

High Impact eAdvocacy

Overview

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First Things

- ▶ Introductions: Who are you?
 - Name
 - What do you want to get out of today?



First Things

- ▶ This training is envisioned as a dialog
- ▶ Please ask questions early and often
 - Especially if and when we use technical jargon, terminology and concepts you don't know
- ▶ It will only be as valuable for you as you make it!

Limitations of Online Organizing

- ▶ Digital divides
 - Never forget who's left out by "e" strategies
- ▶ Trust relationships are best built in person
 - Online organizing is most effective when it leverages established social networks and communities
- ▶ Each community and campaign is different
 - Your mileage will vary

Bottom Line

- ▶ Online tools aren't a magic bullet
 - You need
 - An achievable campaign goal
 - A compelling message
 - Effective tactics to realize goal
 - A plan for engaging supporters and well-defined ways for them to plug in
 - eAdvocacy is more about organizing and organizational challenges than tech challenges

Online Campaign Development

- ▶ **Goals & Audience Assessment**
 - Do you really know who you're talking to?
- ▶ **Publishing Matrix**
 - Do you have a model for when to use what tool?
- ▶ **Message Calendaring**
 - Is all online messaging on a unified calendar?
- ▶ **Tracking & Listening**
 - Which techniques are working?

Aspiration's eAdvocacy Initiative

▶ blog.socialsourcecommons.org

Nonprofit Tech, Tools & Social Media

▶ eAdvocacy Office Hours

– Thursday, 12pm – pm

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Four Processes

Audience Assessment



Publishing Matrix



Tracking & Metrics



Message Calendar



End Of Section

▶ Questions? Comments?

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