



#FairTradeLearning



GROVES CONFERENCE on Marriage and Family

Call for Proposals

This will not be a typical academic conference, and so presentations will not be typical either! **There will be no technology available, and topics MUST relate to Native American/indigenous families. Presentations will be scheduled throughout the five days in coordination with other planned activities.** We welcome creative ideas for presentation formats; below we list some possible presentation formats/ideas:

- Facilitate a discussion of relevant readings (we have a list of recommended readings from Amizade available for anyone interested);
 - Suggested time – 45 minutes
- Facilitate a reflection on a relevant topic or the day's activities;
 - Suggested time – 30 minutes
- Present information/research relating to Native American families or indigenous populations.
 - Suggested time – 15 minutes

Feel free to reach out to the conference organizers, Kari Adamsons (kari.adamsons@uconn.edu) and Heather Sedges (hsedges@utk.edu) if you have an idea for a proposal/presentation on which you would like feedback or if you have any questions.

Proposals must include the following information:

- Your name, position, and employer.
- Whether your employer requires you to present in order to fund/reimburse your travel. We will prioritize those who need to present in order to be able to attend.
- The format of your proposed presentation, including the amount of time you would require for any presentation and any discussion (keep in mind that shorter allows more presentations)
- A brief description of your proposed presentation topic.

The link to the application form will be sent separately and the submission portal will be open starting September 15, 2022. Please fill out the form to propose a presentation.

*****Proposals are due by midnight on Monday, October 3, 2022*****