

# ADULT LEARNER ADVISING COMMUNITY

Events, Updates, and the Annual Conference

## PRESENTING AT CONFERENCES 101– AN ALAC EVENT

Event Information

### Presenting at Conferences 101

This event will take place at 3pm ET/2pm CT.

If you've never presented at an academic conference before, it can be overwhelming to decide what to present on and how to get started. The Adult Learners – Scholarship Subcommittee wants to help you with that! This will be a panel discussion on how to plan for and present on an advising topic at a conference. We will go through the action steps of writing and submitting a proposal, tips for presenting, and even turning that presentation into a publication after the conference is over. The discussion is meant to be a resource for beginners, but we also welcome those with experience presenting at conferences to share how they got started.

When?

**Monday, Aug 26, 2024, 03:00 PM**

## CHANGES AND UPDATES TO NACADA'S ADVISING COMMUNITY LISTSERVS

**Our new Member Forums offer several advantages over traditional listservs:**

- Enhanced Organization: Discussions are organized by topics and threads, making it easier to follow conversations and find information.
- Improved Accessibility: Access forums anytime, anywhere from our dedicated online platform.
- Search Functionality: Easily search past discussions and resources, ensuring you never miss valuable information.
- User-Friendly Interface: An intuitive and modern interface designed to enhance your experience.

**Key Features of Member Forums:**

- Topic-Based Discussions: Engage in conversations specific to your interests or professional needs.
- Notifications: Stay updated with real-time notifications for threads you subscribe to.
- Private Messaging: Communicate directly with other members through a secure messaging system.
- Resource Library: Access a central repository of shared documents, links, and resources.

#### **Transition Plan:**

- Launch Date: The Member Forums will be live and accessible now!
- Listservs Deactivation: The listservs will be deactivated on June 28, 2024 at 12 noon CDT. Please ensure you transition any important discussions to the forums before this date.

#### **Get Started**

- Login: Visit <https://nacada.ksu.edu/Membership/Get-Involved/Forums.aspx> log in using your member credentials. Not a Member? [Join today!](#)
- Explore: Browse through the different topics and familiarize yourself with the layout.
- Participate: Start or join discussions, ask questions, and share your knowledge.

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## **ANNUAL CONFERENCE– PITTSBURGH, PA**

### **Conference Information and Registration**

Don't forget to register for the annual conference. Early bird registration for the in-person and virtual options ends on Sep. 12th.

## **ANNUAL CONFERENCE– ADULT LEARNER ADVISING COMMUNITY EVENTS**

#### Event Information

#### **Adult Learner Advising Community Meeting**

When?

**Monday, Oct 28, 2024, 09:15 AM**

#### Event Information

#### **Adult Learner Advising Community Social**

This social will take place during the lunch hour from 11:30am-1:30pm.

When?

**Tuesday, Oct 29, 2024, 11:30 AM**

## **CONNECT WITH ALAC ON SOCIAL MEDIA**

LinkedIn- <https://www.linkedin.com/groups/12647058/>

Facebook- [https://www.facebook.com/groups/1126197117496068/discussion/preview/?\\_rdr](https://www.facebook.com/groups/1126197117496068/discussion/preview/?_rdr)

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