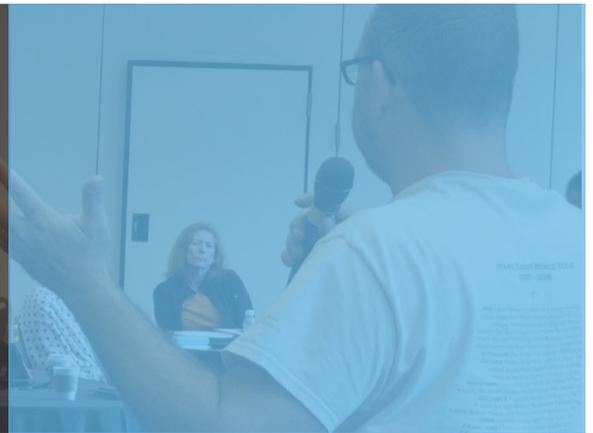




ALLIANCE FOR INNOVATION AMBASSADOR PROGRAM

June 2018



Alliance Tip *Monthly tip to get more out of your membership*

Appreciation Matters

“If you want employees to feel appreciated, you need to celebrate their achievements regularly and publically”

– Logan Green, Co-Founder Lyft

Consortiums/ Forums

[Performance Analytics Tools Meeting - June 26](#)

[Lean Six Sigma – July 26 & 27](#)

Events *Visit the on-line calendar at <http://transformgov.org/events> for details and registration instructions*

Facilitative Leadership Skills for Team Success - UT **WORKSHOP | Park City, UT | 2018 June 8, from 9am – 4pm MT**

Societal changes, new technologies and generational shifts are challenging for traditional top-down leadership. Learn how to use Facilitative Leadership to better engage your team.

A flexible leadership style combined with a structured facilitation process creates a powerful combination that can empower your team, your work and your life. This workshop will deepen your knowledge of how to lead in a more collaborative way, including:

- Increase your self-awareness as a leader
- Focus conversations to achieve best outcomes
- Guide teams toward consensus and action
- Engage community members in constructive and collaborative solutions
- Leverage facilitation for innovation

Join us for this interactive workshop presented by Irina Fursman of Hue.Life, an international expert on facilitation. Hue.Life is a human capital consulting firm that specializes in design and facilitation of transformational change.

Cost

Lunch is included in the cost of this workshop.

Meet Your Regional Director

<https://transformgov.org/alliance-innovation-regions>

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Members: \$99
Non-Members: \$139 (\$115/person for teams of 3 or more)

<https://transformgov.org/events/facilitative-leadership-skills-team-success-ut>

Turning Fabulous Flops to Fabulous Feats in Community Engagement

VIRTUAL EVENT | 2018 June 13, at 1pm – 2pm EST

Come join the cities of Ferndale, Michigan and Eagan, Minnesota on June 13, as they discuss their journeys and share their lessons, along with some of the tips they learned along the way. Both will show how their Fabulous Flops were ultimately transformed into Fabulous Feats!

Cost

Member Price: \$49, Non-Member: \$99

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Team Triumphs: A 2018 Innovation Academy Showcase

FREE VIRTUAL EVENT | 2018 June 14, at 1pm – 2pm EST

At the Alliance for Innovation, the most effective and long lasting local government innovations come from teams, *from collaboration*. Since 2013, the Innovation Academy has graduated 54

organizations from local governments across North America. Through guided learning and an applied project, self-selected innovation teams expanded their organizational capacity for innovation and cultivated leadership. As we open enrollment for the Class of 2019 (beginning in August 2018), we want to share and reflect some of the amazing accomplishments and ‘out of the box’ thinking from some of the members of the 2018 graduating class!

<https://transformgov.org/events/team-triumphs-2018-innovation-academy-showcase>

Civic Innovation Lab: Ideas with Love

WORKSHOP | New Smyrna Beach, FL | 2018 June 18, from 11:30am – 5pm ET

Join Alliance for Innovation Senior Fellows Peter Kageyama and Michelle Royal in an interactive workshop discussing the emotions of ideas including the value of fun, the cost of ugly, and the unintended consequences of everyday decisions affecting the long-term economic and social development of places. “Ideas with Love” is for Alliance for Innovation members and potential members that are deeply engaged and seek to ignite new ideas, discover new resources, and delve into new levels of citizen participation to start building a new future, today.

Cost

Members: \$99
Non-Members: \$139

<https://transformgov.org/events/civic-innovation-lab-ideas-love>

So You Have a New Strategic Plan - Now What?

FREE VIRTUAL EVENT | 2018 June 20, at 1pm – 2pm EST

It’s a common experience that the Achilles heel of any plan is the accumulation and follow through of the actions, milestones, and measures that allow for progress to be tracked and communicated. Join this webinar to learn how to keep plans and performance efforts off the shelf and in the heads, hearts, and hands of the people who will make a difference.

In this webinar on June 20, Envisio & Clients will discuss:

- The journey from goal setting, to action planning, to communicating progress.
- Creating the right conditions to achieve staff engagement and buy-in - so implementation succeeds!
- Effective reporting strategies and dashboards.
- Community Dashboards that promote progress and accomplishments for Elected Officials and Residents

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Making the Grade: In-House Dashboards for a Data-Driven Culture

VIRTUAL EVENT | 2018 June 27, at 1pm – 2pm EST

Is your community looking for innovative ways to relay the current health of your community parks to your team, elected boards, and the public? Or have a way to proactively plan future improvement investments based on overall park health? Perhaps a better ROI?

The answers to these questions aren't always easy to come by, but there is hope (and it's affordable too!).

The team at Park District of Oak Park, Illinois, developed an in-house, mobile evaluation tool to easily inspect and measure the quality of park conditions in order to ensure the highest level of service. This data is used for internal work plans, budget development, and public communication. Through this evaluation tool, Anyone can view the dashboards, whether they are Board members or residents. The data drives decision-making for capital investment, maintenance improvements, and prioritization.

Cost

Member Price: \$49, Non-Member: \$99

<https://transformgov.org/events/making-grade-house-dashboards-data-driven-culture>