



## **Collaborative Disability Experience© Proposal**

### ***The Disability Experience©:***

This experiential seminar focuses on definitions of chronicity and disability as well as identification of issues and challenges faced by people living with a chronic illness and/or physical disability. Participants will increase their awareness and knowledge of and sensitivity to physical and emotional barriers faced by these individuals.

Resources to assist in problem management are provided.

### **Program Length-TBD**

#### **SAMPLE Program Format**

9:00-9:30 AM-Registration

9:30-10:00 AM-Welcome & Introductions

- Introduction of speakers
- Description of collaboration between CICI and WHARTON Leadership Program
- Administrations of Pre-test or Disability Awareness Quiz

10:00-11:30 AM-Didactic Presentation

11:30-12:00 PM-Sample Disability Exercise

12:00-12:30 PM-Formation of Teams

- Team pairings
- Role assumption
- Explanation of “Real Life Experience”

12:30-3:00 PM-“Real Life Experience”

- Disability field trips
- Lunch in role

3:00-4:30 PM-Return and Group Discussion

- Process experience in role
- Discussion

4:30-5:00 PM-Wrap-Up

- Q & A
- Evaluations
- Post-test