





## **Ignite Leadership Development & Rotation Program Overview**

The Ignite Leadership Program builds capable, committed early-career leaders in the IT and Finance/Accounting disciplines with a broad knowledge of NextEra Energy. Through rotation assignments, skill development and hands-on projects, participants will enhance their professional capabilities and career options.

## Framework

- Participants are high-performing, recent college graduates in IT or Finance who demonstrate leadership potential and drive, and exemplify our company values
- Program is two years with four rotations; rotations are six months in duration
- Rotation assignments are in two separate tracks:
  - o Ignite Digital Leadership for IT track professionals
  - o Ignite Finance Leadership for Finance and Accounting track professionals
- Unified program for training and development with entire cohort
- Four weeks of leadership, business skills, and technical domain-specific training woven throughout program
- Approximately 15-18 new hires each summer
  - o 10-12 participants in Digital Track, 5-6 participants in Finance Track
  - Digital Track locations: Juno Beach, Jupiter West, GO (General Office Miami), LFO (Lejeune Flagler Office – Miami)
- Team and individual projects and presentations
- Prior to program graduation, participants will develop a relationship with one or more NextEra mentors, have the opportunity to undergo a 360-degree (multi-rater) feedback process, present their projects to leadership and create their own professional development plan.

## **Program Outcomes**

During the course of this exciting leadership development and rotational program, Ignite Leadership participants will engage in meaningful, career-building pursuits:

- Four rotational assignments in diverse work groups to build experience and visibility
- Networking and exposure to a variety of leaders, mentors, and work groups
- Initiating a mentoring relationship with a graduate of one of NextEra Energy's prestigious leadership programs
- Training and development opportunities, including:
  - Leadership Foundations courses with focus on influencing, teamwork, emotional intelligence
  - o Six Sigma Yellow & Green Belt Project and Certifications







- o Agile Mindset training
- o Presentation skills training and multiple practice opportunities with feedback
- Overview of NextEra Energy business units
- o Intro to NextEra Energy-specific business operations and finance processes
- o How NextEra Makes Money
- o Career management
- o Meeting management and interpersonal communication skills
- Tours of NextEra Energy facilities including solar, gas-fired, nuclear generating facilities; diagnostic and control centers
- Opportunity for one-on-one professional development coaching from a certified coach
- Collaborating with a group of peers who are talented, creative and upwardly mobile
- Exposure to many different business units across the company to build organizational awareness and develop short-term and long-term career goals
- After successfully completing the program, Ignite Leadership Program graduates are well positioned to
  pursue a permanent role in line with their interests and skill sets, either in one of their rotational groups
  or on a different team in the Finance or IT organizations.