

# LRB — LEADERSHIP AND THE RULE OF ST. BENEDICT

5<sup>TH</sup> AND FOR NOW LAST COURSE FROM 13 – 26 JULY 2017 IN ST. ANSELMO, ROME



**Fr. Alfons Holela**  
Cellerar, Ndanda Abbey  
Tanzania  
LRB 2016

*“The whole experience was terrific! There is nothing like coming home from LRB Course and feeling in my mind and attitudes so great and so rejuvenated...”*



**Lisa Castlebury**  
Business Manager  
Saint Meinrad Archabbey,  
USA  
LRB 2016

*“As a lay Business Manager, and consequently an 'outsider' of our monastic community, I have been hesitant to advocate for business principals new to the community, even though I know they are beneficial in other organizations.... many monasteries worldwide are employing lay persons to provide expertise in running their monasteries. The business principles that the LRB program teach can benefit monasteries as much as they do other organizations. The content of the program is excellent, but for me, being a part of the discussion in the context of Benedictine monasteries from all over the world will be invaluable in providing leadership to Saint Meinrad Archabbey.”*

## **The Concept:**

***Two weeks, four modules, each co-taught by a professor from the University of St. Gallen and a Benedictine; for Benedictine monks, nuns and lay persons in a position of leadership.***

### **Strategy Making**



### **Leading People**



**Shaping Organizations    Managing Projects**

*“The LRB course is a wonderful programme that will be a great blessing to many. I embraced not only what I learned in Rome, but also deeply appreciated the opportunity to meet so many of my fellow Benedictine Brothers and Sisters from around the globe. ... I feel more confident and comfortable in wearing the shoes of a leader who embraces the Benedict's Tools of Good Works”*



**Sr. Thaya Moses**  
Superior & Care Home Manager,  
Grace and Compassion  
Benedictines Montana, UK  
LRB 2016

*“How am I doing after the course?”*

*Yes, I can definitely say I do many things differently. I have tried to develop my skills gradually (!) in each of the modules. For example, a friend of mine, who is a businessman and does what you are doing for all the OSB Leaders, has mentored me with various aspects of leadership. This same gentleman when he saw what you covered was very impressed wondered at it... There are many things I have implemented since I finished the LRB course and they have improved the functioning of the community.”*



**Abbot Johan Braganza**  
Westminster Abbey  
Dewdney, Canada  
LRB 2013

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