

## NASC National Conference Adviser Small Group Workshops

**June 27, 2010 at Indiana University Purdue University Indianapolis (IUPUI)**

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Presenter	Time and Room	Description
Karen Crawford MCPS Student Affairs Office Gaithersburg, MD	9:30 – 10:15 a.m. in CE 309	<b>Naughty Words – A Public Speaking Workshop for Middle Level Advisers</b> Do you want to learn a fun way to teach your middle school student leaders about public speaking? This workshop will demonstrate a fun way to teach your students and test those skills including a short demonstration. (High School advisers are welcome to attend as well.)
Derek Emery Minneapolis Public Schools-City Wide Student Government Minneapolis, MN	9:30 – 10:15 a.m. in CE 450B	<b>How Can I Grow as a Leader? Discovering Your Personal Power</b> So often as student council advisers we spend a vast amount of time training and offering opportunities to our students but how often do we stop and think “what about me?” This session will explore the process of discovering what makes you powerful, why you are powerful, and how to access your personal power. Remember, leadership starts at the top! A powerful adviser produces powerful leaders.
Sandra Hoff & Kristy Van Meeteren Washington High School Sioux Falls, SD	9:30 – 10:15 a.m. in CE 305	<b>Reading Interventions with Student Council &amp; Low Level Readers</b> Warriors Read Together is a building-wide program in which staff and student council members read with students who are reading below the third grade level. Our student council members read with English Language Learners and students with special needs to improve their reading level and to increase their confidence. Not only do students improve academically, they also build relationships that go beyond the school day (attending sporting events, fine art activities, dances). These are typically students who look up to student council students and would have never crossed paths without this program. We have successfully run this program for the past 5 years with our reading staff. We will discuss how to begin this program, supplies needed, and the expectations.
Teresa Mankin Training, government & Education Sales Wiley Publishing Indianapolis, IN	9:30 – 10:15 a.m. in CE 307	<b>The Student Leadership Challenge</b> This workshop introduces students and advisers to the 5 Practices of Exemplary Leadership that make up <i>The Student Leadership Challenge</i> . The SLC is based on 25 years of research by Jim Kouzes and Barry Posner of Santa Clara University. Plan to be up and moving during this hour that will provide students and advisers nuggets of information to help them be better leaders wherever and however they serve.
Ed Gerety Exeter, NH	9:30 – 10:15 a.m. in CE 450C	<b>Leadership in Action: Engaging Students to Step Up and Lead</b> Join keynote speaker Ed Gerety as he gives you the techniques and strategies that he uses in teaching students to develop as leaders. Participants in this interactive session will experience firsthand activities and exercises that can be used to help students reach their full potential and improve school climate.
Michael Sarich Teen Truth Live San Diego, CA	10:30 a.m. – 12:00 p.m. in CE 305	<b>TEEN TRUTH LIVE</b> is North America’s premier student assembly experience. The trademark combination of award-winning, student-shot films and professional motivational speakers makes for one unforgettable and life-changing event. Each high-concept film features its own unique style that uncovers the real truth on the issues that students face but don’t talk about. With subjects such as BULLYING & SCHOOL VIOLENCE, DRUGS & ALCOHOL, and BODY IMAGE & SELF ESTEEM, TEEN TRUTH LIVE boasts the most unique issue-focused assembly programs available. In less than three years the films have reached over 2.5 million people and the TEEN TRUTH LIVE speakers have personally touched over 500,000 lives.
Derek Felton Corona, NY	10:30 a.m. – 12:00 p.m. in CE 307	<b>How to Inspire Black and Latino Male Students</b> This workshop is for who work with Black and Latino males and want to see them succeed. Topics for discussion are: the unique challenges this population faces; best practices for addressing their issues as shared by advocates from around the US; what to do when there is a lack of parental involvement; how to tie the importance of classroom performance to their dreams. As time allows we’ll also work in groups to share experiences, wins, and support each other on our journeys. I believe that by working together we can make a positive impact in the lives of these young men.

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Peter Bielagus Bedford, NH	10:30 a.m. – 12:00 p.m. in CE 450B	<b>Making Finance Fun: How To Get Young America Excited About The World's Most Boring Subject™</b> Let's face it. Getting students excited about their personal finances can be like getting them excited about a root canal. Unfortunately, the subject of personal finance was long ago branded with the boring stamp. But it doesn't have to be that way. Let America's top expert on getting young people excited about their money show you how the tips, tricks and tools he uses in his presentations to over 10,000 college students a year.
Laymon Hicks Tallahassee, FL	10:30 a.m. – 12:00 p.m. in CE 309	<b>We Need You: The Leader Behind the Student Leader</b> Sharing wisdom from his role as the Student Body President where he managed a budget of \$10.3 million, Laymon A. Hicks, one of America's foremost authorities on student leadership, energizes those who work with student leaders. Designed specifically with the adviser in mind, Laymon shares key strategies to help build a stronger connection and improve the working relationship with the students who are leading the organization. In this high energy and dynamic workshop, advisers will learn tips that will not only enhance their organization, but will also better their lives.
Russ Peak McMinnville, OR	10:30 a.m. – 12:00 p.m. in CE 450C	<b>Building Leaders With A Vision</b> Why should the students have all the fun? In this session, join youth motivation expert Russ Peak for an interactive experience that has something for every adviser both new and old. We'll cover creating a student designed mission statement for your leadership organization, developing a vision that your campus will support, and how to empower students to identify and use their strengths in the leadership environment. <b>Bonus:</b> all handouts are clear and useable to reproduce this session for your students. <b>Plus,</b> all attendees to this session will receive a complimentary copy of Russ Peak's new student goal setting book, "Invent Your Future."