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Call For Proposals

Thank you for your interest in the 2017 Gateways to Opportunity Higher Education Forum Call for Proposals. We are accepting up to twelve proposals (each 75 minutes in length) for professional development presentations from Illinois faculty working in the field of early care and education. All proposed presentations will be chosen through a peer-reviewed evaluation process. Proposed topics should be timely and fall into one of the following areas as applicable to teacher preparation and early care and education in Illinois:

- Policy – e.g. Institutional policies for articulation that support students in bridging
- Research – e.g. Early Math
- Promising Practices – Competency based education

Submissions should include (see attached form):

- Presentation Title
- Description of Presentation (500-word max)
- Learning Objectives
- Research Methods (where applicable)
- Results (where applicable)
- Intended Audience
- Presentation Format
- Strategies Used to Engage Audience
- Opportunities for Linkage and Application
- Equipment Required (flip charts, overhead projectors, projection screens, and laptop computers available)
- Bio of Presenter(s) (100-word max)

Proposals and inquiries should be directed to:

INCCRRA
C/O Andrew Hand
1226 Towanda Plaza
Bloomington, IL 61701

or by email to RFPforum@inccrra.org

Deadline for Proposals: **December 2, 2016**

Notification of status of proposal will be sent by January 9, 2017. Incomplete or late proposals will not be considered. Final presentations (to include handouts, PowerPoints, etc.) will be due April 3, 2017.

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Presenter Information

Primary Presenter Name: _____

Professional Title: _____

Institution: _____

Professional Affiliations: _____

Department: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip Code: _____

Phone: _____ Email Address: _____

Presentation Information

Presentation Title: _____

Presentation Category (check all that apply): ☐ Policy ☐ Research ☐ Promising Practices

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Strategies to Engage Audience:

Opportunities for Linkage and Application:

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