

## AmeriCorps State & National Applicant Call Schedule - FY 2013 Competition

AmeriCorps State and National is hosting two sets of calls (one hour in length) for potential grant applicants – one call for all applicant organizations and a separate call for Indian tribes. Both calls will occur on the same day, with the call for all applicants at 1:00 pm eastern time and the call for Indian tribes following at 2:00 pm eastern time. Calls will be conducted in a standard format that includes a brief overview of the topic and a question and answer session with AmeriCorps Program Officers. The best way to ensure that your question receives a response is to submit it at least 24 hours in advance of the call. Please send your questions to [americorpsgrants@cns.gov](mailto:americorpsgrants@cns.gov).

**AmeriCorps State and National Basics:** Join this call if you have questions about the basic concepts and components of AmeriCorps State and National grants, the application review timeline or other general questions about AmeriCorps.

**AmeriCorps State and National Program Design & Management:** If you have questions ranging from appropriate AmeriCorps member service activities, staffing for the program, grantee responsibilities, or any other question related to program design or program management, please join this call.

**AmeriCorps Grant Application Selection Criteria:** If you have questions about the AmeriCorps grant application selection criteria, grant review process or any other questions that need addressed in order to complete your application, please join this call.

Type of call	Time	October 2012	November 2012	December 2012	January 2012
AmeriCorps Basics	1 pm	Thurs 10/25 <a href="#">register</a>			
AmeriCorps Basics for Indian Tribes	2 pm	Thurs 10/25 <a href="#">register</a>			
AmeriCorps Program Design & Management	1 pm		Thurs 11/1 <a href="#">register</a> Thurs 11/8 <a href="#">register</a> Thurs 11/15 <a href="#">register</a>		
AmeriCorps Program Design & Management for Indian Tribes	2 pm		Thurs 11/1 <a href="#">register</a> Thurs 11/8 <a href="#">register</a> Thurs 11/15 <a href="#">register</a>		
AmeriCorps Grant Selection Criteria	1 pm		Thurs 11/29 <a href="#">register</a>	Thurs 12/6 <a href="#">register</a> Thurs 12/13 <a href="#">register</a>	Thurs 1/10 <a href="#">register</a>
AmeriCorps Grant Selection Criteria for Indian Tribes	2 pm		Thurs 11/29 <a href="#">register</a>	Thurs 12/6 <a href="#">register</a> Thurs 12/13 <a href="#">register</a>	Thurs 1/10 <a href="#">register</a>

**All calls will be recorded. Replay information for each call can be found on the registration page in eventbrite. The steps for registration are below:**

- Click the “register” link in the box which corresponds to the call you would like to attend. This will take you to an external website called eventbrite.
- When that website opens, click the orange REGISTER tab.
- Complete the registration information, changing the email address to your own if it is prepopulated. The page will also include the call-in information you need.
- An order confirmation screen will appear in eventbrite.com. Also, an email will be automatically sent to you confirming your ticket order. Tickets will include call number and access code you need to participate in the call. Tickets are free and you do **NOT** have to print the ticket for any reason, as the event is via telephone.

- Under “WHEN” on the right-hand side of the page, click “add to my calendar”, then “outlook calendar, “open” and then when the outlook window opens, click “save and close” in the top-left corner. You will receive an email confirmation.

### **Performance Measure Assistance**

AmeriCorps staff, along with our technical assistance providers, will also host several webinars to walk applicants through the newly created performance measure modules. The information in these modules will assist applicants in understanding how to create performance measures for their programs. The link next to the time will take you to the registration page for the webinar. The call information for each webinar is the same:

- Phone: 1.888.453.4221
- Passcode: 490675#
- Password for the webinar: Pm2012 (case sensitive).

Oct 30, 2012	1:00-3:00 PM ET	<a href="#"><u>eGrants PM Module – AmeriCorps State Commissions</u></a>
Oct 31, 2012	1:00-3:00 PM ET	<a href="#"><u>eGrants PM Module – AmeriCorps State Commissions</u></a>
Nov 7, 2012	1:00-3:00 PM ET	<a href="#"><u>eGrants PM Module – AmeriCorps*National</u></a>
Nov 28, 2012	1:00-3:00 PM ET	<a href="#"><u>eGrants PM Module – AmeriCorps State Commissions</u></a>
Dec 4, 2012	1:00-3:00 PM ET	<a href="#"><u>eGrants PM Module – AmeriCorps*National</u></a>