The Engineering Leadership & Innovation Institute at UCF presents the

**Leaders Up Close**

*Fall 2015 Seminar Series*

Accomplished leaders provide practical, engaging advice to students in the UCF College of Engineering & Computer Science. Guest speakers share their unique, fascinating life experiences to inspire students' development as leaders and ultimately their ability to deliver world-changing solutions.

**Friday, Oct. 23**

Ben Patz, '85  
Entrepreneur, Former Technology Executive

**Friday, Oct. 30**

Beverly J. Seay  
Entrepreneur, Former Simulation Executive

**Friday, Nov. 13**

Ian Ippolito, '93  
Technology Entrepreneur

**Friday, Nov. 20**

Pat Simpkins  
Director, Engineering NASA Kennedy Space Center

**Friday, Dec. 4**

Tom O'Neal, '96, '05  
Associate Vice President UCF Office of Research & Commercialization
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Each fall and spring, el2 offers the “Leadership in Engineering” course, a seminar series for undergraduates in the UCF College of Engineering & Computer Science.

Benefits include:

Candid, High-Quality Experience – Students are encouraged to introduce themselves, ask questions and share ideas with the VIP guest speakers to spark a personal and enriching dialogue.

Resume Impact – When this course appears on a transcript and resume, it reflects the student’s commitment to learning about leadership, innovation and self-improvement – and that impresses employers.

Competitive Advantage – Speakers share a goldmine of information about the qualities that employers seek in job applicants and the skills they expect on the job.

Multidisciplinary Learning – Students hear the life experiences and accumulated wisdom of successful leaders from a variety of disciplines.

Affordability - The class is no-cost if the student is enrolled in a for-credit course.

Students say:

“The speeches are powerful and have motivated me to strive to be the best I can be.”

“I will endeavor to push to the edge in everything I do.”

“This is by far one of my favorite courses taken at UCF.”

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