

University Outreach and Engagement Educational Programs FOR FALL 2019

ATTENTION: FACULTY, ACADEMIC STAFF, AND GRADUATE STUDENTS

► Knowledge Integration and Craft Brewing

September 25 | 6 – 8 p.m.

LANSING BREWING COMPANY, MEETING ROOM

Michigan is home to a growing craft brewing industry and to craft brewing enthusiasts. This September, the MSU Center for Interdisciplinarity and University Outreach and Engagement are excited to present a panel on knowledge integration for craft brewing. This panel will bring together members of academia and industry, as well as hobbyists, and focus on how specific tools and approaches can be used to coordinate these groups' different methods, expertise, and ways of knowing.

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► Community-Engaged Scholarship Write-Ins

Fridays: October 4 • November 1 • December 6
9 a.m. – 12 p.m.

BRODY CAFETERIA, LARGE CONFERENCE ROOM

Are you working on an outreach or engagement journal article, grant proposal, book chapter, thesis, dissertation, curriculum, or portfolio? Join us on the first Friday of each month for three hours of dedicated writing time to advance your community-engaged scholarship.

Participants should plan to write for the full time period and bring their own laptops. Write-Ins start with introductions, with participants sharing their writing goals for the day. Write-Ins end with a progress report, next steps, and lunch. Refreshments are available throughout the Write-Ins.

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► Community-Engaged Scholarship Writing Retreat

Thursday, October 17 and Friday, October 18

PIERCE CEDAR CREEK INSTITUTE, HASTINGS, MI

This academic writing retreat provides a dedicated time and space away from campus for faculty, academic staff, and graduate students to write about their community-engaged scholarship, including service-learning or civic engagement, community-engaged research, broader impacts, outreach teaching, and community partnerships.



This two-day, residential retreat includes unstructured writing time to work on your own writing and optional workshops to strengthen writing and academic publishing skills. Throughout the retreat, consultants from The Writing Center and University Outreach and Engagement are available to provide feedback as needed.

Participants are expected to already have a community-engaged scholarship writing project, and to bring their own laptop, power cord, and writing materials. Attendance both days is required. Participants should come prepared to focus their time and attention on their writing.

Cost:

\$260 for MSU faculty, academic staff, and graduate students
\$360 for non-MSU participants, who are very welcome to attend

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► Community-Engaged Research: Getting Started

October 23 | 8:30 a.m. check in, light breakfast, networking; 9:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m. workshop

KELLOGG HOTEL AND CONFERENCE CENTER, HERITAGE ROOM

Interested in collaborating with nonprofits, industry, or government partners on your research? New to community-engaged research and wondering how to get started? Curious about the connections between your discipline and community engagement? Then this workshop is for you. Together, we will review the basics of community-engaged research, including definitions, examples from multiple disciplines, theories and conceptual frameworks, partnership building, and community engagement practices. Participants will come away with tools and resources for initiating conversations with community partners about how to work together on research.

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► Training Researchers to Inform Policy

Thursday, November 7 | 8:30 a.m. check-in, light breakfast, and networking; 9:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m. workshop

KELLOGG HOTEL AND CONFERENCE CENTER, LINCOLN ROOM

The Scholars Strategy Network Michigan Chapter is hosting a day-long workshop to equip researchers with the knowledge and skills they need to make research accessible and useful to policymakers and civic leaders.

Workshop participants will learn about where research is (and isn't) used in the policy-making process, how to build relationships with policy-makers, how to create clear and compelling research-based policy recommendations, and how to work effectively with the media. After the interactive skill-building sessions, the day will conclude with a panel of Michigan faculty members discussing their policy engagement. Participants will come away with new ideas for connecting their scholarship to policy-makers and strategies for implementing those new ideas.

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In collaboration with: Academic Advancement Network; Environmental Science and Policy Program; The Graduate School; James Madison College; Masters of Public Policy Program, Department of Political Science; University Communications; The Writing Center

ATTENTION: GRADUATE STUDENTS

► Representing Community-Engaged Work on Your CV, Portfolio, and Other Professional Materials

November 15 | 8:30 a.m. check in, light breakfast, networking; 9:00 – 11:00 a.m. workshop

KELLOGG HOTEL AND CONFERENCE CENTER, ROOM 62

Are you building up your community-engagement experience, but not sure where to “put it” in your professional materials? Passionate about community work, but not sure how to make that show on your c.v.? Then this workshop is for you. Together, we will discuss approaches and models for representing your community engagement work. Bring your laptops and materials (if you already have them, but it's OK if you are just starting out). We will work on your professional documents, including curriculum vitae, professional portfolio, biography statements, and more. Participants will leave the workshop with a set of approaches to put into practice, and resources for further brainstorming and refining their materials.

This is part one of a three-part series about presenting yourself as a community-engaged scholar in your professional materials and in your online presence.

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