

ONLINE PROPOSAL DEVELOPMENT WORKSHOP

A community-driven approach to funding applications

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November 6th, 9th, 13th, 20th and 23rd 2020
11:00am – 1:00pm and 2:00pm - 4:00pm CST

SESSION 1- Learn how to find and fill out grant applications for your project

November 6, 2020

AM: How to find the correct funding to support your project goals (Tips and tools)

- Introductions
- Sharing ideas forward
- How to identify funding sources (government vs non-government) and your eligibility

PM: The ABC's of filling out a formal funding application (a step-by-step interactive learning session)

- Objectives and outcomes
- Capacity building
- Support by community and leadership
- Partnership
- Project management and identifying roles
- Budget and timeline
- Evaluation criteria
- Due dates and package submission
- Conclusion and following sessions

SESSION 2: How to apply for government and/or non-government funding

November 9, 2020

AM: Applying for your own government-funded project

Interactive support to start your application for Indigenous Guardians Pilot Program-Application deadline Nov 30, 2020

- Introduction and quick recap from session 1
- Different types of government funding
- In-depth summary of Indigenous Guardians Pilot Program application
- Tips from previous successful applications (Guest speaker)

PM: Applying for your own non-government funded project

Interactive support to start your application for Indigenous Peoples' Resilience Fund- Open-ended application

- Different types of non-government funding
- In-depth summary of Indigenous Peoples Resilience Fund
- Tips from previous successful applications (Guest speaker)

SESSION 3: Do's and Don'ts of funding application followed by one-on-one proposal writing)

November 13, 2020

AM: Top 10 Do's and Don'ts when applying for funding

- (Guest speaker: Dr. Stephane McLachlan)

PM: Taking your application to the next level

- One-on-one help sessions with successfully funded grant recipients, where you can create your own application
- Arranging for letters of support and Band Council Resolutions

SESSION 4: One-on-one review and final submission

November 20

AM: Skill-building

- Creating indicators and benchmarks
- Working through timelines and budgets

PM: Refining text

- Keep it simple and specific
- Active voice and outcome-oriented

November 23rd, 2020

Final Steps

- Final revisions (wording, budgets, check lists)
- Submission of your application for funding