



2022 Professional Development Committee

Webinar Series

Wednesday, May 4 at 1 PM (EST)/ 10 AM (PST)

Planning Today for a Successful Tomorrow: A Strategic Planning Process

Judy Villard Overocker, Alpha Eta Chapter, Ohio

Session participants will increase confidence and knowledge to initiate and complete components of a strategic planning process to benefit an organization's programming and outreach in their local communities, including learning components and terminology of the process, practicing implementation of process components and viewing examples of real-life strategic planning results.

Wednesday, May 25 at 1 PM (EST)/ 10 AM (PST)

Seeing Yourself in the Future - Middle School Career Readiness

Jodi Smith, Phi Chapter, West Virginia and team members: Lisa Ingram and Jamie Mullins

This middle school pilot program focuses on career exploration, goal setting, vision boards, soft skill and technical skill development, appropriate interview attire, creating a professional pitch, and interviewing for a job. Students complete hands-on activities that help them develop and understand necessary skills for high school and beyond.

Wednesday, June 22 at 1 PM (EST)/ 10 AM (PST)

OK boomer, you need to retire! A conversation on ageism in the workplace.

Erin Yelland, Alpha Rho Chapter, Kansas with team members: Aimee Fox and Kathryn Sigman

This workshop will highlight ageism in the workplace and its impacts then discuss how to combat it by dispelling myths about aging, breaking stereotypes, calling out age discrimination, and shifting our attitudes about aging. Young or old, new or experienced, explicitly biased or not - this webinar is for everyone.

Wednesday, October 26 at 1 PM (EST)/ 10 AM (PST)

Implementing a Multi-State Social Media Program: Walk-A-Weigh 30 for 30

Brad Averill, Alpha Beta Chapter, Georgia with team members: Jami Dellifield, Surine Greenway, Roubie Younkin and Amy Robertson

This presentation will focus on how to implement a short-term multi-state social media health program. Session outcomes are (1) to discuss implementation of a short-term social media-based program, (2) to learn how to build a multi-state team, and (3) how to build templates and share resources.

Wednesday, November 30 at 1 PM (EST)/ 10 AM (PST)

Ripple Effect Mapping of Community Garden Impacts

Patrick Nehring, Alpha Sigma Chapter, Wisconsin with team members: Josset Gauley, Leslie Quevedo and Aubrey Fliss

In this webinar, participants will learn how University of Wisconsin-Madison Extension educators and specialists used the ripple effect mapping process to document the impact of community gardens using Extension's involvement in community gardens in Milwaukee County and Brown County as examples.

Wednesday, January 25, 2023 at 1 PM (EST)/ 10 AM (PST)

Building community: Recognizing implicit bias and microaggressions as barriers

Kayla Oberstadt, Alpha Eta Chapter, Ohio with team members: Liliana Vega, Laura Valencia, Anindita Das, Shreemoyee Ghosh and Melinda Garcia

Implicit bias is inherently found within all of us. Through interactive discussion in a virtual setting, Extension educators will be guided on the topics of implicit bias and microaggressions by members of the NAE4-HYDP Diversity & Inclusion Working Group. Participants will learn to recognize and address implicit biases and microaggressions.