

Q1. Professional Development Narratives – North Central Region

Subject Area #6: Marketing (Telling our Story)

This topic includes any training and professional development related to enhancing skills in marketing, promotion, and effectively communicating the essence of our mission and the significant impact of our work. These opportunities cover a wide array of topics essential for effectively promoting and sharing our work and our story with the public and stakeholders. This includes but is not limited to utilizing social media, media engagement, marketing programs, storytelling techniques, and stakeholder communication.

Q2. Which state do you represent?

- Illinois
- Indiana
- Iowa
- Kansas
- Michigan
- Minnesota
- Missouri
- Nebraska
- North Dakota
- Ohio
- South Dakota
- Wisconsin
- Other:

Q3. Please provide your name.

First Name

Jennifer

Last Name

Wilson

Q4. Please provide your email address

Q5. Provide a brief description of the professional development program that addresses Marketing (Telling our Story). [Less than 250 words.]

*If you do not offer training on Marketing (Telling our Story), please state that here, and return the survey.

Our communications and marketing department has developed a Canvas Course that all KSRE employees have access to. Their staff also spend 4 hours with our new agents to provide a communications and marketing short course.

Q6. Please provide a title (or short one-sentence description) that can be used to identify the training.

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Q7. Describe the intended audience for this training (e.g., is it part of on-boarding for all Extension staff, does it focus on staff with a certain level of experience, is it for specific program areas, are their elements designed for unique aspect of community/county-based educators versus state specialists, etc.). [Less than 100 words.]

The in-person training is provided for new agents. The Canvas course is available to all staff and is self-paced and on demand.

Q8. What are the core skills this training will instill in the audience? [Less than 250 words, and bulleted examples are encouraged.]

-General Marketing Principals -KSRE Branding Guidelines -Working with the Media -Social Media -Email Marketing -Graphic Design -Podcasting -Video Production

Q9. Please check ALL key words that apply to this professional development opportunity.

- communication skills (personal/educator)
- communication skills (delivery programs)
- conflict (management/resolution)
- digital program delivery
- digital learning principles
- Diversity, Equity, Inclusion (DEI)
- evaluation
- facilitation
- goal setting
- leadership
- marketing
- mentorship
- needs assessments
- onboarding (included in general onboarding)
- orientation to CES (included in general onboarding)

- partners
- risk management
- reaching new audiences
- teaching skills/techniques
- volunteers (in delivering programs and teaching roles)
- volunteer (overall management and coordination)
- volunteer - systems
- other: [explain]

Q10. How is this training offered? [Check all that apply]

- Face-to-face / in person
- Live/interactive zoom/webinar (internet based, time-fixed, with the instructor)
- Asynchronous learning
- Other: Please describe:

Q11. Is this training open to other states/institutions?

- No
- Yes - How do other states/institutions access the training and describe any permissions that need to be obtained to utilize this training:

Our communications and marketing staff may be open to sharing the content of our Canvas course with other interested states.

Q12. Is there a registration/tuition/fee to participants?

- No (please continue the survey)
- Yes - Please describe the cost per person and if there are differences for out-of-state participants.

Q13. Provide a website for additional information, if applicable.

Q14. Provide a name and contact information of someone who can answer questions about this training.

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Location Data

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