

## 2018 ANNUAL SYMPOSIUM CALL FOR PAPERS

October 18 & 19, 2018

**\* WORKSHOPS ARE ON FRIDAY, OCTOBER 19, 2018 \***

### STRENGTH-BASED APPROACHES: MOVING FROM LIFE CHALLENGES TO HOPE & HEALING

The 2018 NASW Symposium will focus on hope and healing around vicarious traumatization, family dynamics, societal stressors, and other trauma related challenges. Workshops will cover topics with strength-based approaches.

#### The Symposium Committee seeks presentation abstracts on the below topics:

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| - Diversity & Cultural Proficiency | - Life Span Decision Making                  | - Restorative Justice  |
| - Public Policy                    | - Peace-making (Families, Communities, etc.) | - Religious Issues     |
| - Forgiveness and Healing          | - Environmental Justice                      | - Spirituality         |
| - Mediation                        | - Mindfulness                                | - White Privilege      |
| - Unconscious Bias                 | - Vicarious Traumatization                   | - Depression & Anxiety |

#### Categories for presentation could include:

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| - Administration         | - Advocacy                             | - Research             |
| - Community Organization | - Clinical & Therapeutic Interventions | - Social Policy Issues |
| - Innovative Programs    | - Social Work Ethics                   | - Theoretical Models   |

As a Symposium Presenter, you will have the opportunity to share your expertise with colleagues from across the state. Presenters receive free registration for Friday, October 19, 2018, lunch is not included. If you plan to attend both days, you pay registration for one-day only.

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#### OR SUBMIT AN ABSTRACT FOR YOUR WORKSHOP USING THE FOLLOWING FORMAT:

- **Title of Presentation:** This will be the title shared with participants registering for your workshop. Please limit your title to a minimum of 60 words.
- **Presenter(s):** Include presenter(s) name, credentials, mailing address, day and evening phone numbers, and an email address. Please also include a copy of the presenter(s) resume (s).
- **Bio of Presenter (s):** Please include a short bio of the presenter (s) which can be used as an introduction in the sessions.
- **Abstract:** Content of the workshop (60-word limit).
- **Goals and Objectives:** At the end of the workshop, what new knowledge or skills will participants have gained because of this presentation.
- **Length of workshop:** 1 ½ or 3 hours
- **Intended Audience:** Beginning, Intermediate, Advanced, or all
- **A/V Needs:** TV, DVD player, LCD Projector, flip chart, speakers, white erase board, CD player, screen, sound.

Send abstract, resume, and AV needs by 8 am, Monday, June 25, 2018

**Abstracts received after this date may not be considered.**

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