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FEATURE ARTICLE

AgLearn Leads Workshop

AgLearn's 2023 Leads Workshop, held in person in Fort Collins, CO for the first time since 2019, was successful and productive. The purpose of the workshop was to provide professional development and networking opportunities for more than sixty attendees, from AgLearn Leads and Administrators, Team AgLearn, and vendor partners. The two-day workshop met and exceeded its goals; in particular, attendees were provided with updates about new and soon-to-be-released AgLearn functionality, information about ways to leverage vendor partner products, training on 508 tools, guidance on how to organize and synthesize data, among many other topics.



Attendees also had the opportunity to provide feedback for Team AgLearn, particularly with AgLearn's marketing and communications efforts.

The next workshop will occur May 2024, and it will provide attendees with additional hands-on sessions about vendor partner tools, new AgLearn functionality, and much more.

Launch of OHRM Talent Management Division SharePoint

The Office of Human Resources Management (OHRM), Talent Management Division (TMD) is excited to announce the launch of the TMD SharePoint site. The TMD plans, coordinates, and executes USDA's Department-wide Talent Management strategies, as well as provides leadership, policy, and accountability for employee, supervisor and executive training, leadership development and Student Intern and Pathways programs.

The TMD SharePoint site will provide a centralized hub for training events, courses, programs, and student resources. This new site aims to enhance collaboration, streamline access to information, and empower USDA employees to develop their skills and achieve their professional goals.

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[TMD SharePoint site](#)

Key features of the New TMD SharePoint site

- **Training Events**
The TMD site will host a comprehensive calendar of upcoming training events, including workshops, webinars, seminars, and conferences. Employees can browse the calendar, sign up for events, and access related materials and resources.
- **Courses and Programs**
A wide range of curated courses and programs that cater to different skill levels and interests. The TMD site will serve as a repository of course descriptions, schedules, and enrollment details.
- **Student and Intern Resources**
A wealth of resources to support employees in their learning journey. These resources include guides, timelines, and links to external learning platforms. Additionally, the site will feature success stories highlighting interns and agencies.
- **Notifications and Updates**
Enable employees to stay informed about new training opportunities, program updates, and relevant announcements through TMD's Top News and Announcements section.



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From Our Training Partner

Top 5 Channels for the Summer

1. [Sustainability](#)
2. [Embracing Diversity](#)
3. [Cloud Architecture](#)
4. [Artificial Intelligence \(AI\)](#)
5. [Written Communication](#)

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Quarterly Team AgLearn Service Updates

Did you know?

Over the last 90 days:
1611 cases were created
in Ask AgLearn Now, and
1232 (77%) were solved
in the first 3 days.

- **Search Optimization**
A comprehensive usability study about AgLearn Search functionality is underway; the initial usability survey generated responses from more than 600 respondents, and Team AgLearn is currently developing solutions based on the feedback received.
- **Curated Resources**
The Communications Marketing team has been working hard to curate AgLearn resources for AgLearn users across IT and HR.
- **New Team Members**
Team AgLearn added two new team members, Riley Castine and Marla Lange, to better respond to the needs of all users.

Key Dates

Next Issue

July	Disability Pride Month
July	National Picnic Month
July 26	National Disability Independence Day
August	National Back to School Month
Aug 26	Women's Equality Day
Sept 4	Labor Day Holiday
Sept 15	Hispanic Heritage Month Begins

For additional information about these events and commemorations (and more), please visit AgLearn's homepage and navigate to our [site announcements](#).

Autumn arrives at AgLearn

In the next edition of the AgLearn Newsletter, look for information and resources to equip you for Autumn, including information about seasonal holidays, SF-182s and IDPs/EDPs, featured content from our learning partners at LinkedIn Learning, and announcements from across USDA.

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