



# IDEAS IN MOTION

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## 2014 IABG CONFERENCE

October 8 & 9, 2014  
Federal Reserve Bank of Chicago – Chicago, Illinois  
**Request for Workshop Proposals**  
*Proposals due June 13, 2014*

### GENERAL INFORMATION

The Illinois Asset Building Group is accepting workshop proposals for our 2014 statewide asset building conference – Ideas in Motion.

Our statewide conference brings together leaders in the asset building field to share promising programs and to engage in discussions on how to increase equity by expanding access to the tools people need to build financially secure futures for themselves and their children.

### WHO SHOULD SUBMIT PROPOSALS

Community leaders, service providers, researchers, advocates, staff from financial institutions, community organizers, and others engaged in efforts to increase asset ownership or create asset protections for individuals and communities are encouraged to submit a proposal. We accept proposals from organizations within Illinois as well as from leaders across the country.

Innovative programs or policies that advance asset building within communities of color and help eliminate the racial wealth gap are strongly encouraged to submit a proposal. We also encourage applicants to partner with other organizations, advocates, and/or researchers to create a strong, comprehensive, workshop.

### PRESENTER BENEFITS

- Free conference registration.
- \$100 honorarium (one per presenter) & some travel assistance.
- Exposure to a statewide audience that represents a wide array of organizations and individuals working to expand financial empowerment opportunities in Illinois.

### PRESENTER COMMITMENT

- Participate in a 30-minute teleconference to outline presentation goals and expectations.
- Provide your own materials, handouts, and reports if necessary.
- Submit all presentation materials and handouts in electronic form to the conference organizer at least two weeks in advance of the conference for electronic duplication and distribution within the conference materials and online.

**Note:** *By submitting a proposal, the presenter expresses intent to fulfill these expectations, if accepted.*





## SUBMISSION INFORMATION

We ask that your proposal include the following information:

1. Contact Information
2. Session Title (maximum 8 words)
3. Session Type: formal presentation, panel presentation, activity/demonstration, open space discussion, other (we encourage interactivity and creativity).
4. Session Description (250 words or less)
5. Learning Objectives (no more than 3)
6. Presenter Bios (100 words maximum per presenter)
7. Background Information: Please include brief background information highlighting your expertise on the topic and your experience as a workshop presenter.
8. Special Needs: List any special equipment you expect to need for your presentation – projector, computer, audio equipment, flip charts, etc.

All presentation proposals should be submitted electronically to Lucy Mullany – [lmullany@heartlandalliance.org](mailto:lmullany@heartlandalliance.org) – by June 13, 2014. Please provide all the information requested in one document. If you have questions, contact Lucy at 312.870.4939.

