



The Cooperative Extension Services of
Purdue University Extension (host institution), Kentucky State University
Cooperative Extension Program, The Ohio State University Extension, and
University of Kentucky are proud to announce

A Call for Proposals

4th Annual Tri-State Diversity Conference:
Expanding our Cultural Circles

January 17-18, 2008
Holiday Inn Lakeside – Clarksville, Indiana
Deadline for submitting proposals: May 15, 2007

This is a call for workshop proposals on best practices, curriculum models, research, and success stories for implementing community-based diversity initiatives in community development, family & youth development, education, and agriculture.

The Tri-State Diversity Conference is designed for Land Grant Universities, including administrators, faculty and staff from extension, research, and academic programs; private and public university representatives; K-12 educators; community outreach program developers; health and social services professionals; and anyone wanting to support community diversity change is invited to present and attend.

Sponsoring organizations: Purdue University Extension (host institution), Kentucky State University Cooperative Extension Program, The Ohio State University Extension, and University of Kentucky Cooperative Extension Service.

Objectives:

1. Showcase best practices, curriculum models, research, outreach strategies, and success stories for implementing community-based diversity initiatives in family & youth development, education, community development, and agriculture.
2. To identify research needs and questions related to culturally diverse practices.
3. To network and link resources to help integrate diversity into programs, policies, practices for creating community well-being.
4. To create a space for participants to examine their conference experience through reflective dialogue sessions.

All abstracts are to be submitted electronically. Email abstracts to: gae.broadwater@kysu.edu
All proposals will be peer-reviewed. Scoring will focus on how well proposals address the theme and objectives of the conference.

Questions may be posed electronically or via phone: Gae Broadwater, 502-597-6325, gae.broadwater@kysu.edu **Follow the format on the next 2 pages to prepare and submit proposals.** The Tri-State Diversity Conference Planning committee will make the final decision on which proposals will be presented. If you have a poster presentation, it is asked that someone be with your poster during the assigned time to answer any questions.

Lead presenter information (contact person)

Name:
Organization:
Address:
Phone:
Fax:
Email:

List others involved in the project

Name:
Organization:
Name:
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Conference Track Addressed (please only mark one tract)

- Community Development
- Family & Youth Development
- Education K-12
- Education Post-Secondary

Workshop/Poster Title:

Objectives, Outcomes and Transferability (What will participants learn, come away with, and be able to implement in other settings?)

Abstract: discuss what, how, impact, etc., 150 words or less

Key Words: list three key words for your presentation

Proposal Request

- 60 minute workshop
- 90 minute workshop
- Poster Session

If Workshop, would you be willing to present workshop more than once?

- Yes
- No

If not accepted as a workshop would you be willing to present as a poster session?

- Yes
- No

**Submissions are due May 15, 2007.
Accepted proposals will be notified by June 30, 2007.**

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