



e4: The Volunteer Retreat

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Project Skills Showcase FAQ

Purpose:

To provide volunteers access to a broad range of research-based, high-quality, interesting and diverse project ideas to enhance youth engagement and programming at the local level.

Why The Showcase?

In past conferences, participants have had to choose which project skills workshop they wished to attend often missing out on opportunities that would have added value to their volunteer experience and increased youth engagement in local programming. The Project Skills Showcase is designed to give all participants access to all resources in an exhibit environment where people are free to roam from booth-to-booth and gain the knowledge and skills necessary to bring tools home with them.

What Should a Showcase Booth Include?

Approved booths will include a clear focus area based on the California 4-H Project List ([download here](#)) and either highlight a new research-based curriculum or a specific learn-by-doing activity. Handouts, interactive activities, and swag is encouraged.

How It Works

Those who register for The Leaders Retreat and stay at Asilomar will receive a FREE Showcase booth if their proposal is approved. Those attending the Friday, pre-retreat workshops will have early access to set up their booths and interact with participants and extended evening hours on Saturday night until 8pm.

Those who ONLY wish to participate in the Project Skills Showcase on Saturday, November 9, 2019 will pay a \$200 per person registration fee which will include your booth, access to the keynote speaker address, participation in the Showcase, and lunch for the day. The Showcase will function as a separate workshop option throughout the entire day of the gathering.

Retreat Location

Asilomar Conference Grounds
800 Asilomar Avenue
Pacific Grove, CA 93950-3704





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Showcase Hours

November 9, 2019

Move In: 7 am – 9:30 am

Show On: 10 am – 6 pm (extended hours to 8 pm for those registered for the whole retreat)

Move Out: 6 pm – 8 pm

Proposal & Submission Schedule

To submit a proposal for a Project Skills Booth at The Leaders Retreat 2019, [click here](#) (<http://ucanr.edu/survey/survey.cfm?surveynumber=26924>). Proposals will be accepted until August 4, 2019 or until all spots are filled. If your proposal is accepted, acknowledgement and acceptance of the agreement will be required by the following schedule.

Submission Deadlines	Status Notification	Acknowledgment/Agreement
April 28, 2019	May 5, 2019	May, 12, 2019
June 16, 2019	June 23, 2019	June 30, 2019
August 4, 2019	August 9, 2019	August 18, 2019

For questions, email thevolunteerretreat@ucanr.edu or Scott Mautte @ 530-750-1335

