

Take Root 2017 Proposal Form

All of the questions below are mandatory. Please be sure to fill out all of the required information, as incomplete proposals will not be considered.

Proposal Name

This will be printed in the conference program. Focus on a descriptive title that is appealing and exciting to a diverse conference audience.

Select two larger themes that relate to your presentation. We will use these to organize individual presenters into panels, reflect on the diversity of proposals, and organize the program. While the two you select might not fully capture the complexity or intersectionality of your ideas, please select only the most applicable two. *

Activism and Movement Building

- Arts
- Cross-Movement Collaborations
- Intersectionalities
- Intros/101/Roots of the RJ Movement
- Leadership
- Media
- Organizing/How to
- Political action
- Red State organizing

Birthing and Family

- Adoption
- Birthing and parenting
- Contraception
- Midwifery/Doula services
- Teen Pregnancy

Climate and Environment

- Climate Justice
- Land Defense
- Un/Healthy environments

Disability/Ability

- Access to healthcare
- Disability rights and justice

Economies, Labor, and Globalization

- Economic Justice
- Human Trafficking
- Immigration
- Sex work and sex trade

Healthcare and Personhood

- Abortion rights
- Access to healthcare
- Education and Sex Ed
- Healing
- HIV/AIDS
- Peace and safety

Reproductive technology
Self-care
Self-determination
Service and practical support

Identities

Age
Gender
Indigeneity
LGBTQQIA+
Race and/or ethnicity
Sexuality
Trans* issues
Youth

Institutions, Policy, and Government

Media
Political action
Public policy

Systemic, Institutional, and Personal Oppressions

Human Trafficking
Intimate partner violence
Prison and criminalization
Race and racism
Sexual assault and sexual violence

Religion and Spirituality

Faith-based organizing
Spirituality and Health

Other

If you selected "other," please list your area(s) of focus below.

Description

*In 300 words or less, describe the following: the **purpose** of your presentation and how it relates to Take Root; the **questions** that your presentation explores; the **framework** that organizes it, including a theoretical context or a perspective of experience that underpins it; and the **structure** your presentation will take, meaning how you will use your time. In addition, list 3 concrete take-aways or action items. For workshop proposals, clarify what activities you will include.*

Abstract

Briefly (75 words or less) capture your ideas within a few sentences. This abstract will be used to describe your presentation/workshop/poster on the conference program.

How does this presentation or panel reflect the work, issues, strengths, or challenges particular to Red State organizing? (250 word max)

Diversity of panel

We are committed to the diversity of this conference. In 100 to 200 words, please describe the diversity (in identity or issues) of your panel participants/workshop facilitators. This information might include ethnicity, race, gender, age, etc.. After proposals have been accepted, each

person participating in the panel or workshop facilitation will be asked to fill out an information form for the purposes of demographics reporting.

Contact Information

You will need to provide the information below for ALL of your panel participants or workshop facilitators in order for your proposal to be considered.

Name *

First

Last

The proposal coordinator is the contact person for session being submitted.

Email *

Phone Number *

Presenter Bio (100 word max.) *

We want to know about you! Please make sure to include how your life, work, or academic experiences contribute to your presentation or workshop. This will be included in the Conference program if you are selected as a presenter.

Have you attended Take Root before? *

Attended previous conference(s)

Received travel support to attend previous conference(s)

Presented at previous conference(s)

Have not attended Take Root before