YOUTH ENGAGEMENT AND COMMUNITY COLLABORATION: THE ROLE OF MENTORSHIP AND EXPERIENTIAL LEARNING

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Please circulate the room to visit the ‘preflection’ stations around the room before we begin the workshop.
INTRODUCTIONS

◆ Introductions - CICYC and our experiences

◆ Philosophy on Collaborative Mentorship and Experiential Learning

◆ Checking in with the group
OUR PHILOSOPHY

ENGAGE
COLLABORATE
MENTOR
EXPÉRIENCENTIAL
CARE
VALUES
RESPECTFUL
TRANSPARENT
MENTORSHIP

Traditional Approach
- transactional
- expert teaches beginner

Spirit Guide
- Passes on tradition
- Elder teaches youth

Collaborative Mentorship
- Learn from each other
- Doing with not to/for
FULL VALUE COMMITMENT

- Be here
- Be safe
- Set goals
- Speak your truth
- Let go and move on
- Care for self and others
CLOSING

- Something you learned today
- What you will take away from this experience
THANK-YOU!

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