

N4A Region I Conference, Philadelphia, PA
Sunday, October, 17th - Monday, October, 18th, 2010
Hosted by Villanova University
Invitation to submit proposal
DEADLINE August 6, 2010

You are invited to submit proposals for workshops during the Region I Conference.

Share research conducted or expertise in:

- Unit Administration (ex. Program Staffing, Program Development, Program Evaluation)
- Cognition/Learning Theory applied to the Student-Athlete Population
- Computers/Technology
- Academic Advising: Methods, Scenarios, Tips, Relationships with Coaches
- Personal Counseling
- Diversity (Including LGBTQA)
- Career & Leadership Development
- Monitoring Academic Eligibility
- APR Improvement Planning
- Learning Strategies across the disciplines
- Work/Life Balance: Reality of Athletics, Career Women and Families, Moving Around
- New Practitioners
- Non-traditional courses
- Panels: Best Practices, Institutional Case Studies on Program Changes in Academic Support Practices/Leadership, New Student-Athlete Orientation Programs, Hot Topics
- Learning Specialists: Focus on Disabilities, Testing, Interventions, Retention of at-risk students
- Small Division 1/Low-Resource Division 1 Schools
- HBCUs
- Training: For Mentors/Tutors, Internal Staff Development Possibilities, Basic Academic Rules, Grant Proposal Writing

Deliver workshops that advance the knowledge and skills of:

- Graduate Assistants/Interns
- Academic Counselors/Advisors
- Unit Directors
- Educational/Learning Specialists
- Two-Year College Practitioners
- High School Counselors advising student-athletes
- Campus Officials (Assistant Athletic Directors, FAR, etc.)

Panel presentations and collaborative efforts with colleagues from other institutions are encouraged! In addition, we are working to recruit advisors from junior colleges in the region, so presentations involving junior college issues are welcome.

Guidelines for Proposal Submission

Steps in Submitting a Proposal

Session Proposal Form: Complete the N4A Region I Workshop Submission Form.

Abstract: Please type presentation objectives, content, and outline in a 250-word (maximum) **abstract** on a **separate page**. This is a blind page and should NOT include the names of presenters.

Presenter Bios: Please include a short bio on each presenter. In the bio, please include education, work history, expertise, publications, specializations, and certifications. Bio should be limited to 200 words.

Responsibilities of Presenters

- All presenters must have expertise in their session topic.
- All presenters **must register** and **pay fees** for the conference. N4A is unable to reimburse program participants for expenses.
- If all session presenters are not registered, the session will be cancelled.
- When two or more people are presenting, the Contact Presenter is responsible for notifying all co-presenters about the status of the proposal.
- Sessions selected for the conference should not have the content significantly changed once the proposal is accepted.
- Presenters are responsible for providing session handouts (Please have at least 25-30 handouts for your session—more information will be provided as the conference date closes per conference attendees).

N4A Region I Workshop Submission Form
This form must accompany your Abstract and Bio
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Submission E-mail: hammond@umbc.edu

Workshop Title:

Lead Presenter:

Presenter's Title:

Presenter's Address:

City:

State:

Zip:

Phone:

Fax:

E-Mail:

Co-Presenters:

Will you need a LCD projector screen? YES NO
(WE DO NOT PROVIDE THE LCD PROJECTOR!!)

Special needs or requests?