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MONTGOMERY COUNTY PUBLIC SCHOOLS :: SUPERINTENDENT'S LEADERSHIP PROGRAM

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SUPERINTENDENT'S LEADERSHIP PROGRAM ANNOUNCES CLASS OF 2009 PARTICIPANTS

Rockville, MD-- The Superintendent's Leadership Program has selected 16 participants for the 2008-2009 class from among more than 45 candidates at Montgomery County high schools. The program is the only humanities oriented honors internship program in the county. The curriculum content and style is comparable to many college courses. Students in this program are selected for demonstrating outstanding leadership, academic excellence, and uncommon maturity within their schools and communities.

The 2009 class participants represent 11 Montgomery County high schools. They include:

Name	School
Erica Barnett	Springbrook HS
Jennifer Bond	Magruder HS
Katherine Broadhurst	Rockville HS
Kevin Chai	Richard Montgomery HS
Nahum Goba	Wheaton HS
Nyamagaga Gondwe	Rockville HS
Mohammad Hassan	Northwest HS
Madeline Horan	Quince Orchard HS
Dong Ha Le	Paint Branch HS
Fabiola Llanos	Blake HS
Quratul-Ann Malik	Watkins Mill HS
Kojo Mienza	Northwest HS
Khadijah Ryan	Watkins Mills HS
Merissa Thomas	Quince Orchard HS
Eirene Wang	Springbrook HS
Kevin Wong	Wootton HS

Significant program components include an honors internship, field trips to meet and talk with industry executives working in a wide range of settings, didactic seminars to discuss current issues in the workplace, a group community service project and online forums to discuss leadership topics.

Kim Jones, Partnership Manager of the program says, "It is critical that students with this level of maturity, that can clearly articulate their career objectives, be given the opportunity to apprentice in their discipline. This program reveals facets of a chosen industry that would otherwise take years to experience."

For additional information on the Superintendent's Leadership Program you may go to the website at www.montgomeryschoolsmd.org/departments/superintendent/leadership