

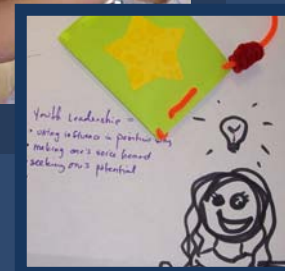
## About the Facilitators

**Deanie Wlodek, M.Ed.**, president of Opening Minds, collaborates with other professionals to build programming that best meets the goals of her communities of work. Her experience as a certified teacher includes Secondary, Graduate and Post Graduate instruction in education and reading. Deanie also has extensive experience in educational and corporate arenas designing and facilitating trainings, workshops, retreats and conferences for professional development in communication and leadership. She specializes in human rights workshops, conferences and training retreats.

**Dr. Melanie Ohm**, president of Concepts Consulting Group ([www.conceptsconsultinggroup.com](http://www.conceptsconsultinggroup.com)) & co-director of the Cultural Arts Coalition ([www.artscare.org/cac.intro.shtml](http://www.artscare.org/cac.intro.shtml)), focuses her practice in education, the arts and youth development: working directly with youth and also building capacity in organizations that serve youth. She is on the consulting rosters of the Arizona Commission of the Arts and the City of Phoenix, and serves as consultant/trainer for the Maricopa County Sheriff's Office Education Section as well as ASU's Workforce Education Development Office, and is a certified trainer in interpersonal communication for DialogueWorks™



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# Opening Minds Leader Preparation Experience

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**Influence & Responsibility**

## About Opening Minds

Opening Minds, LLC is an educational consulting company with experience in human rights awareness, diversity awareness training, leadership development training and communication and workshop services. Opening Minds, LLC, was founded by Deanie Wlodek, M.Ed. in August of 2004. The company operates locally from Glendale Arizona and has always been, Opening Minds, LLC.

Our Vision: All people will be treated with dignity and respect.

Opening Minds, LLC is committed to EMPOWERMENT through honest, clear communication, and personal interaction marked by thoughtful responsibility, developing leaders for today, as well as the future.

Wisdom, strength, and power are present in the awareness of diversity and human rights.

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### Deanie Wlodek & Melanie Ohm

Deanie and Melanie designed this experience with the empowerment of young leaders in mind, and look forward to sharing an active, fun, purposeful and reflective few days at a camp near you.

## Opening Minds Leader Preparation Experience with Training Certificate

...a leadership camp for high school student leaders and their sponsors.

- ✓ Students with the Capacity to Influence Others have the opportunity to interact with and learn from other student leaders from around the state.
- ✓ This 2 night 3 day, overnight experience provides participants with interactive small and large group experiences, along with outdoor high and low ropes team building activities. Each participant also leaves with a draft of a community service action plan to present to their community/school.
- ✓ Leaders who participate in this preparation camp are trained in the skills needed to effectively lead clubs and organizations, such as CTSO, National Honor Society, Key Clubs, DECA and Student Government, to name a few. This learning opportunity may also be considered a supplemental training to each organization's own leadership camp experience.
- ✓ Please go to [www.opening-minds.com](http://www.opening-minds.com) to get registration and location information.

The intent of the experience is to build upon individual capacities and skills for:

- ✓ communication for empowering self and others,
- ✓ resilience - flexibility & adaptability,
- ✓ personal initiative & self-direction,
- ✓ social & inter-cultural interaction, including team building,
- ✓ productivity & accountability, and
- ✓ leadership & responsibility, including human rights and community service,

so that students may identify goals for personal growth and purposeful action at home, at work and in their community.