2011 LOCAL EMPLOYMENT DYNAMICS PARTNERSHIP ANNUAL WORKSHOP

CALL FOR PRESENTATION PROPOSALS

Local Employment Dynamics

All About Jobs

Submission Deadline: Thursday, December 2, 2010

12th Annual LED Partnership Workshop March 9-10, 2011 TBD, Washington, D.C.

THE PARTNERSHIP SEEKS PRESENTATIONS ON PRACTICAL APPLICATIONS OF LOCAL EMPLOYMENT DYNAMICS (LED) DATA

Submit a proposal to present at the 12th Annual LED Partnership Workshop dedicated to professional development and networking for Labor Market Information directors, analysts, federal agencies, nonprofit organizations, businesses, and other data users.

Selected presenters will be featured in targeted breakout sessions during prime time at this popular learning event. Presentations may include but are not limited to the following topics of interest:

Emergency Management Transportation Planning Economic Development Workforce Systems Education Planning Measuring the Recovery

ONLINE SUBMISSION:

All presentations must be submitted via email to mailto:CES.local.employment.dynamics@census.gov. Please provide the following information:

- Your name and contact information
- Brief bio
- Proposed title of the presentation
- Brief abstract of the presentation (3 sentences/50-60 words)
- Description of the presentation (200-300 words)
- Audio/visual needs (workshop management will supply PC, digital projector, and high-speed Internet)

Proposals must include all requested information and must be received by **Thursday**, **December 2**, **2010**. You will receive an e-mail confirmation upon receipt of your submission.

SELECTION PROCESS:

The LED Partnership seeks presentations that reflect:

- Case studies, innovations, best practices using LED data, including OnTheMap, QWI Online, Industry Focus, or VRDC data download
- Integration of LED data with other sources
- · LED-based programs and initiatives that demonstrate measurable impact and results
- · Outstanding success stories

The Workshop Planning Team is responsible for reviewing the presentations submitted, as well as creating a meaningful and well-balanced workshop program. Proposals will be judged on the following criteria:

- Relevance
- · Decision-making and/or problem solving

Usefulness to other data users

Presentation proposals are also eligible for inclusion in the Poster Session (see Poster Session information).

NOTIFICATION:

Submitters will be notified of selection status via e-mail by mid-December 2010. The decision of the committee is final. Once selected, presenters must confirm their ability to present NO LATER than Thursday, **January 13, 2011**.

POLICIES AND PROCEDURES:

- 1. Presentations must feature the use of Local Employment Dynamics data, alone or in combination with other data sources.
- 2. Visual representations (PowerPoint, maps, graphs, data visualization) and online demonstrations are strongly encouraged.
- 3. Uses/applications of the LED data must be substantially new and should not have been featured in previous LED Partnership workshops.
- 4. Presentations may be posted to the LED Partnership Web site and used in promotional materials.
- 5. The LED Partnership reserves the right to edit all submitted presentations for publication on the Web site and in the workshop program.
- 6. The Workshop Program Team will determine the day and times for the presentation.
- 7. Selected presentations should be 30 minutes in duration, with an additional 10 minutes for questions and answer; a discussant may moderate and encourage discussion of potential/similar uses of the LED data in the presentations.
- 8. The U.S. Census Bureau will provide two nights lodging and airfare (using government contract carriers) for selected presenters. Other costs will be at the expense of the selected presenters.
- 9. Staff of the LEHD Program at the U.S. Census Bureau is not eligible to submit proposals.

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CALL FOR POSTER PROPOSALS

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Submission Deadline: Thursday, December 16, 2010

12th Annual LED Partnership Workshop March 9-10, 2011 TBD, Washington, D.C.

The 12th Annual Local Employment Dynamics (LED) Partnership Workshop will once again offer a poster session, featuring large-format documents that inform attendees about recent research findings or practical applications of LED data alone or in combination with other data sources.

Submitted posters will be displayed for attendees to read at their leisure during the workshop. A scheduled "poster session" will allow poster authors and attendees to discuss the work.

TOPICS:

Poster topics may include, but are not limited to the following categories:

Measuring the Recovery Education Planning
Workforce Systems Economic Development
Transportation Planning Emergency Management

ONLINE SUBMISSION:

Poster proposals must be submitted via e-mail to mailto:CES.local.employment.dynamics@census.gov. Please provide the following information:

- Poster Your name and contact information
- Brief bio
- Proposed title of poster
- Brief abstract of the poster proposal (3 sentences/50-60 words)

REVIEW PROCESS:

The Workshop Planning Team is responsible for reviewing the poster submissions. We encourage poster proposals that reflect:

- Case studies, innovations, best practices using LED data, including OnTheMap, QWI Online, Industry Focus, or VRDC data download
- Integration of LED data with other sources
- LED-based programs and initiatives that demonstrate measurable impact and results
- Outstanding success stories using LED data

NOTIFICATION:

Submitters will be notified of an accepted poster proposal via e-mail by mid-January 2011. Once selected, submitters must confirm their ability to provide the proposed poster NO LATER than Thursday, **February 10, 2011**.

POSTER SPECIFICATIONS:

Accepted posters are shipped by the author to the workshop site (details to follow) to arrive on a given date. Posters must be mounted for display on easels. A standard size of 24"x36" is acceptable. Accepted posters may be photographed for use on LED's Web site.