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GLOBAL AI LEADERSHIP 2027

A Professional Learning Group for Principals

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Welcome

Every principal is carrying the same thing right now: a genuine need to lead their school confidently into an AI-shaped future, and very little time, headspace, or a trusted room to work out how. Global AI Leadership 2027 was built to close that gap.

This isn't a one-off keynote or a stand-alone workshop. It's a full year, in community with 15 to 20 fellow principals, moving through four connected engagements: from a local Auckland launch, to the world stage at ISTE+ASCD in Boston and a visit to Google's New York headquarters, back home to put it into practice, and finishing with a celebration of everything the cohort has built.

It's practical, plain-language AI leadership: no hype, just confident steps principals can take back to their staff, their board, and their community, alongside a global network of peers walking the same road.

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FOUR CONNECTED ENGAGEMENTS

Why This Programme Exists

AI is already reshaping classrooms, admin, reporting, and the expectations placed on school leaders, but most principals are navigating it alone. Global AI Leadership 2027 exists to change that, built around three beliefs:

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Technology should free up time for the work that matters most: people, students, community, not add another layer of noise.

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The best AI leadership learning happens in relationships, alongside peers who understand the context, not in isolation.

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Every session should leave participants with a practical takeaway they can use the very next morning, not just theory.

Who This Is For

Designed for a focused cohort of 15 to 20 principals and school leaders from across Aotearoa who are ready to lead, not just react to, AI in their school. No tech expertise required; many of the most engaged participants start out tech-hesitant.

A good fit for principals who:

+ Want to build genuine AI confidence and capability as a leader, not just complete a PLD requirement.
+ Are ready to co-construct AI policy and safe-use guidelines for staff, students, and whānau.
+ Value being part of a real community of practice that continues beyond the programme year.
+ Can commit to all four engagements across the 2027 school year, including one international trip.

The Journey: Four Engagements

SESSION	WHEN	WHERE	FOCUS
1. Launch	Term 1, 2027 (indicative: March)	Auckland, Google NZ	Kick off and AI foundations
2. Global	Term 2, 2027 (indicative: 25 June to 3 July)	Boston, USA (ISTE+ASCD) and New York (Google HQ)	World-stage learning and innovation
3. Deepen	Term 3, 2027 (indicative: September)	Auckland or a cohort member school (TBC)	Peer practice and implementation
4. Celebrate	Term 4, 2027 (date TBC)	In person, location TBC	Showcase and next steps

01 Session 1. Launch: Auckland, Google NZ

Term 1, 2027. Indicative: March

Opens at Google's Auckland office: meeting fellow principals, building trust in the room, and laying the AI foundations that everything else builds on.

+ A guided tour and demonstration of Google's AI tools for education, hosted on-site.
+ A practical AI workflow participants can use in their office the following Monday.
+ Setting personal and school-wide goals for the year ahead.

02 Session 2. Global: Boston (ISTE+ASCD) and New York (Google HQ)

Term 2, 2027. Indicative: 25 June to 3 July

The centrepiece of the programme year. The cohort travels together to Boston for the ISTE+ASCD Conference (27 to 30 June 2027), one of the largest EdTech gatherings in the world, before heading to New York for a bespoke visit to Google's global headquarters. The trip is a tight 9 days door-to-door, with 5 nights on the ground (4 in Boston, 1 in New York), timed to land back home right as the Term 2 school holidays begin, keeping time away from students to a minimum.

+ Full access to ISTE+ASCD keynotes, sessions, and the expo floor.
+ A curated Google New York HQ visit, including sessions on AI in education and innovation culture.
+ A cohort reflection and action-planning workshop, turning what's seen into what will actually happen back home.

A full day-by-day itinerary for this trip is included as a separate document.

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DAYS DOOR-TO-DOOR	NIGHTS ON THE GROUND	IN BOSTON	IN NEW YORK

03 Session 3. Deepen: Auckland or a Cohort Member School (TBC)

Term 3, 2027. Indicative: September

A hands-on implementation day, either at a Global Institute venue in Auckland or hosted by a fellow cohort principal at their own school (final location to be confirmed with the cohort). Working through real policy, real reporting workflows, and real staff-facing guidance, with facilitators and peers troubleshooting alongside.

+ Peer-to-peer sharing: what's worked, what hasn't, and what each school is building.
+ Co-constructing AI safety and use policy for staff, students, and whānau.
+ A working session on each school's AI strategy for the following year.

04 Session 4. Celebrate: In Person (TBC)

Term 4, 2027. Date and location TBC

The final engagement closes the programme year - how to implement AI successful in your school. Roadmap 2028, industry expert to share insights of using AI in their roles.

What's Included in the Investment

EARLY BIRD PRICING

$4,495 + GST per principal

Book by 30 November 2026 (NZT) and save $500.

YOU SAVE

$500

$4,995 + GST per principal covers:

- + Expert facilitation across all four engagements.
- + Termly one-to-one coaching check-ins to keep each school's AI strategy moving between sessions.
- + Ongoing access to a private principal peer community.
- + A full resource and template library: AI policy templates, staff guidance, workshop materials.
- + A formal Certificate of Completion, presented at Session 4.
- + On-the-ground facilitation and cohort coordination for the Auckland and Boston/New York engagements (travel, accommodation and conference registration booked and paid separately).

This fee does not include flights, accommodation, conference registration, or meals for Session 2.

An optional NZQA micro-credential pathway is being developed, subject to regulatory approval and accreditation.

Outcomes

+ Genuine, confident AI leadership capability.
+ A completed AI policy and staff guidance framework, built for each participant's own school.
+ Time back for the work that matters most.
+ A global perspective from ISTE+ASCD Boston and Google New York, brought home and made practical.
+ A trusted network of 15 to 20 fellow principals.
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Next Steps

Places in the 2027 cohort are limited to 15 to 20 principals.

01 Register interest: **b.rose@globalinstitute.academy**

02 Use the accompanying Board of Trustees proposal to seek approval and budget sign-off.

03 Confirm place: cohort numbers are finalised ahead of Session 1 in Term 1, 2027.