

Agenda

Oklahoma Moderators and Records Academy

Location goes here (address & city)

Dates go here

Objectives

OMRA participants will learn to:

- Deliberate rather than debate or just discuss important controversial issues
- Develop public understanding and knowledge about issues
- Convene, moderate and record deliberative forums using NIF materials
- Report outcomes of deliberative forums
- Connect with office holders
- Stimulate public action
- Create common ground for action

Faculty

Renée Daugherty

Part 1

Events

September 11

- 9:45 AM** Coffee / Settle in
- 10:00 AM**
- Welcome/Introductions
 - Participant Expectations of the OMRA
 - Orientation to Public Deliberation & the OMRA
 - Oklahoma Partnership for Public Deliberation (OPPD)
 - A Broader Definition of Politics
 - Review Agenda and Notebook Materials
 - Power and Challenge of Deliberation
- Noon** Lunch
- 12:45 PM**
- Deliberation and Choice Work
 - The hard work of making choices
 - Values exercise
 - Public Learning vs. Expert Learning
 - Seven Stages of Working through an Issue
 - Framing an issue for deliberation/choice-making, leading to an issue guide
 - Take-home framing assignment
- 1:45 PM**
- Moderating a Deliberative Forum
 - Recording a Deliberative Forum on Flipcharts
- 3:00 PM** Break
- 3:15 PM**
- Introduce Practice Forum Concepts
 - Forum Assignments: Moderating, Recording, Observing
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- 4:40 PM**
- Mid-Point evaluation
 - Q & A / Closing remarks
- 5:00 PM** Adjourn

In the days between Parts 1 & 2

Free time:

- Work on your own to prepare for practice forum
- Use the framing questionnaire with at least 3 people via interview or shared electronically

Part 2 September 18

Events

9:45 AM Coffee

10:00 AM General Session

- Announcements / Q & A
- Your experiences doing the framing exercise
- Reporting on Forums
- Participants Q&A about the Practice Forum
- Prepare room for the Practice Forum
 - Moderators and recorders meet to discuss plans.
 - Put up posters.
 - Participants set up the room for a forum.
 - Recorders prepare flipcharts
 - Other duties performed by conveners, moderators, recorders

11:30 Lunch

12:15 PM Practice Forum:

- Forum Introduction / Feedback for Moderator
- Approach 1 / Feedback for Moderator and Recorder
- Approach 2 / Feedback for Moderator and Recorder
- Approach 3 / Feedback for Moderator and Recorder
- Reflections / Feedback for Moderator and Recorder

3:30 PM Break

3:45 PM General Session

- Acting Publicly / Public Deliberation Success Stories
- Convening / Organizing for Forums and Public Deliberation
- Next Steps / Developing a Game Plan
- Q & A

4:40 PM • Revisit Participants' Expectations
• End of Workshop Evaluation

5:00 PM Adjourn