



INSTITUTIONAL OVERVIEW

The 7000 RPM Leadership Formation Architecture™

How the System, Formation Architecture, Leadership Journey, and Member Experience Fit Together

One architecture. One formation pathway. One purpose: forming leaders capable of faithfully carrying what has been entrusted to them.

A Clear Path Through 7000 RPM

The **7000 RPM Leadership Formation Architecture™** brings every part of the leadership experience into one clear, connected pathway.

As you explore 7000 RPM, you will encounter **Responsibility, Purpose, Mission, formation principles, required reading, assessments, the Leadership Journey, certification, and membership**. These are not separate programs competing for your attention. Each serves a distinct purpose within a larger process of leadership formation.

The Architecture helps you see **where each element belongs, how they work together, and how you can move through them with intention**—from understanding what has been entrusted to you, to developing the character and discipline to carry it, to putting that formation into practice.

One architecture. A clear journey. Leadership formed from the inside out.

The Architecture does not add complexity. It reveals the order already present.

The Architecture at a Glance

I. THE FOUNDATION — THE 7000 RPM SYSTEM™

Responsibility • Purpose • Mission



II. THE FORMATION ARCHITECTURE

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The structures and disciplines through which the leader is formed



III. THE LEADERSHIP JOURNEY

Discover → Learn → Assess → Develop → Practice → Certify → Multiply



IV. THE FORMATION EXPERIENCE

Reading • Assessment • Reflection • Community • Practice • Certification



V. MULTIPLICATION

Formed leaders developing other leaders

I. The Foundation — Responsibility, Purpose, and Mission

At the center of the Institute is the RPM framework. It establishes the foundational questions that govern leadership formation.

RESPONSIBILITY	PURPOSE	MISSION
What has been entrusted to me?	Why was I entrusted with it?	What must I now do with it?
The leader identifies the people, decisions, roles, resources, and outcomes being carried.	The leader examines motive, calling, stewardship, identity, and why the responsibility matters.	The leader translates clarity into disciplined action, ethical decisions, and practical leadership rhythms.
RPM defines what leadership must carry.		

II. The Formation Architecture — How the Leader Is Formed

The Formation Architecture sits beneath the RPM foundation and above the Leadership Journey. Its role is to organize the Institute's formation structures and disciplines so they are understood as parts of one developmental system rather than competing frameworks.

At the public level, the Architecture may identify established formation mechanisms such as:

- The Seven Gates — formation of the channels through which leaders perceive, interpret, decide, and respond.
- The Three Fires — leadership, relationship, and discipleship dimensions of formation.
- ELEVATE and related formation disciplines — practical rhythms that translate formation into lived leadership.

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- Required reading, assessment, guided reflection, community, and advisory engagement — means through which formation is reinforced.

The Formation Architecture develops the leader capable of carrying RPM.

III. The Leadership Journey — How Formation Progresses

The Leadership Journey is not another framework. It is the sequence through which the leader moves. Sequence protects formation from becoming an overwhelming collection of resources and makes the next step visible.

1 DISCOVER

Understand the vision and responsibility of leadership.

2 LEARN

Engage the system through required reading and guided formation.

3 ASSESS

Identify leadership health, strengths, gaps, and growth areas.

4 DEVELOP

Build character, clarity, discipline, and practical leadership rhythms.

5 PRACTICE

Apply the principles through reflection, community, and real leadership responsibility.

6 CERTIFY

Pursue structured development toward recognized competency.

7 MULTIPLY

Become the kind of leader who develops other leaders.

The Journey provides the path.

IV. The Formation Experience — How Leaders Engage

The Formation Experience is where the architecture becomes practice. The Institute's books are not separate products placed beside the curriculum; they serve as written foundations for formation, reflection, and leadership practice.

- Required Reading — establishes language, convictions, framework, and practical application.
- Assessment — identifies leadership health, strengths, gaps, and areas requiring development.
- Guided Reflection — connects learning to motive, character, stewardship, and decision-making.
- Community and Cohort Practice — creates discussion, accountability, application, and shared learning.
- Coaching and Advisory Engagement — helps leaders interpret strain, responsibility, alignment, and next steps.
- Certification — provides structured development toward demonstrated competency.

The Experience turns formation into practice.

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V. Public Architecture and Protected Member Depth

The public website should reveal the map; the member environment should hold the deeper materials. This distinction allows visitors to understand the Institute without placing the full curriculum on an already crowded public page.

PUBLIC — UNDERSTAND THE ARCHITECTURE

System overview • Formation Architecture • Leadership Journey • Role of required reading • Entry points • Membership and certification orientation

MEMBER — EXPERIENCE THE FORMATION

Reading guides • Assessments • Worksheets • Videos • Cohort tools • Guided exercises • Development tracking • Certification preparation

EXPLORE THE FORMATION ARCHITECTURE →

See how the 7000 RPM System, Formation Architecture, Leadership Journey, and member experience work together.

The Architecture in One Statement

The System provides the foundation.

The Architecture forms the leader.

The Journey provides the path.

The Experience turns formation into practice.

Multiplication carries it forward.

Everything belongs beneath one roof: The 7000 RPM Leadership Formation Architecture™.

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