



**OREGON CAREER  
DEVELOPMENT ASSOCIATION**

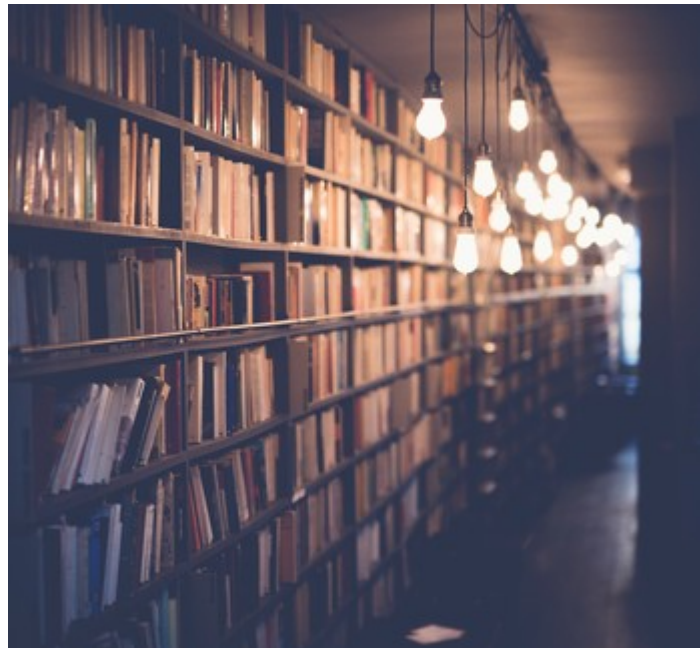
Dear OCDA Members,

Welcome to fall! We'd like to share some upcoming events and news with you all.

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### **1. Fall Book Club**



There's still time to read for our fall book club meeting on 10/18!

Please read (or listen) to Toby Hemenway's the Permaculture City (only Intro & Ch.s 1, 2, 8, 9, 10), and then join us at McMenamins Rams Head the 18th to share your thoughts, ideas, and questions and to chat about how permaculture principles are relevant to and can be applied to career development work.

There will be appetizers. :)

## 2. Award Nomination for 2018 PDI

It is time to start thinking about nominating those who are making significant contributions to the improvement of career development! The Esther Matthews Award is awarded to an individual who has demonstrated exceptional lifelong leadership, scholarship, and professional commitment to the career development field. To find more information including previous recipients and nomination information [click here](#).

Last year's Esther Matthews Award recipient, Angela Doty:



### **3. Upcoming Professional Development Offerings**

#### [NCDA Career Practitioner Institute](#)

Practical Techniques and Strategies for Career Development Practitioner  
October 5-6, 2017 (Long Beach, CA)

#### [Oregon Counseling Association \(ORCA\) Annual Conference](#)

The Constant of Change: Ethical Counseling Embracing Diversity  
November 2-4, 2017 (Embassy Suites, Washington Square, Oregon)

#### [MPACE Annual Conference - Expanding Our Reach](#)

December 6-8, 2017 (Seattle, WA)

Did you know that NCDA offers webinars on topics of deep significance to members and those involved in the field of career development. Check them out by [clicking here](#).

### **4. Future Event Save the Dates**

#### [15th Annual OCDA Professional Development Institute](#)

March 9, 2018 (Portland, OR)

#### [American Counseling Association \(ACA\) Annual Conference](#)

April 26-29, 2018 (Atlanta, GA)

#### [National Association of Colleges and Employers \(NACE\) Annual Conference](#)

June 5-8, 2018 (New Orleans, LA)

#### [National Career Development Association \(NCDA\) Global Conference](#)

Leading the way by Integrating Theory, Research & Practice  
June 21-23, 2018 (Phoenix, AZ)

## 5. Member Spotlight -Nolan E. Yaws-Gonzalez



[Click here to read our Fall 2017 Member Spotlight](#) to learn more about fellow OCDA member Nolan E. Yaws-Gonzalez!

Are you interested in being featured in our member spotlight? Send us an email at [OCDA+Board@grouppaces.com](mailto:OCDA+Board@grouppaces.com) to let us know!

## 6. Newsletter Submissions

Are you interested in writing for future OCDA newsletters? Contact us by [clicking here](#) to indicate your interest and get more details.



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In honor of November being National Career Development Month, OCDA invites you to the following events:

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### **1. Careers in Commercial Real Estate Industry Lunch - 11/3**

The Portland **Commercial Real Estate Diversity Initiative Group (CREDI)** is inviting area career development educators to a lunch and learn about careers in commercial real estate. The lunch will be held at a commercial property in downtown Portland (details sent to registered attendees). They plan to have a presenter from the CREDI group for each of the following areas: brokerage, property management, development, title, lending/financial, appraisal, corporate real estate and construction. They will each **provide attendees One Pager** bullet points on career description, required education, earnings potential, personality traits and/or experience that might be helpful.

**When:** Friday, November 3, 2017. Check-in and networking will be at 11:30 and the program will run from Noon to 2pm

**Where:** downtown Portland (details sent to registered attendees)

[Register by clicking here!](#)

## **2. 21st Century Jobs Panel & Networking - 11/8**

Please join the Oregon Career Development Association for our panel on "21st Century Jobs" in which our panelists will discuss the job market, trends and how best to translate that information to the job seeker for the future. Since our market is always in flux, we want to showcase trends and insights of hiring agents and organizations in our community. More info on panelist will be provided soon!

**When:** Nov 8, from 3-4:30

**Where:** 1500 SW 1st Ave, 100b, Portland, OR 97201 (Hayden Room)

Portland State University - Center for Executive and Professional Education

This panel presentation will be followed by a networking happy hour at Raven & Rose from 5:00-6:30pm (appetizers and drink ticket included with registration). If you can't attend the panel we encourage you to still join us for happy hour!

[Register by clicking here!](#)

## **3. New NCDA Webinars**

Mark your calendar for the upcoming new NCDA webinar on November 15, 2017. The topic will be in celebration of National Career Development Day! CEUs are available. Visit the Professional Development section of the website to view all NCDA [Webinars](#).

## **4. Have your writing featured!**

Are you interested in writing an article and having it featured by OCDA during the month of November? Contact us by [clicking here](#) to indicate your interest and get more details.