

# 2017 Call for Session Proposals

## Nonprofit Leadership Conference & Regional Nonprofit Summit

May 31-June 1, 2017 • Holiday Inn • Fargo, ND



The North Dakota Association of Nonprofit Organizations (NDANO) and the Minnesota Council of Nonprofits (MCN) invite you to submit an educational session proposal for their collaborative event – the NDANO Nonprofit Leadership Conference and the MCN Regional Nonprofit Summit in Fargo in 2017. This is your opportunity to share your knowledge and perspective with attendees on best practices related to topics such as new trends, governance, accountability, fundraising, advocacy, communication, human resources, planning, financial management, technology and evaluation.

Educational sessions provide an opportunity for staff, board members and volunteers from nonprofits of all sizes, types and backgrounds to examine how others in the profession work to achieve their missions. We invite proposals that examine different points of view, involve innovative thinking and provide new approaches to problem-solving.

All sessions are expected to be 60-75 minutes. NDANO and MCN reserve the right to suggest modifications to session proposals, adjust session titles and descriptions to better align with the conference theme, and reject any proposal that is geared to marketing of a specific product or service. *Selected session presenters will be notified by January 31, 2017.*

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### Session Proposal Requirements

**Please prepare a Word document with the following information:**

- Session Information
  - Title & Description (maximum 150 words)
  - Type (formal presentation, facilitated discussion, other)
  - Target Audience (experience: beginner, intermediate, advanced) (organization size: small, medium, large)
  - Learning Objectives (1-3)
- Presenter Information
  - Name & Organization
  - Contact Information (mailing address, email, phone, website if applicable)
  - Bio (including working/speaking experience on proposed topic; maximum 150 words)
  - References (3 with contact information)

**DEADLINE FOR PROPOSAL SUBMISSION: DECEMBER 15, 2016**

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