

# **NATIONAL YOUTH LEADERSHIP FORUM: BUSINESS INNOVATION**

**7 DAYS TO STARTUP**

JULY 18 - JULY 24, 2021

## *2021 Sample Schedule\**

### ***Day One: Program Welcome and Orientation***

Welcome to *NYLF Business Innovation*

Seminar: Defining Business Innovation in the 21<sup>st</sup> Century

Success Workshop: Goal Setting 101

### ***Day Two: Ideation and Product Development***

Simulation Part I: Product Ideation, Research, and Development

Business Group Meeting: The Entrepreneurial Mindset

Activity: Constructing a Business Model

Understanding Personality Styles

### ***Day Three: Innovation and Feedback***

Simulation Part II: Product Creation and Marketing Research

Business Group Meeting: Crowdsourcing to Capture Market Feedback

Guest Speaker: Defining Your Target Market

Entrepreneurship in Action - Local Incubator

Personal Branding

### ***Day Four: Designing the Future***

Simulation Part III: Testing Key Features and Price

Field Excursion: Explore the Host City

Guest Speaker: Securing Funding for a Startup

Simulation Part IV: Product Finance and Securing Capital Investment

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***Day Five: Business in Action***

Field Excursion: Explore New York City

Visit Times Square

Walk the Financial District

***Day Six: Jumpstarting Your Business***

Simulation Part V: Pitch Presentation

Business Group Meeting: Building a Pathway to Success

Simulation Part VI: Final Pitch Rounds

Social Event

***Day Seven: Looking Forward***

Simulation Final: Lessons Learned

Program Wrap-Up and Debrief: Becoming the Innovators of Today

Conference Departure

*\*This sample schedule is provided as an example of the overall quality and scope of the experience offered. The 2021 specific schedule, locations, and details may be modified.*

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