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About the Presenter

Sarah Snider, MBA, currently serves as Facilitator of the Rural Health Innovation Collaborative (RHIC) in Terre Haute, Indiana. The RHIC is a partnership among Indiana University School of Medicine, Union Hospital and its Richard G. Lugar Center for Rural Health, Indiana State University, Ivy Tech Community College – Wabash Valley, The City of Terre Haute – Mayor’s Office, the Terre Haute Economic Development Corporation and the Vermillion-Parke Community Health Center. The mission of the RHIC is to improve and expand education and training of health care professionals and future health care professionals, especially for those committed to serving rural and underserved populations. Sarah has also served as an Advisor to B&D Consulting in Washington D.C. She also currently serves as an independent consultant. In her role with B&D, Sarah counseled clients in health, life sciences and economic development matters. As an independent consultant, Sarah works with clients on health-related project management, including assisting clients to obtain grant funding for these projects.

Prior to becoming Facilitator of the RHIC, Sarah served for 14 years as Administrator of Union Hospital’s Richard G. Lugar Center for Rural Health in Terre Haute, Indiana. Sarah has also been extremely successful at obtaining grant funds to support the Lugar Center’s many activities. Sarah’s experience also includes serving as a founding member of the Indiana Rural Health Association (IRHA) as well as president of IRHA. Sarah also served as president of the west-central Indiana Area Health Education Center (AHEC).

Prior to moving to Indiana and then to Pennsylvania, Sarah worked as a Research Analyst with the Employee Benefit Research Institute in Washington D.C. Her research there focused on employee benefits issues with a specific focus on health policy. She has authored numerous articles, which have appeared in journals such as Health Affairs, the Statistical Bulletin and the Journal of Labor

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Grant Writing Symposium 2010

About the Details

Sarah Snider will provide an overview of the pre-proposal phase, where to find funding, assembling the proposal, submitting the proposal, and grants management. Sarah’s style is hands-on and interactive. The same workshop will be held in East Tennessee and West Tennessee.

September 22, 2010

Loudon County Technology Center

4380 Harrison Road

Lenoir City, TN 37771

865-986-2036

10 am-3 pm (lunch included)

September 24, 2010

Doubletree Hotel

1770 Hwy 45 Bypass

Jackson, TN 38305

731-668-0474

10 am-3 pm (lunch included)

Research. Sarah earned her master's degree in business administration (M.B.A.) from American University in Washington D.C. Sarah currently lives just outside of Pittsburgh in New Kensington, Pennsylvania.

THE AGENDA

- I. Pre-Proposal Phase
 - a. Clear Concept of Mission/
Keeping it all in Context
 - b. Where to Find Funding
 - c. Is this Opportunity a Good Fit?
 - d. Assembling the Partners and Writing Team
 - e. Brainstorming Ideas and Objectives
 - f. Relationship Building
- II. Proposal Phase
 - a. Assembling the Pieces
 - i. Cover Page
 - ii. Abstract
 - iii. Statement of Need
 - iv. Project Goal, Objectives and Activities
 - v. Evaluation
 - vi. Detailed Description of Project
 - vii. Budget and Budget Narrative
 - viii. Biographical Sketches
 - ix. Letters of Support
 - x. Additional Attachments
 - b. Submitting Your Application
- III. Post Proposal Phase
 - a. Review Process
 - b. Grants Management

ABOUT RHAT

The Rural Health Association of Tennessee (RHAT) is a not-for-profit organization of over 900 individuals and organizations representing a diverse statewide membership consisting of individuals and organizations committed to improve the health of all rural Tennesseans. The Association provides leadership on rural issues through advocacy, communication, education, and legislation.

Lunch will provide an opportunity to network with peers.

Interested in Exhibiting?

Booth cost for the day is \$65. Yes

The National Rural Health Association provided grant funds to help fund this symposium. RHAT receives partial funding from the State of Tennessee.

Grant Writing Symposium Registration Form

Name _____

Title _____

Organization _____

Mailing Address _____

Phone _____

Email _____

Which location will you be attending?

September 22, 2010 in Loudon

September 24, 2010 in Jackson

Cost to Attend Per Session:

RHAT Members \$45 Non-members \$110

If you are not a current RHAT member, join now and receive the discounted rate for the symposium. New membership is valid from present through end of 2011.

(Membership in RHAT: \$175 organizational; \$50 professional; \$10 student)

Please feel free to share with colleagues.

Deadline to register – September 14, 2010

Amount Enclosed: \$ _____

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