

Urban Libraries Council

Collaborating Across Organizational Boundaries

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“If you want to go fast, go alone; if you want to go far, go together”
~ African proverb

With budget cuts, funders’ demands to work together, and the growing interdependence among community agencies and groups, library leaders have many incentives to partner with others.

This webinar addresses both the payoffs and challenges of collaboration and partnering. Specifically, it deals with such questions as:

- What are the keys to successful partnerships?
- What are some strategies to overcome the hurdles?
- How do we get (and keep) the appropriate people at the table?
- How do we work with important partners who are difficult to deal with (or who see no reason to collaborate)?
- What are the characteristics of “collaborative leaders”?

Keynote Speaker: Russ Linden

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Russ Linden is a consultant, management educator and author who works primarily with public and nonprofit organizations on issues of organizational performance and change. He is an adjunct faculty member at the Federal Executive Institute and the University of Virginia.

Mr. Linden’s areas of specialization include collaboration, the human side of change, learning organizations, process redesign and customer focused organizations. He writes a column on innovations for “Management Insights,” which is a collaborative effort of Harvard’s Kennedy School of Government and *Governing Magazine*.



Moderator: Susan Benton

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Registration

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