

session, where you can learn the ins and outs of submitting one or even two session proposals for AEA 2024. With over a decade of experience presenting at AEA conferences, Kim & Sheila have skillfully led various session types, including highly successful pre-conference workshops. In this session, you will receive a comprehensive overview of the proposal submission process, along with invaluable advice for achieving success. We will also be available to address your questions and direct you to supplementary resources.

Have questions or need more details? Reach out to the Chari Smith at chari@evaluationintoaction.com

[Register Here!](#)

OPEN DEIJ Learning Series:

Calling all OPEN members to submit proposals to host DEIJ series from fall 2023. Please reach out to the OPEN council members if you plan to host DEIJ series.

Upcoming Affiliate Events & Other Opportunities

Expanding your frame

The recently expanded [Equitable Evaluation Framework™](#) (EEF) offers ways of being, thinking, and doing evaluation differently. Along with foundations as early practice partners, the expanded EEF invites consultants, nonprofits, and other partners into this change process. The EEF offers many entry points and includes: a set of principles as foundational guideposts; orthodoxies to be challenged; tensions to be navigated; sticking points to be moved through; and mindsets to be shifted toward. Its accompanying questions can be helpful in day to day practice and reimagining what might be possible. ([Downloadable PDF](#))

Thank you to OPEN Member Kim Leonard for sharing this information!

Join AEA for Evaluation 2023: The Power of Story

[Evaluation 2023](#) registration is now open! The American Evaluation Association is excited to bring thousands of evaluators together at this year's conference, happening **October 9-14, 2023** in Indianapolis, IN.

Join a global community of peers for several days of skill-building, idea sharing, networking and more. The event will feature 300+ top-notch sessions over the course of the week.

Local Affiliate Collaborative (LAC) @ AEA 2023 Conference

- [Building Support for Evaluators through Local Affiliates of AEA](#)

Thursday, October 12, 2023 11:30 AM – 12:30 PM ET Location: Room 309/310

- [How to connect your TIG or Affiliate by telling your story: A round table session about the IC Topic Chats](#)

Thursday, October 12, 2023 3:45 PM – 4:45 PM ET Location: White River Ballroom B

- [Networking Sessions/Happy Hours LAC Breakfast](#)

Wake up early to connect with other affiliates over an Indy500-themed breakfast (free of charge).

When: Fri, October 13, 7-8am ET

Where: JW Marriott Room 209 (Indianapolis)

Please fill out one [RSVP form](#) per participating affiliate member, for a max of 2 attendees per affiliate.

RSVP by WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 4, so we can ensure there's enough food for everyone.

To learn more about these events:

- localaffiliates@protonmail.com (breakfast & happy hour)
 - npenney05@gmail.com (lunch)
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From the Job Board (July & August Jobs, RFPs, & Internships)

Know of an evaluation-related job listing, RFP, or internship opportunity that would be of interest to the OPEN community? As an *OPEN member*, you can share opportunities directly to the [Job Board](#) -- and you can also "subscribe" to each month's job thread to learn about opportunities when they're posted!

- **Developmental Evaluator: City of Portland Safer Summers Program, Portland, OR, United States**

Call for Council Members & Presenters

Do you want to help make OPEN a vibrant community? We need your help! We're looking for 2023 council members, event presenters and ideas, blog posts, resources, and more. We have opportunities for every level of skill and availability, and we're here to help you brainstorm how you can help!

Reach out today!

Join or Renew Your Membership!

Are you a friend of OPEN and looking to become more involved? We would love to see you again!

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