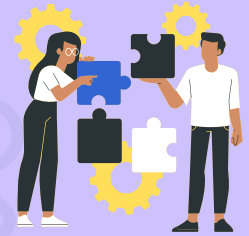


Facilitating Effective Community Conversations



Workshop 2

This hands-on training will offer easy-to-use techniques and strategies for planning and leading community conversations that keep our member municipalities' residents informed and involved in the decisions that affect their lives. We will learn simple and effective ways to create a safe and supportive environment where everyone's voice is heard and honored, even when talking about challenging and controversial issues. This workshop is open to all – including people and municipalities who have started hosting community conversations and want to learn from each other's experience, and those who are looking for a place to start.

Hosted by Ben Fink

Ben Fink, Ph.D., works with communities across the country—from the rural coalfields of Kentucky and the Black Belt of Alabama to the urban centers of West Baltimore and North Milwaukee—to create the conditions for people of all kinds to share stories and make change. His work in theater, organizing, and economic development has been featured by Salon.com, the Brookings Institution, MIT, Harvard Law School, and the National Endowment for the Arts. In 2020 Ben was recognized by Time Magazine as one of “27 People Bridging Divides Across America.”



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