Young Leaders MSRED Program targeting extremely talented students with shorter industry experience

The MSRED Program at the Center for Real Estate is embarking upon an exciting new initiative: The Young Leaders MSRED Program.

Beginning September 1, 2017 for the 2017 – 2018 admissions cycle and academic year, the MSRED Program will be offering the Young Leaders Program designation to exceptional applicants that have fewer than the typically requisite 3 years work experience in the real estate industry.

Among other application requirements, the MSRED Program traditionally has required 3 – 5 years full-time professional experience somewhere in the industry (design, development, architecture, finance, economics, engineering, law, consulting, etc). While keeping our focus as a professional degree, we are now opening the program to exceptional, bright, young candidates who can bring creativity and passion to our exceptional pool of students.

The Young Leaders Program participants may make up approximately 10% of our student cohort each year. Admissions for the Young Leaders program are extremely competitive. To be an applicant must:

- Demonstrate exceptional academic performance
- Perform exceptionally on requisite exams (GMAT or GRE, TOEFL/IELTS as applicable)
- Provide in his or her Statement of Objectives a rationale for their candidacy and interest in the Young Leaders MSRED Program
- Indicate on the online application his or her intention to be considered for the Young Leaders MSRED Program by selecting the appropriate box/radio button
- Provide three (3) recommendation letters: two (2) academic, one (1) professional. If an applicant is unable to provide a professional recommendation, a third academic recommendation will suffice.

Detailed instructions can be found online at: https://mitcre.mit.edu/masters-program/admissions/application and further inquiries may be directed to mit-cre@mit.edu