

9TH ANNUAL

Student Leadership Exchange

at Illinois Mathematics and Science Academy

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 27, 2022

9:00 AM - 2:00 PM | HYBRID ZOOM/IN-PERSON EXPERIENCE

ABOUT THE EVENT

LEAD culminates in the presentation of student projects, developed in elective modules, at the annual Student Leadership Exchange (SLX). SLX provides students an opportunity to present their projects and research to entrepreneurs, visiting professors, experts in their fields, IMSA faculty, state legislators, and most importantly each other. SLX functions much like an academic conference focusing on youth leadership, bringing awareness to social issues from around the world.

Connected to SLX is the long-standing tradition of the Hollister lecture, an annual lecture series sponsored by the family of one of IMSA's former faculty Dr. Bernard Hollister. The Hollister Lecture series aims to inform students about various social issues and topics in student leadership.

Evaluators of student presentations will receive a detailed schedule of events including all necessary virtual meeting links.

AGENDA

9:00 AM	Welcome and Opening Remarks <i>by LEAD Coordinators Disha Dureja and Rohit Katakam</i>
9:30 AM	Round 1 Presentations
9:55 AM	Round 2 Presentations
10:15 AM	Round 3 Presentations
10:40 AM	Round 4 Presentations
11:05 AM	Round 5 Presentations
11:30 AM	Lunch
1:00 PM	Hollister Lecture <i>by Ashlee Piper</i>
2:00 PM	Closing Remarks

**For more information,
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ABOUT THE SPEAKER

Ashlee Piper

Ashlee Piper is a sustainability expert, author, speaker and media personality whose work has been featured on 250+ television segments, including The TODAY Show, Good Morning America, and CNN, and in VOGUE, The Washington Post, InStyle, and NY Magazine, to name a few. Piper believes in the power of our individual habits and creating the ideal conditions for anyone to make small, sustainable shifts. Piper recently published her bestselling book, Give A Sh*t: Do Good. Live Better. Save the Planet. to much critical and celebrity acclaim, branding it the 'sustainability Bible.' She's consulted on sustainability practices with well-known companies such as airbnb, LUSH, Nissan, and Eileen Fisher, has been a cabinet-level advisor to two Massachusetts Governors, and has spoken at the United Nations and TED. She holds a BA from Brown University and a Masters degree in Evidence-Based Social Intervention from the University of Oxford, UK.

