

# Networking Luncheon:

A Two-Way Street: How to Capture the Voices of Latinx/Chicanx 2SLGBTQ+ Members Using Participatory Action Research Methods

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11:30-1:00 PM

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## Presentation Description

This presentation explores how participatory action research (PAR) can be used to amplify the voices of 2SLGBTQ+ communities, which have historically been underrepresented and misrepresented in research. It examines current methodologies that center cultural competency, equity, and collaboration—particularly from Indigenous perspectives—to ensure safe and inclusive practices. The discussion will also highlight best practices for conducting socially just research and advocate for increased PAR studies focused on 2SLGBTQ+ subgroups, including Latinx/Chicanx, African American, and Indigenous/First Nations communities. Ultimately, this work seeks to challenge harmful narratives, empower marginalized voices, and inspire a shift toward more ethical, community-driven research.



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