swansea.ac.uk/postgraduate/taught/medicine/msc-leadership-health-professions/>