

# Mentoring for Today's Generation(s) at Scale: Virtual and Face-to-Face

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# Why Mentoring?

- Networking
- Advancement
- Career changes
- Growth in career
- Adding value

# ID2ID

Peer Mentoring Program

*Contribute to a growing field*

Develop yourself as a professional and grown with evolving learning design profession.

*Meet people*

Real people. Connect with other professionals that share your passion for enabling great teaching and learning.

*Solve new problems*

Gain perspectives from experienced learning designers who can share practical examples of and solutions for real-world learning design challenges.

*Be part of a bigger conversation*

Explore the world of instructional design through interactions with other leaders in the field and gain exposure to challenges and opportunities.

## Cross-Institutional, Virtual Professional Development for Instructional Designers

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**A partnership of**

**PennState**



<http://tinyurl.com/id2id>

# About ID<sub>2</sub>ID

- Partnership model
- Advisory Committee
  - 7 institutional members
  - 2 year terms
  - Awarded an annual digital badge



# About ID<sub>2</sub>ID

- Free program
- Mentoring Model
  - All online
  - Global community
  - Mentor, mentee, and buddies
  - Comprehensive application
  - Matching logarithm
  - Rich, specific community data
  - Channel into a key community
  - Personalized professional development
  - Connection to place-based and online programming

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## Participation Options

- Non-Badge Track
  - Non-verified participation
- Badge Track
  - Participate in 2 professional development opportunities.
  - Produce 2 reflection pieces about your participation in the program.
  - Contribute to a Professional Community or Association.
  - Mini Capstone Project
  - Verified
  - 32 recipients (about 10%)



# ID<sub>2</sub>ID Data

- 272 participants in the program
- Over 100 completed program requirements
- 32 badges awarded
- 43 contributions to professional community or association
- 1/3 of participants connected with more than 3 IDs as part of the program
- Over half of participants shared information gained from the program with faculty from their home institution or fellow IDs
- Participants reported solving problems from experience gained from connecting with others in the field and learning or collaborating on these problems

# ID<sub>2</sub>ID 2018

- Simplify and clarify badge track requirements
- Automate matching process
- Extend program length
- Employ an LMS

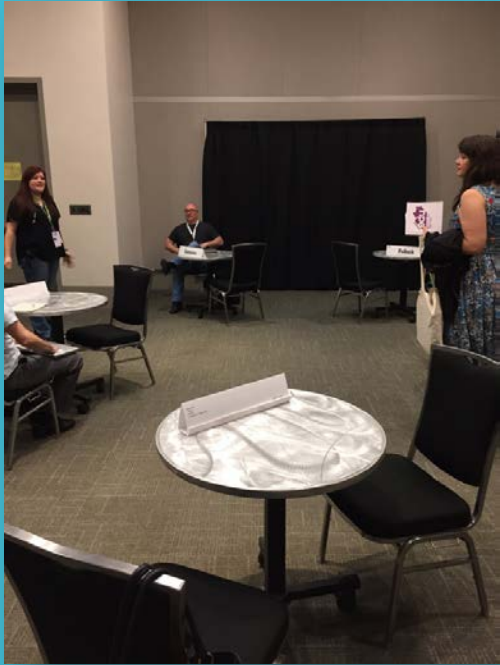




# Place-Based Mentoring



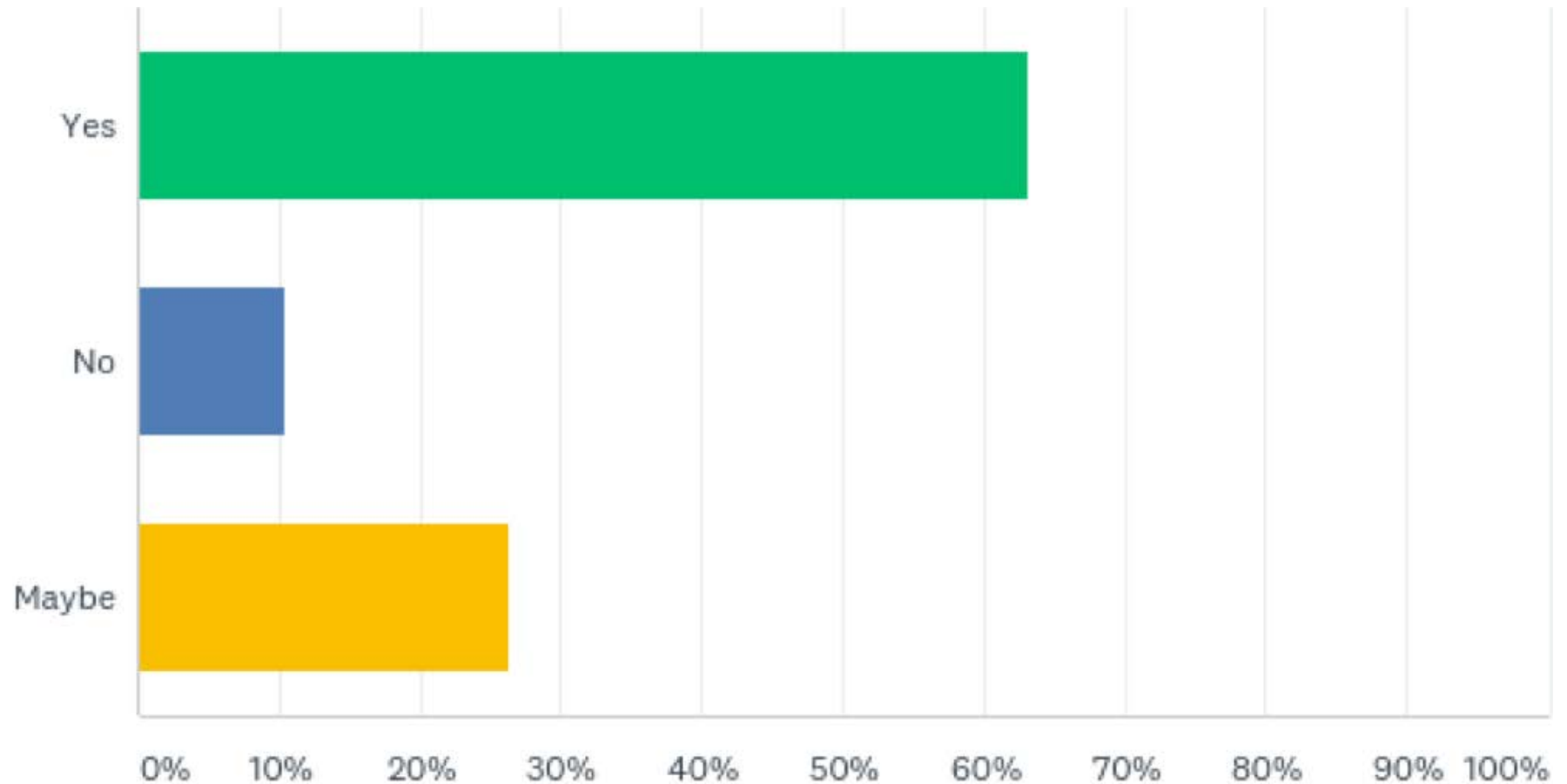
# About



- Integrated into place-based conference
- Dedicated on-site space, facilitator
- Limited to 85 participants | 60 appointments
- Mentors and mentees
- Manual matches
  - 2 or more areas of interest, institutional type
- 20-minute appointments
- Short application
  - Contact information, LinkedIn profile
  - Areas of interest and schedule availability
- At capacity 1 month before event
- Revealed attendees top interest areas
- 40-50 hours for pilot

# Results

**Do you have plans to connect, in any way, with your mentor/mentee after the annual meeting?**



# What are you looking for in a mentoring relationship?

ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Quality professional advice	57.89%	11
Personal fulfillment	57.89%	11
To give back to the profession	52.63%	10
Safe space / sounding board for problems or challenges	47.37%	9
To build my reputation / networking	36.84%	7
Other (please specify)	15.79%	3
Satisfy a job requirement	0.00%	0
Total Respondents: 19		

## Which characteristics describe your ideal mentoring relationship?

ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Manager-level mentor with an individual contributor mentee	47.37%	9
Peer to peer mentoring – mid career	31.58%	6
Early career mentor with a later career mentee	31.58%	6
Senior executive mentor with an aspiring executive mentee	26.32%	5
Peer to peer mentoring – later career	26.32%	5
Same genders	26.32%	5
Other (please specify)	21.05%	4
Peer to peer mentoring – early career	10.53%	2
Different genders	10.53%	2
Different ethnicities	10.53%	2
Same ethnicities	5.26%	1
Total Respondents: 19		

**If you attend the ELI2019 annual meeting, would you be interested in participating in the annual meeting mentoring program?**

<b>ANSWER CHOICES</b>	<b>RESPONSES</b>	
Yes, as a mentor	31.58%	6
Yes, as a mentee	26.32%	5
Yes, as a mentor and mentee	31.58%	6
No	10.53%	2
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>19</b>



# Future Directions

- Automate
- Fee-based
- Sponsored (corporate participation)
- Scale to other well-defined communities, especially those under development
- Mechanism to tap and track communities of practice and their work
- Track mentor relationships
- Collect mentoring “stories”



Penn State University/EDUCAUSE Learning Initiative ID2ID Peer Mentoring Program

<http://www.id2id.org/> .

Program specifics, including digital badge requirements, available here:

<http://www.id2id.org/participant-resources/>

Mentoring resources, articles, and templates can be found in this [google folder](#).

## Resources