

# News and Updates

## January 2021

### We're Hiring!



The UNM Center for Development and Disability's Partners for Employment (PFE) program is looking to hire 2 Education Specialists to work in communities throughout New Mexico. The Education Specialist position coordinates and facilitates trainings, hosts regional meetings, and provides technical assistance in support of PFE's mission to advance supported employment best practices for persons with intellectual/developmental disabilities (I/DD).

**Learn more about this opportunity!**

### 2nd Annual Virtual Conference

#### *Reaching New Heights in Supported Employment*



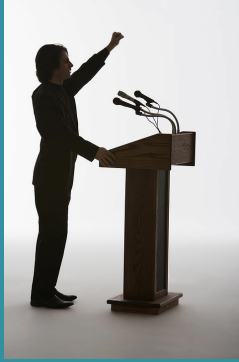
May 7th, 14th, 21st, and 28th

SAVE THE DATES!

More details to come.

### Call for Dynamic Presenters

*Do you have an illuminating program or idea?*



Partners for Employment is looking for dynamic presenters to speak about topics related to best practices in Supported Employment. Priority will be given to presentations that are eligible for CEUs through the Commission for Rehabilitation Counselor Certification. Please fill out this form to indicate your interest.

**We want to hear from you!**

## Training Opportunities

*The Curse of Knowledge and the promise of Task Analysis thinking.*



In this webinar, we'll explore the Curse of Knowledge and learn how various industries use Task Analysis - the process of breaking down tasks into smaller and easier steps- to overcome various challenges. We'll practice analyzing a few tasks together and finish reflecting on how we can use Task Analysis to connect with people for remote services, teaching about physical distancing and PPE, or just generally teaching someone something new.

**Register today!**

### Additional Wise Training:

February 11, 2021 | 1-3 PM Creating a Pathway to Full Inclusion Part 2

**Register for 02/11/21**

February 25, 2021 | 1-3 PM Virtual Job Coaching (Covid Specific supports)

**Register for 02/25/21**

March 18, 2021 | 1-3 PM Utilizing Technology in Your Employment Approach

**Register for 03/18/21**

## *The Best of New Mexico*



### *Association of Community Rehabilitation Educators*

The ACRE certificate is a nationally recognized certificate of achievement that never expires! Partners for Employment has been provided with a limited number of scholarships to allow those who

complete the College of Employment Services training course with an opportunity to obtain their ACRE certificate. Please join us in congratulating the following individuals on receiving their ACRE certificate! Great job!

- Konnie Kanmore
- Charlotte Eisenbise
- Cristin Stewart
- Ben De Leon
- Casilda Gallegos

### *New Mexico's Certified Employment Support Professionals*



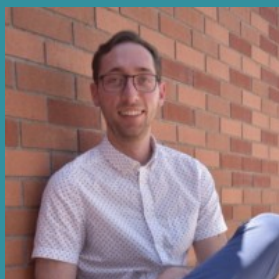
The Certified Employment Support Professional (CESP™) credential recognizes individuals who have demonstrated a sufficient level of knowledge and skill to provide integrated employment services to a variety of populations. Please congratulate the following people for earning their CESP credential in December:

- Denise Dumesnil
- Eric Fitzgerald
- David Palenschat
- Leslie Razo

***CONGRATULATIONS!***

## Social Security Benefits Training

*"What do you mean I can work and still be on Disability?!"*



Social Security Disability Insurance (SSDI) and Supplemental Security Income (SSI) Benefits Training.

This training has been approved for 1 CEU by the Commission for Rehabilitation Counselor Certification.

**03/03/21 | 9:00 AM MST**

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[Register here](#)

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