

Beyond the Surface:

An Interactive Tool for Discovery, Advocacy & Reflection

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UNM Indigenous Peoples' Land and Territory Acknowledgement

Founded in 1889, the University of New Mexico sits on the traditional homelands of the Pueblo of Sandia. The original peoples of New Mexico – Pueblo, Navajo, and Apache – since time immemorial, have deep connections to the land and have made significant contributions to the broader community statewide. We honor the land itself and those who remain stewards of this land throughout the generations and also acknowledge our committed relationship to Indigenous peoples.

We gratefully recognize our history.

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Introductions



Name, An Aspect of Your Identity that is Important to You & What Piece of Career Advice has helped your work the most?

Laughing Yoga



Learning Objectives



- 1. Understand and Create an Identity Map**
- 2. Understand how the Map supports Self Advocacy & Discovery**
- 3. Be Creative and Walk Away with a Tool**

Association of Community Rehabilitation Educators: **ACRE**



#3 Understands informed choice, self-determination, and active participation throughout the employment process, emphasizing job seeker strengths, interests, talents.

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#13 c Identify the impact of an individual's **cultural and **social background**, including **socio-economic status**, **race**, **gender**, **ethnicity**, native and spoken **language**, **sexual identity**, as well as their **role** in the family, religious organization (or none), and **community**.**

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#13 f Explore non-work **needs that may impact the achievement and maintenance of employment.**



What is Discovery?

And Why do We Do It?

The Self-Discovery Map Tool



**Discovery and person-centered
service delivery**

**Learning about a person on a
holistic level**

**Informs development of
employment/life goals**

Supports self-advocacy



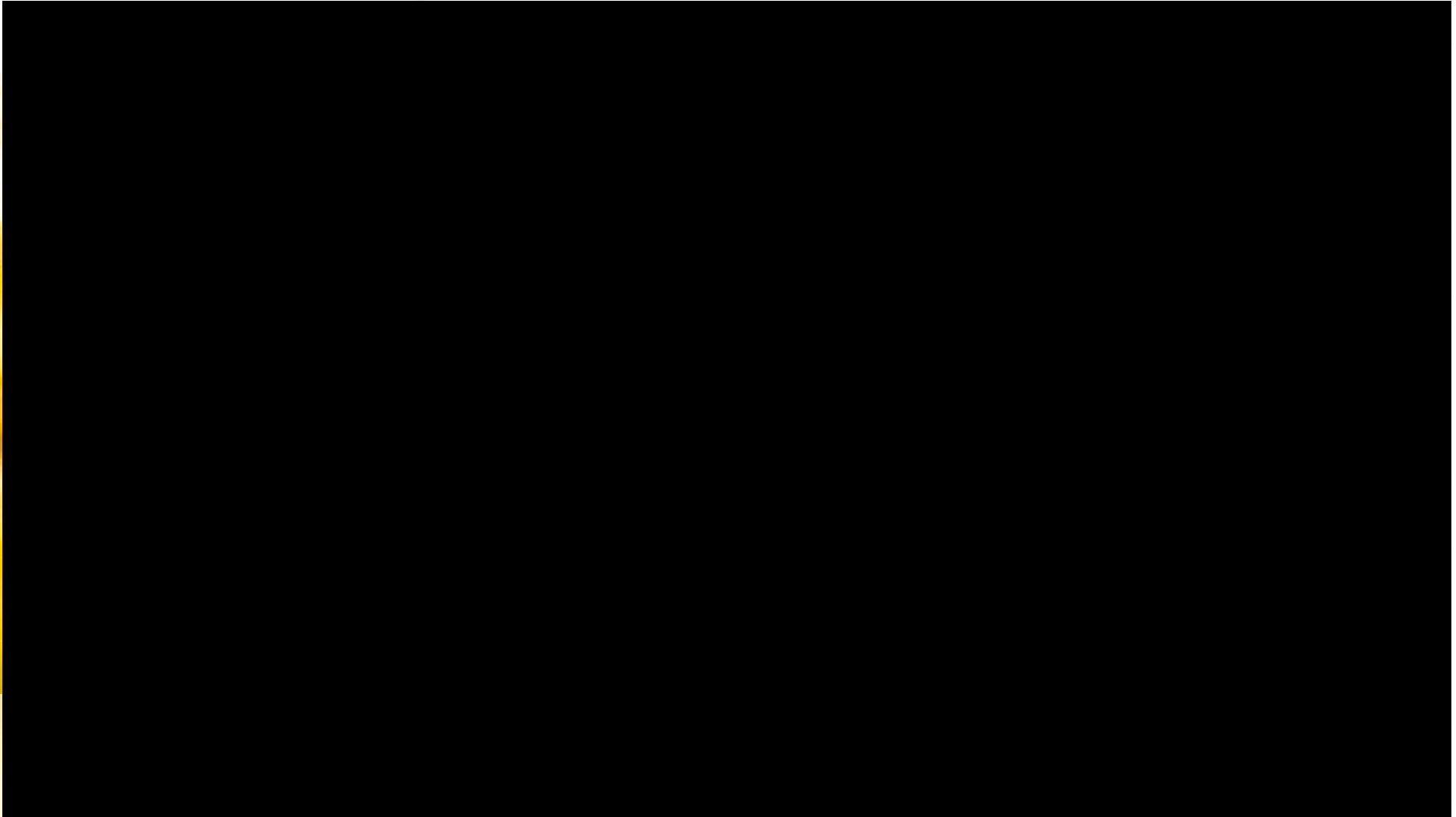
How Are Discovery & Self Advocacy Connected? And Why do We Do It?



What is Informed Choice?

Self Determination?

Self, Made



Supplies



- Two pieces of felt
- Laminated images
 - Velcro
 - Scissors
- List of Categories
- List of Prompts

Categories



Prompts



Step 1 Organize your materials



Step 2 Read Prompts & Choose Images



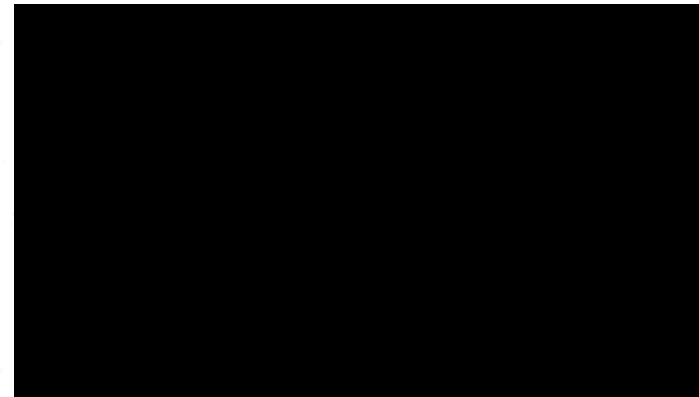
Step 3 Cut & Adhere Velcro Images & Felt



MeShell Ngegeocello



**Live at North Sea Jazz
Festival**



Gallery Walk



Lay Out Map
Photograph Map (cell)
Walk Around & View All
Return & Reflect

Reflections



Questions/Comments



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