



*"The Academy was so helpful to me, and I can only see positive things that resulted in my attending it. I think this is perfect for the new directors and even those directors like me who were struggling with some specific issues. The collaboration with other directors was a huge bonus, and I didn't feel so alone in my efforts. I would attend the Academy again!"*

– a 2012 Directors' Academy graduate

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## **You are invited to join MCADSV Directors' Academy!**

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*As a new leader in the Missouri movement to end domestic and sexual violence, it's important that you invest in professional development—not only for your staff, but for yourself.*

**That's why MCADSV created the Directors' Academy, which offers monthly training on the topics that directors need:**

- funding • board development • staff management • more!

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## **Join anytime and "graduate" in a year!**

**Scheduled monthly training topics start over in January so you can join in anytime during the year!**

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Program directors in their first to third year in their leadership positions are invited to join the MCADSV Directors' Academy. This year-long training and peer support Academy meets the fourth Thursday of each month January to December.\*

\*Exceptions are February, September, November and December, when participants attend MCADSV statewide training events or due to other Training Center conflicts. Directors with more than three years of experience may still be eligible to participate and should contact MCADSV if they wish to attend.

To participate in this year's class, contact Cheryl Robb-Welch, Chief Operating Officer, at [cherylrw@mocadsv.org](mailto:cherylrw@mocadsv.org) or Jennifer Carter Dochler, Education and Outreach Coordinator, at [jenncc@mocadsv.org](mailto:jenncc@mocadsv.org).