**Publicly-Engaged Scholar Ignite Presentations**

Developing an **Ignite Presentation** is an opportunity for you to clarify what you learned through your research process and why it matters. It's meant to be a fun way to take a first step in what is often a long reflective journey - and an exercise in communicating complexity with clarity.

Here's a guide to thinking about the Ignite format and thinking about riffing off of it. Presenters on April 22, 2025 will have five minutes each, in Lutnick Library 200, with the event start at 4:30 pm. **Please note there is no longer a slide number minimum with Ignite Talks. The core guidelines are the minutes maximum coupled with compelling narrative and visuals**. You can have whatever number of slides you find is appropriate for the communication task at hand.

The format here asks you to consider the power of presentation and its disproportionate relationship to funding, followers, and the question of what ideas gain traction. Aim for jazz and pizzazz, or compelling narrative and photography, or rhetorical and presentation styles that wow – in addition to well-organized presentation.

**When you present, address how your research:**

1. advanced understanding and action for peace, justice, or global citizenship
2. emerged with and from people most affected by the justice / injustice question under consideration, and
3. disseminated results in a manner conscious of inclusive and accessible knowledge mobilization (this happens a variety of ways, from sharing results with people implementing policy or programs, to sharing information for movement-building, to writing op-eds or reporting back to justice organizations served; this can be in-process)

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