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Q1 Presentation Title

Opportunities in the Adoption Field

Q2 Topic Area

Student and Early Career Professional Track - college to career readiness, competencies, implementation.

Q3 75-Word Description of Workshop

Dr. Jackie Wilson, CEO of Three Rivers Adoption Council and Social Work Professor at the University of Pittsburgh, will share information on how to successfully transition from college into a career in adoption. Dr. Wilson will discuss what entry-level jobs are available in adoption, the skills that are needed to successfully perform these jobs, what to expect during your first year of employment and with your first set of clients. Students and early career professionals will learn how to "manage up" with your supervisor, impress your Executive Director, and collaborate well with your colleagues, all while supporting the needs of children and teens who are waiting to be adopted in foster care.

Q4 Format**Lecture**

Q5 AEA will not provide LCD projectors or computers. However, we will provide a hook-up. Will you need hook-up for your computer and projector?

Yes**Q6 Lead Presenter Information**

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Q7 Brief Biography of Lead Presenter

Jacqueline Wilson; Ph.D./LSW has been the Chief Executive Officer of Three Rivers Adoption Council (TRAC) since 2000. Dr. Wilson currently serves on the Boards of the Adoption Exchange Association and Voice for Adoption. She was appointed to the Pennsylvania State Wide Adoption and Permanency Network Advisory Board, and served as its president for 2 years. She is also a member of the University Of Pittsburgh School Of Social Work Advisory Committee as well as the school's Cannon Fellowship Advisory Committee. Dr. Wilson has been an adjunct professor at the University of Pittsburgh, School of Social Work, for 4 years.

Q8 Second Presenter Information

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Q9 Brief Biography of Second Presenter

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