



Service Learning for the Public Good

National Community College Conference on Service Learning and Community Engagement

Concurrent Sessions (as of February 16, 2018)

For informational purposes only—all sessions and times subject to change

Friday, May 18, 2:30-3:30 pm: Concurrent Sessions A (Workshops)

A1: Bobo Books: Turning Art into Poetry—into Sandwiches?

Emily Bobo, English Faculty, Ivy Tech Community College, IN; Charity Heggstad, Photographer and Philanthropist, The Joy of Film, IN

A2: Converging on Reciprocity: Bottom-Up and Top-Down Approach to Community Partnership Development

Sean Crossland, Director, Thayne Center for Service & Learning, Salt Lake Community College, UT

A3: Cultivating Food Justice through a Community-Based Learning Approach

Diane Shingledecker, District Career Technical Community-Based Learning Faculty Coordinator, Portland Community College, OR

A4: Faculty Learning Communities: Building a Culture of Service Learning through In-Depth Engagement of Instructors

Sapan Parekh, Associate Director, Service Learning and Community Engagement, Bellevue College, WA

A5: Statewide Policy on Civic Learning and Engagement in Public Higher Education: The Massachusetts Story

John Reiff, Director, Civic Learning and Engagement, Massachusetts Department of Higher Education; Cate Kaluzny, Senior Specialist, Learner Effectiveness and Civic Engagement, North Shore Community College, MA; Suzanne Buglione, Dean, Lash Division for Teaching & Learning, Bristol Community College, MA

A6: "There Goes the Neighborhood": Utilizing City as Text for Community Engagement and Service Learning

Verdis Robinson, National Director, The Democracy Commitment, DC

Friday, May 18, 4:00-5:00 pm: Concurrent Sessions B (Workshops)

B1: Communities and Entrepreneurs Partnering for the Public Good

Donna Armelino, Business Faculty, Red Rocks Community College, CO

B2: Connecting STEM Students to the Community Enhances Learning

Antonina Ries, Department Chair, Sciences and Mathematics, Ivy Tech Community College, IN; Inna Estep, Microbiology Faculty, Ivy Tech Community College, IN

B3: Crossing Bridges & Engaging Students beyond the Classroom, One Book at a Time

Yanely Cordero, Assistant Professor of English, Miami Dade College, FL; Jessyca Perez, Associate Professor of Psychology, Miami Dade College, FL

B4: Evaluate Before It's Too Late

Carrie Braaten, Service-Learning Placement Coordinator, Chandler-Gilbert Community College, AZ

B5: How to Be a Good NeighBEAR: A Detailed Look at Service Programs and Their Development

Anthony Krajewski, Service Learning & Civic Engagement Coordinator, Brookhaven College, TX; Racheal Owen, Department Assistant, Brookhaven College, TX

B6: Supporting the Global Public Good: Connecting Community Engagement to the United Nations' Sustainable Development Goals

Beth Blissman, U.N. Representative, Loretto Community, NY; Gail Robinson, Education Consultant, Gail Robinson Consulting, MD

Saturday, May 19, 9:00-10:00 am: Concurrent Sessions C (Workshops)

C1: Building Environmental Literacy through Community-Engaged Learning

Shamili Ajgaonkar, Professor, Biology and Field Studies, College of DuPage, IL

C2: Collaboration for the Public Good: College-Wide, Multi-Year, and Cross-Disciplinary Service Learning Communities

Jen Ehrhardt, Professor, Communication, Pensacola State College, FL

C3: Critical Formative Assessment to Institutionalize Service Learning as an Innovation

Robert Franco, Professor, Pacific Anthropology, and Director, Institutional Effectiveness, Kapi`olani Community College, HI

C4: Service Learning and Strategic Partnerships as a Pathway to Community Electoral Engagement

Verdis Robinson, National Director, The Democracy Commitment, DC; Dan Xie, Political Director, Student PIRGs; Kathryn Quintin, Programs Manager, Asian and Pacific Islander American Vote, DC

C5: Serving the Public Good: Teaching Social Justice through Academic Travel and Service Learning

Toni Nicholas, History Faculty, Red Rocks Community College, CO; Wendy Bird, Business Faculty, Red Rocks Community College, CO; Jen Macken, Director, Center for Inclusion & Diversity, Red Rocks Community College, CO

C6: Using Problem-Based Learning to Create an Alternative Break Service Project

Joseph Coppola, Speech Instructor, Palo Alto College, TX; Hunter Bates, Student Success Coordinator, Palo Alto College, TX

Saturday, May 19, 10:30-11:45 am: Concurrent Sessions D (Roundtables)

D1: Challenging and Supporting Faculty Who Are New to Community-Based Learning: Best Practices for Meeting Faculty Where They Are

Hannah Cherry, Program Coordinator, Portland Community College, OR; Lisa George, Cascade Campus CBL Faculty Coordinator; Portland Community College, OR; Catherine Thomas, Southeast Campus CBL Faculty Coordinator, Portland Community College, OR

D2: Creating Lasting Connections and Lifelong Learning through the Development of a Summer Kids' College Program

Annie Pearson, Agriculture Faculty, Redlands Community College, OK; Natalie Cox, Physical Education Faculty, Redlands Community College, OK

D3: Educational Outreach as Service Learning

Lynnette Hoerner, Astronomy Faculty, Red Rocks Community College, CO

D4: Intersection of Study Abroad and Service Learning

Linda Yazdani, Director of International Student Services & Programs, Red Rocks Community College, CO

D5: Johnson County Community College's Civic Leadership Program

Tara Karaim, Community Based Learning Coordinator, Johnson County Community College, KS; Ana Hyo Young Lim, Student, Johnson County Community College, KS

D6: More than Citizen Science: Igniting the Spark of Service through Integrating Honors and Science

Barbra Sobhani, Director, Trefny Honors Program, Red Rocks Community College, CO

D7: Service Learning Landscape Design for Local Schools

Laura Hicks, Instructor, Front Range Community College, CO

D8: STEM, Innovation, and Community Engagement with Peer-to-Peer Service Learning: Defining a "Public" Closer to the Classroom

Sara Fall, English Faculty, Red Rocks Community College, CO; Jeremy Beard, IDEA Lab Lead Academic, Red Rocks Community College, CO

Saturday, May 19, 2:00-3:00 pm: Concurrent Sessions E (Workshops)

E1: Best Practices in Service Learning

Andrea Mason, English Faculty, Arapahoe Community College, CO; Katie Caron, Ceramics Coordinator/Faculty, Arapahoe Community College, CO; Terry Harrison, Biology Faculty, Arapahoe Community College, CO; Josie Mills, English Faculty, Arapahoe Community College, CO

E2: Empowering Our Community Partners through Reciprocal Relationships

Alexandra Wendt, Service-Learning Coordinator, Chandler-Gilbert Community College, AZ

E3: Hunger, Students, and Classroom: What Good Can We Do?

April Lewandowski, English Faculty, Front Range Community College, CO; Kelli Cole, English Faculty, Front Range Community College, CO

E4: Pathways of Public Service and Civic Engagement

Gail Robinson, Education Consultant, Gail Robinson Consulting, MD; Sean Crossland, Director, Thayne Center for Service & Learning, Salt Lake Community College, UT

E5: Sustaining Service Learning: Effective Faculty Programming at Onondaga Community College

Fairlie Firari, Assistant Professor, Communications, Onondaga Community College, NY; Maria Malagisi, Assistant Director, Service-Learning, Onondaga Community College, NY; Lee Berg, Associate Professor, Nursing, Onondaga Community College, NY; Carolyn Bice, Association Professor, Communications, Onondaga Community College, NY

E6: Thinking Through On-Campus Service Learning at Community Colleges

Kara Lundin, Higher Education Coordinator, PeaceJam Rocky Mountain, CO