



ENGAGE SUMMIT

CASPER, WY
SEPTEMBER 7TH, 2019

EMPOWERING THE NEXT GENERATIONS TO
ADVANCE AND GROW THE ECONOMY



ENGAGE is a grassroots movement of next generation Wyomingites who are committed to taking action to create the Wyoming future we want to inherit.

We ENGAGE in tough conversations.

We ENGAGE with our communities.

We ENGAGE through embodying inclusivity, access, and equity for all.

We ENGAGE in empowering others to make changes in our state.

We ENGAGE through service.

We ENGAGE in building a Wyoming for tomorrow.

We Empower the Next Generations to Advance and Grow the Economy.

We are ENGAGE.

ENGAGE is comprised of next generation individuals aged 18-35 who care about Wyoming, whether they're a life-long resident, new to the state, or living elsewhere throughout the world. The power of the movement is with those making impacts in their communities through the avenues they are passionate about - economic growth and diversification, community revitalization or enhancement, civic engagement, lobbying and policy, or any other means that strengthens quality of life and the longevity of our beloved state.

The ENGAGE leadership team was created to bridge the gap between the voices of the next generation and those taking action in Wyoming today and is comprised of 15 individuals appointed into positions with the specific charge to 1) coordinate and host an annual event focused on connecting next generations with each other, information, and resources, 2) share information on available resources and opportunities, 3) facilitate participation on State-level boards and committees to increase ENGAGE-age representation, and 4) collect insights and data from the ENGAGE demographic and share as appropriate to help inform decisions and direction at state and local levels.



SCHEDULE AT A GLANCE

ALL MAIN SESSIONS ARE HELD AT YELLOWSTONE GARAGE UNLESS OTHERWISE NOTED

FRIDAY 5:00 PM – 8:00 PM "WeAreWY" Diversity Panel | Backwards Distillery Production
Oaklee Anderson, Dr. Tanya Moon Morris, Sara Burlingame

8:00 AM – 9:00 AM Registration & Breakfast Networking

9:00 AM – 9:15 AM About ENGAGE & Welcome
ENGAGE President Amber Savage

9:15 AM – 9:50 AM Understanding Wyoming's Revenue
Representative Tom Walters

10:10 AM – 10:50 AM Breakout Session #1 | See Breakout Schedule

11:00 AM – 11:50 AM Breakout Session #2 | See Breakout Schedule

12:00 PM – 1:20 PM Lunch & Keynote | Nicolaysen Art Museum
Governor Mark Gordon

1:30 PM – 2:20 PM Breakout Session #3 | See Breakout Schedule

2:30 PM – 3:30 PM Regional Breakout Session | See Breakout Schedule

3:40 PM – 4:20 PM Afternoon Keynote
Eric Trowbridge, Array School

4:20 PM – 4:30 PM Closing Remarks

5:30 PM – 7:00 PM Closing Social



BREAKOUT SCHEDULE

BREAKOUT SESSION #1 | 10:00 – 10:50 AM

GRANT WRITING | ADBAY

Micah Richardson, Tyler Cessor, Erin Pryor Ackerman

Hundreds of thousands of dollars are given out in Wyoming each year to entrepreneurs, small businesses, and those in the creative and cultural sectors all with the intent of making our communities more vibrant, more engaging, and more prosperous. Join us for a short discussion of granting followed by a Q&A workshop. Participants are encourage to bring specific questions from past grants. Among the skills to be developed are mission matching; clearer, more concise writing; and writing towards a specific audience.

CIVIC ENGAGEMENT | CASPER CITY HALL

Khrystyn Lutz, Casper City Councilwoman

Local government has big impacts, and there are rich opportunities to participate. This session will provide attendees with a brief background on the history of civic engagement and civil discourse in Wyoming. It will then transition to an opportunity to brainstorm how to cultivate these dying traditions into the ENGAGE demographic.

CASPER CASE STUDY: BREAKING THE MOLD | GOOD FOOD HUB

Amber Pollock, Owner Backwards Distillery

Has anyone else noticed that Casper has gotten cool lately? Those who live here or have visited in the last several years have seen some big changes in the Windy City. This breakout session will provide an insider's look at Casper and its recent development through the lens of one ENGAGE aged business owner. It will highlight some of the synergies that have been at the heart of the resurgence of Casper and will offer participants some key takeaways for fostering their own participation in community development and plugging into development efforts that are already happening.

COMMUNITIES & EDUCATION INSTITUTIONS | CASPER CITY HALL

Brandon Kosine & Ty McNamee

Learn how to cultivate and maintain a relationship between higher education institutions and technical education institutions and the community to leverage partnerships and resources to serve both parties. Talk about ideas with peers and thought partners that will impact both the community and the institution in a positive way.



BREAKOUT SCHEDULE

BREAKOUT SESSION #2 | 11:00 - 11:50 AM

LOCAL FOOD SYSTEMS | GOOD FOOD HUB

Monika Leninger, Jamie Purcell, Ben Elzay, Lindsey Washkoviak & Jay Bliss

The local food system movement is growing and Local food initiatives, focused on small to mid-sized operations, have the potential to create a sustainable employment environment for Wyoming producers. There are multiple challenges to overcome such as: state geography and climate, sparse & distributed population, and a state agriculture system that often focuses on larger producers.

NUTS & BOLTS OF ENTREPRENEURSHIP | BASEMENT SHIFT

Jerad Stack, President of Stack Ventures

Getting a business started can be daunting, but it doesn't have to be. This session is focused on understanding the Wyoming nuances of entrepreneurship, including how to navigate available resources, how to leverage personal networks, gaining access to capital, and how to figure out if your idea is even worth chasing.

ENGAGE AT ANY AGE | CASPER CITY HALL

Natawsha Mitchell, Jess Fahlsing, Melanie Vigil, Bret Kahler, Emily Kath

Whether just graduating high school, just starting college or recently established in the work force, it's not too late to engage in Wyoming on state, county, and community levels. This session will provide participants an opportunity to talk to individuals who used their engagement opportunities and took them a step further in their career or in state and local involvement.

DIVERSITY & INCLUSION | ADBAY

Jaymie Sheehan & Ty McNamee

Wyoming is often referred to as "homogeneous" and not very diverse, and while by some measurements that's true, there's no denying that there is a great deal of diversity. This session will focus on the many ways diversity is made manifest, and how diversity and inclusion contribute to the richness of thriving communities.



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BREAKOUT SESSION #3 | 1:30 – 2:20 PM

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ARTS ENGAGEMENT: CULTURAL, SOCIAL & ECONOMIC VITALITY CASPER CITY HALL

Joshua Chrysler, Brittany Perez & Tyler Cessor

Intentional arts engagement has the capacity to reinforce and transform community. From culturally centered arts activities to programming at the intersection of arts and health, the arts are well-poised to both bolster the strengths of our communities and push for further cultural, social, and economic vitality. In this session participants will explore strategies for identifying needs and interests in their community, explore practical and culturally relevant art programs, and increase their capacity to create and promote community-engaged art programming.

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REGIONAL BREAKOUTS

NORTHEAST REGION | GOOD FOOD HUB

Sheridan, Johnson, Campbell, Crook & Weston

Jesus Rios, CEO Ptolemy Data Systems

Stephanie Salazar, Director, Upton Economic Development Board

Karen Hostetler, Owner, Mountain Meadows Wool

CENTRAL REGION | ADBAY

Natrona, Converse & Niobrara

Jerad Stack, President, Stack Ventures

SOUTHEAST REGION | BASEMENT SHIFT

Albany & Carbon

Jack Mason, Director, UW Institute of Innovation and Entrepreneurship

Vivian Georgalas, Entrepreneurial Services Coordinator, Wyoming Business Council

CAPITAL REGION | CASPER CITY HALL

Laramie, Platte & Goshen

Ron Gullberg, Business Development Director, Wyoming Business Council

NORTHWEST REGION | YELLOWSTONE GARAGE

Park, Teton, Big Horn, Washakie, Hot Springs, Sublette, Lincoln

Barbara Hoeft, Principal, Willow Street Group

SOUTHWEST REGION | YELLOWSTONE GARAGE

Uinta, Sweetwater & Fremont

Kim Porter, Community Initiatives Director, Wyoming Business Council



SPEAKER BIO'S

OAKLEE ANDERSON

Oaklee Anderson is a sixth generation Wyoming-ite. She is a 2012 graduate of the University of Wyoming. After college, Oaklee spent four years as state staff for U.S. Senator John Barrasso. Now currently living in Sheridan, Wyoming, Oaklee is the Executive Director of the Wyoming FFA Foundation.

Oaklee chose to stay and pursue a career in Wyoming because of her passion for the state and its future generations. This decision allows her to do what she loves, which includes exploring the Big Horns with her Goldendoodle, Mr. Banks, spending time with her five nephews and two nieces, and visiting her parents on their place between Shoshoni and Riverton.

TYLER CESSOR

Tyler Cessor serves as the Community Development & Diversity, Equity, Inclusion Specialist at the Wyoming Arts Council. He manages the Community Support Grant and collaborates with arts organizations and communities in the development of culturally-relevant arts programming. His past research has largely focused on cultural inequity in higher education music curricula and systematic inequity in arts philanthropy and community development. He is a strong proponent of the capacity of the arts to have dramatic impact on the social, cultural, health, and economic development of communities in WY. Both Tyler and his wife Ashley grew up in Cheyenne and are thrilled to be able to raise their two-year-old daughter so close to family and childhood friends.

JOSHUA CHRYSLER

Josh Chrysler is the Folklorist and Health and Wellness Specialist at the Wyoming Arts Council. Josh is responsible for supporting the diverse and vibrant folk & traditional arts and artists of Wyoming, by running our Folk & Traditional Arts Mentoring Project Grant, and other folk art related initiatives. He will also be managing the Health and Wellness in the Arts initiative, seeking to serve artists and arts organizations working at the intersection of arts and wellbeing. Josh has a degree in English and Philosophy from Colorado State University, along with an MA in Folk Studies from Western Kentucky University.

lthough new to Wyoming, Josh is a 5th-generation Coloradan and has a deep appreciation for the rural West. When he's not at work, Josh is probably exploring the backroads and small towns across the region, or reading, attending live music, or at bar trivia.



SPEAKER BIO'S

BEN ELZAY & LINDSEY WASHKOVIK

Lindsey Washkoviak who with her husband Ben Elzay, established, own and operate Slow Goat Farm in Lander. They produce small batch, farmstead, artisan cheese from Nigerian Dwarf goats and East Friesian sheep under guidelines of the 2015 Wyoming Food Freedom Act. Their mission is to make authentic, wholesome, sustainably produced artisan cheeses to share with our community.

<https://www.slowgoatfarm.com/>

VIVIAN GEORGALAS

Vivian is the entrepreneurial services coordinator at the Wyoming Business Council, coordinating, developing and maintaining programs that support Wyoming entrepreneurs and startups. Originally from Norway, she moved to Laramie several years ago, to complete her education in renewable energy and energy management MBA. She started working at Bright Agrotech when they were a maturing startup, before moving on to Plenty in a enterprise sales strategy role. The knowledge and perspectives gained by working at those companies really motivated her to continue to work in the startup and entrepreneurial space. She enjoys all that Wyoming has to offer and working towards providing better opportunity for others who want to remain in the state.

RON GULLBERG

Ron joined the Wyoming Business Council in March 2014 as communications director after a 25-year daily newspaper career. He was promoted to business development director in September 2017. The WBC's Business Development Division includes business recruitment and expansion, economic development finance programs, the Made and Grown in Wyoming programs, the Wyoming-Asia Pacific Trade Office, market development and expansion, and business technical assistance. Ron has lived in Wyoming for 27 years. He graduated from the University of Oregon in 1988 with a bachelor's in political science. Ron and his wife, Mary Billiter, have six children between them.



SPEAKER BIO'S

BARBARA HOEFT

Barbara has spent nearly 30 years in the family office and trust and estate profession and established Willow Street Financial Services LLC, now the Willow Street Group, in 2005. Previously Barbara managed a single-family office, working as part of a multi-disciplinary team to develop and implement complex wealth transfer strategies. Barbara earned her B.A. from the University of Virginia and is a member of the Jefferson Society. She speaks frequently on topics related to the trust and estate planning field as well as on entrepreneurialism.

Barbara previously served on the Board of the Community Foundation of Jackson Hole where she also chaired the Health & Human Services Committee. Prior to serving on the CFJH board, she was Board President and Endowment Campaign Committee Chair of the Teton County Library Foundation. Barbara has lived in Jackson Hole since 1984 and is an active member of the Gateway Church; she enjoys skiing, cooking and spending time with her husband Chris and their two children, CJ and Charlotte.

KAREN HOSTETLER

Karen Hostetler is the President and founder of Mountain Meadow Wool Co. Inc. She has been involved in the wool industry as a spinner, weaver, craftsman, and marketer of wool products since 1980. In 2007 she co-founded Mountain Meadow Wool. Mountain Meadow Wool procures wool from the ranches in Wyoming and processes the fine, soft wool into yarn. Currently the yarn is shipped all over the US and Canada and overseas to several countries. She has done extensive research on wool production methods throughout the country and has received four SBIR-USDA grants.

Karen has made Wyoming her home for 37 years with her husband, Mike and their seven children.

BRET KAHLER

Brett Kahler (pronouns: he/his/him) is from Casper, WY and is currently living in Laramie, WY. He is the Director of Development for the University of Wyoming, as well as on the Board of Directors for Wyoming Boys' State and the City of Laramie Parks, Trees, and Recreation Advisory Board. During his college-age years, Brett was part of ASUW Student Government as a Senator, Vice President, and President. Additionally, he was on the UW Club Sports Council. Brett's favorite thing about Wyoming is quick access to endless outdoor activities.



SPEAKER BIO'S

EMILY KATH

Emily Kath J.D. is currently living in Cheyenne, WY and is working as a Law Clerk to the Honorable Judge Alan Johnson (Federal District of Wyoming). During her college age years, Emily was involved with ASUW Student Government, Delta Delta Delta Sorority, Mortar Board, SPURS, the Big Event, Relay for Life, Campus Ventures. During her time at Northwestern Pritzker School of Law, she was the Managing Editor of the Journal of Law and Social Policy, a Fellow for International Programs, the University Liaison to the Women's Leadership Coalition, and part of the Power Lunch Program, Juvenile Justice Clinic, and School Services Laurie Children's Hospital. Emily's favorite thing about Wyoming is hiking and skiing.

BRANDON KOSINE

Brandon Kosine is currently the Vice President for Academic Affairs at Casper College. Prior to this appointment, he was the Dean of the School of Social & Behavioral Sciences and a Psychology Instructor at Casper College. Before coming to Casper College, Brandon worked in Student Affairs at the University of Wyoming (UW) for 11 years. He holds a Bachelor of Science degree in psychology from UW, a Master of Science degree in clinical psychology from Pittsburg State University, and a Doctor of Philosophy degree in Counselor Education & Supervision from UW. Brandon is also a Licensed Professional Counselor and Licensed Addictions Therapist in the State of Wyoming.

MONIKA LENINGER

A native Wyomingite from Casper, Monika received both her undergraduate and masters degrees from University of Wyoming. Monika is a Community Organizer for Powder River Basin Resource Council in Laramie. Her work consists of organizing ranchers and landowners impacted by oil and gas operations and the development of Wyoming renewable energy policy

KHRYSTYN LUTZ

Khrystyn Lutz: born in Wyoming, educated in Wyoming, and now working and raising her family in Wyoming. She is married to her better-half, Kray Lutz, and is a mother to two strong-willed kiddos. As a family, they enjoy camping, going to Rockies games, and just being outside as much as possible. Khrystyn is a proud University of Wyoming graduate with a degree in Accounting & Finance. Khrystyn keeps busy being the Vice President of Operations for Pathfinder Federal Credit Union, a Councilwoman on the Casper City Council, and a full-time Masters student (seeking her MBA). Khrystyn is always looking for the next challenge and is excited for what is yet-to-come in our great state.



SPEAKER BIO'S

JACK MASON

Dr. Jack Mason is the Chief Operating Officer of the Institute of Innovation and Entrepreneurship. He was previously Director Entrepreneurship at Duquesne University in Pittsburgh and has 40+ years of experience, principally in the energy industry. He started 8 businesses as both an entrepreneur and intrapreneur; several led to acquisitions; he raised venture capital for another. He was president of a \$50 million public company during a turnaround. His current research focuses on entrepreneurship education and its importance to startup success, startup failure, and entrepreneurship in the knowledge economy. He earned an ScD in engineering from MIT, an MS in Management from the MIT Sloan School of Management, and a BS from the US Naval Academy. He lived in Boulder for 20 years prior to moving to Pittsburgh 6 years ago and recently moving to Wyoming.

TY MCNAMEE

Ty McNamee is pursuing his Doctor of Education in Higher and Postsecondary Education from Teachers College of Columbia University, through which he focuses his research on rural higher education issues. He currently resides in Fort Collins, Colorado, where works remotely on his dissertation and serves as an Academic Success Coordinator and Instructor at Colorado State University. Prior to Columbia and Colorado State University, Ty received his Bachelor of Arts in English from the University of Wyoming in 2013 and his Master of Arts in Higher Education and Student Affairs from the University of Connecticut in 2015.

NATAWSHA MITCHELL

Tawsha Mitchell (pronouns: she/her/hers) is originally from Torrington, WY and is currently living in Laramie, WY. She is now working as the Senior Project Coordinator/African Diaspora Program Advisor at the University of Wyoming, and is currently a member of staff senate and the Chair of the Martin Luther King Jr. Days of Dialogue Committee. During her college age years, Tawasha was involved in ASUW Student Government as both a senator and an executive, Black Student Alliance, Admissions Ambassadors, United Multicultural Council, Study Abroad, and participated in social justice organizing.



SPEAKER BIO'S

TANAYA MOON MORRIS, PHD

Dr. Morris is a qualitative researcher who focuses on personal narratives. Her formal training is in Counselor Education and Supervision. Dr. Morris became a contributing faculty member in Walden's School of Counseling in 2013, and also serves as the counselor and co-coordinator for Wyoming's only Recovery High School, REACH.

She serves on a local community student court to address and intervene in teenage substance abuse and recovery in an attempt to bridge the gap between legal reaction and therapeutic intervention.

BRITTANY PEREZ

Brittany Perez has been with the Wyoming Arts Council since 2015. She serves as the public point of contact for constituents for special events, communications, and other outreach initiatives. Brittany plans the Governor's Arts Awards which recognizes artists, arts organizations and patrons who have displayed excellence in the arts and outstanding service to the arts in Wyoming. She is currently working on the 2019 Arts Summit that will take place in Cheyenne in November. In her free time, Brittany enjoys cooking, traveling, and working out.

AMBER POLLOCK

Amber Pollock is a co-founder and partner at her family owned and operated distillery, Backwards Distilling Company in Mills, Wyoming. Amber grew up in Casper, WY and graduated from the University of Wyoming with her Bachelor's Degree and Master's Degree in Music Education. After three years teaching elementary general music for Natrona Country School District #1, Amber left the classroom in 2013 to pursue starting the distillery with her parents and brother.

Amber is responsible for directing marketing, customer and community relations, and the tasting room and cocktail program at Backwards. She is passionate about the food/beverage and hospitality industries and has gained experience in that field in her role with her company. Amber was instrumental in the founding of the Wyoming Distillers Guild and served as the organization's first president. She is the Vice-Chair of the Board of Directors for the Casper Area Economic Development Alliance and sits on ENDOW Executive Council representing the ENGAGE demographic.



SPEAKER BIO'S

KIM PORTER

Kim Porter, the Wyoming Business Council's Community Initiatives Director, has a passion for community development, enhancement and engagement. Past work includes community assessments, farmers markets, placemaking, main street and more. Kim currently works with partners on the Housing Toolkit project, the Placemaking program, the Community Review Process and a Community Tourism Toolkit. Kim has a certificate in Sustainable Community Development, a certificate in Public Administration, an Associates in Accounting and a B.S. in Management and Leadership. Kim currently serves as the President for the Cheyenne Winter Farmers Market. Sewing, fishing and gardening are a few of her vices.

ERIN PRYOR ACKERMAN

Erin joined Wyoming Humanities in 2015 and is now responsible for membership development and grants operations. Erin holds a BA in English and Biology from Lawrence University and a MA and PhD in English from Indiana University. She's taught at Indiana University and Westminster College in Salt Lake City and has a background in writing and non-profit work.

JAMIE PURCELL

Jamie Purcell, a practicing ecologist, wife, mother of two and a twenty-year resident of Casper, is the co-founder and Executive Director of Wyoming Food for Thought Project. Her mission is to create an active community of youth and adults from diverse backgrounds who work together to build a sustainable quality community food system for all Natrona County residents. She believes in cultivating community, as a local solution to childhood hunger through empowerment and educational food access opportunities. <http://www.wyomingfoodforthoughtproject.org/>

MICAH RICHARDSON

Micah grew up in Casper and now calls Laramie home. Micah took a job with the Wyoming Women's Foundation in 2010 and has been associated with the Wyoming Community Foundation (WYCF) in one capacity or another ever since. Today she serves as the Director of Programs and Communications at WYCF.



SPEAKER BIO'S

STEPHANIE SALAZAR

Stephanie Salazar is an independent certified economic developer who has been serving rural and urban communities, special districts, nonprofit organizations, businesses and developers for over 16 years. She launched Salazar & Associates in 2008 to provide professional services in business development, finance, marketing, project management and strategic planning.

Leading up to her career as an economic developer, Salazar spent several years in commercial real estate development, finance and investments, and government administration in Los Angeles, California and Denver, Colorado.

JESUS RIOS

Jesus Rios is the Chief Executive Officer and Cofounder of Ptolemy Data Systems; a tech-sector company headquartered in Sheridan, Wyoming. Prior to cofounding Ptolemy; Mr. Rios worked as the Business Development Manager for Advanced Communications Technology. Mr. Rios recently served as the City Council President for the City of Sheridan. He has been actively engaged on the Sheridan Economic and Education Development Authority (SEEDA) Board, the Sheridan Business Incubator Board, among others.

He is married to his loving wife of ten years, Misty Rios, and together they have five children. As he likes to phrase it "We have 'em in diapers and football cleats." Mr. Rios is passionate about ENDOW and is committed to creating opportunity for future generations.

JOSHUA "JAY" BLISS

Joshua "Jay" Bliss is the owner and operator of Jay's Livestock. Jay's Livestock was established while Jay was showing animals in 2009. Initially, the business was just for the breeding of club lambs that would be shown. Slowly it grew into providing local meat (lamb and pork) to the Casper area. Jay's Livestock started selling lamb by the cut at Farmer's Markets in 2017. The product has been well received locally and each year has seen an increase of sales at markets and through individual sale of whole or half animals.

The business currently offers lamb, pork, various preserves, and the occasional baked good. Jay credits much of his success to the 4-H and FFA programs. He had membership in both during the years of eligibility and then was honored to work for the UW agricultural extension office for 3 years in the 4-H program while working on his bachelors degree. As of August 2019, Jay was proud to celebrate 10 years in business.



SPEAKER BIO'S

JERAD STACK

Jerad Stack is a successful startup founder, technology executive, angel investor and business mentor. Jerad has nearly 20 years' experience in the enterprise software and broader technology industries. Jerad is a Founder Member of Breakthrough307 - a startup network and early stage angel fund focused on accelerating startups in the Rocky Mountain region. Additionally, he is the Entrepreneur in Residence at the Wyoming Technology Business Center where he serves as an advisor to multiple emerging high-growth companies. Jerad was founder and CEO of the Laramie-based, venture-backed, engineering software company, Firehole Technologies. Jerad also volunteers with multiple community organizations, currently serving as chair of the Amoco Reuse Agreement Joint Powers Board - overseeing a massive redevelopment effort on the former oil companies' Casper properties.

A fifth-generation Wyomingite, Jerad holds an M.S. and B.S. both in Mechanical Engineering from the University of Wyoming.

ERIC TROWBRIDGE

Eric Trowbridge commonly referred to by his initials, ET, is the Chief Executive Officer of The Array School of Technology and Design. He was born in Cheyenne, Wyoming and graduated from Central High School in 2004.

ET then moved to San Francisco to study art direction and later relocated to Los Angeles to work in the film industry for various art and design departments on short and feature films. He then began working for Apple in a leadership capacity for eight years in Los Angeles, New York City, and Chicago. In 2014, he left Apple to pursue technology-oriented entrepreneurship endeavors in Wyoming.

ET helped found Array in 2016, which became Wyoming's first accelerated private school teaching graphic design, computer science fundamentals, and web development among other subject areas. In 2018, he was appointed by the City of Cheyenne's Mayor to chair a city-wide broadband task force exploring solutions to affordable and high-speed broadband efforts for the City. Later that year, ET was appointed by Wyoming's Governor to serve a four-year term on the state's Workforce Development Council.

MELANIE VIGIL

Melanie Vigil (she/her/hers) is originally from Lander, Wyoming. Past research has involved LGBTQ people of color and how these populations navigate rural space and culture. She is currently the Latinx Program Advisor in Multicultural Affairs at UW, and has worked for the ACLU of Wyoming advocating for non-discrimination ordinances in local municipalities, as well as the Wyoming Legislature where she worked to pass bills around non-discrimination and the Wyoming wage gap.



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Visit the link to get more information and to submit an application. Information sessions/casual interviews will happen in September and appointments made by September 30.

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