NMHC Speakers Bureau Presenter Application

Thank you for applying to be a presenter with the New Mexico Humanities Council Speakers Bureau. Up to two presentation proposals will be accepted from one speaker. Please complete a separate application for each presentation proposal. **Please download this document to fill it out. Go to "File", select "Download" and choose the format you would like to work with (Word Doc, PDF, etc)**

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CONTACT INFORMATION
All fields are required, except mailing address if it is the same as the physical address and website if one does not exist. Please note that your phone number and/or email address will be given to host organizations who are interested in scheduling your program. Your mailing/physical address *will not be shared with third parties or the general public.*

Name:
Email:
Phone Number:
Website:
Physical Address:
Mailing Address :

WHAT IS RACIAL/ETHNIC IDENTITY? (Optional field)

WHAT IS YOU GENDER IDENTITY? (Optional field)

TITLE OF PRESENTATION (Max 60 characters)

PRESENTATION DESCRIPTION
Please provide a short description about your proposed presentation. If you are selected as a speaker, this description may be used in publicity materials.

EQUIPMENT OR FACILITY NEEDS
Please list any technical equipment or performance provisions you require (for example, a projector, audio equipment, internet access, a changing room, etc.). Please indicate if you can provide your own equipment (projector, laptop, audio equipment, etc.) or if the host will need to provide it.

DESCRIBE YOUR AUDIENCE
Please describe the audience that your presentation is aimed at, including age range (adults, elementary school students, etc.). If your presentation is suitable for a range of audience ages, please describe how you would adapt your presentation for younger audiences.

PRESENTATION GOAL AND RELEVANCE
What impact do you want your presentation to have on audiences? Why is it important to and timely for New Mexico communities?

DISCUSSION OPPORTUNITIES
How will you engage the audience in meaningful conversation beyond Q & A? If applicable, do you incorporate other interactive experiences in your presentation?

CREATIVE AND CRITICAL THINKING
Explain how your presentation can inspire new ways of thinking about the subject. How will the presentation encourage people to think critically about the topic and/or issues facing their communities?

HUMANITIES THEMES
Explain how your presentation encourages audiences to explore one or more aspects of the humanities disciplines -- history, philosophy, society and culture, religion, languages, literature, politics, law, and the arts.

EXPERTISE
Please discuss your expertise with the subject matter of your proposed presentation. This can include formal academic study, stature as a tradition bearer within your cultural community, or other significant and varied experience.

DO YOU HAVE THE ABILITY TO PRESENT IN ANOTHER LANGUAGE?
If yes, please provide details about your language proficiency and the language you can present in.

PUBLIC SPEAKING EXPERIENCE

Please detail your public speaking experience with general audiences outside of the classroom setting.

DISCUSSION FACILITATION EXPERIENCE
Tell us about any experience you have leading discussions. If you haven't formally facilitated discussions before, how do you approach audience engagement in your presentations?

RESUME
Attach your resume or CV in DOC or PDF format.

BRIEF BIOGRAPHY
Provide a brief biography that does not exceed 100 words. If your program is selected for the Speakers Bureau, this bio may be used in your catalog profile.

VIDEO SUBMISSION (Optional)
Attach a short, 3-8 minutes, video segment (10 MB max) introducing yourself and your program. It may be a sample of the program you are submitting for consideration. The sample must have taken place no more than one year from the date of this application. If the video exceeds attachment limits, please provide a link to an online video source (e.g. YouTube) in the email containing this completed form, resume or CV, and letter of support.

PUBLIC SPEAKING REFERENCES

Provide the names, phone numbers and email addresses of two references who must be able to speak to your expertise with this subject matter and your ability to present to general audiences.

<u>Reference 1</u>
Name:
Phone:
Email:

<u>Reference 2</u>
Name:
Phone:
Email:

ELECTRONIC SIGNATURE
By typing my signature below, I certify that all the information provided in this application is true and correct. I understand that falsified information may result in my dismissal from the NMHC Speakers Bureau program, if I am accepted.