# CLEAR LANGUAGE LAB

Helping mission-driven organizations communicate clearly, transparently, and effectively

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## Writing for Understanding starts Wednesday 4/14

Clear communication is as important as ever — join our next Writing for Understanding series. We'll meet on 4/14 + 21 + 28 from 2pm-4pm CST with opportunities for independent and peer work, as well as consultation, too — all virtual! Come together with professionals from a variety of sectors to discuss and share ideas around clear, effective, and humanizing communication.

### New FORMAT Training on Thursday May 20 + 27

Our latest FORMAT workshop, *How to Make a Better...Slide Deck* is 5/20 + 27 from 2:30pm-4pm CST. In this small group setting, we'll look at features of successful slide decks, and you'll have a chance to workshop your own content as well. Space is limited.

### **Literacy Action Project - Tuesday 5/23**

This project from Literacy Works brings thought-provoking ideas that advance social justice principles from discussion to action. Each quarter, we'll focus on a new topic and provide resources so we can read, learn, discuss, and act. Our next theme will be wages in the adult literacy sector. In late April, we'll share resources to review. Read and then join us for the discussion on 5/23.

### **Plain Language Foundations: Universal Design**

Save the date for our next Plain Language Foundations workshop, Universal Design: Widening Your Welcome to Create More Inclusive Spaces, on Wednesday, June 9 at 2pm. Free!

Interested in sharing ideas around the issues of our time? Attend the the <a href="LitWorks"><u>LitWorks</u></a>' Reading <u>Group</u> on Thursday 4/29 discussing *On Beauty* by Zadie Smith.