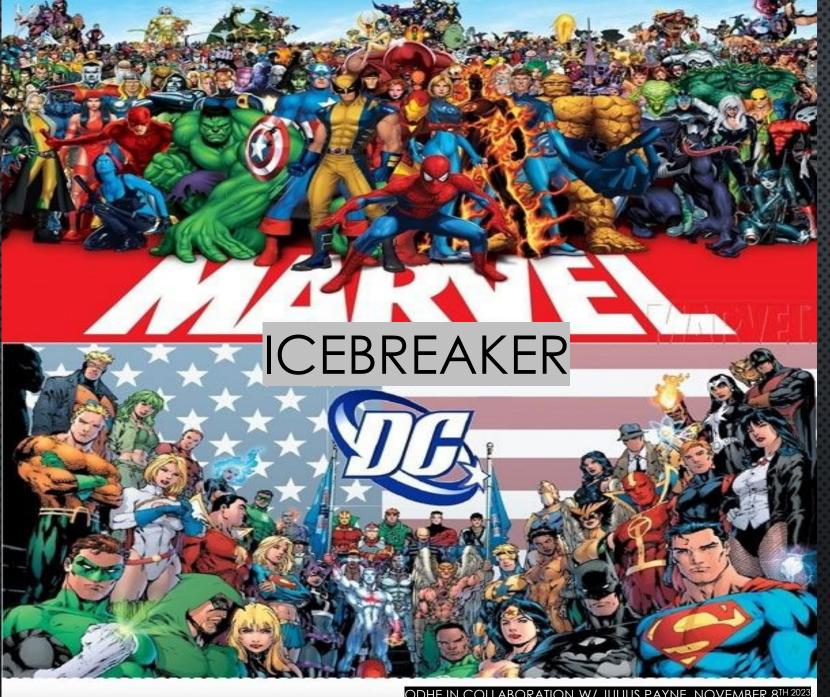
# COMMUNITY COLLABORATIONS

BUILDING BRIDGES THAT LAST





### MHO YW IS

WHY ARE WE HERE?

ID GAPS IN OUR CONNECTIONS



PARTNERS THAT MAKE SENSE



WAYS TO MAINTAIN THE RELATIONSHIPS



CREATING AND EXECUTING AN OUTREACH PLAN

## LAYING THE FOUNDATION

#### DISCONNECTED BRIDGES

WHAT ARE WE MISSING?



# MIND



WHAT AUDIENCES ARE WE MISSING



WHO HAVE WE REACHED BUT STRUGGLED TO BUILD RELATIONSHIP WITH



WHAT HOLDS BACK THE BUY IN FROM PARTNERS



WHAT ROLE DO WE PLAY IN THE GAPS

RESOURCES

**EXPOSURE** 

PLANNING

BUY IN

WHERE DO WE START

ONE TIME TOUCH

INCONSISTENCY

DISCOURAGED



#### THE SEARCH FOR PARTNERS

#### OUR RELATIONSHIPS

- SAFER FUTURES
- TOWNHALL II
- ATHLETICS
- SOCIOLOGY
- CRIMINOLOGY
- WOMEN'S CENTER
- SORORITIES
- FRATERNITIES

- WHY DOES THIS MAKE SENSE
- ALLIES
- SHARED MISSION
- WHO DOES OUR WORK AFFECT
- WHO CAN BE OUR MOUTHPIECE
- PRIORITIZE

- WHOLE ORG/DEPT
- INDIVIDUAL
- ON CAMPUS/ OFF CAMPUS
- DON'T FORGET THE LOGISTICS
- BE INTENTIONAL
- BENEFICIAL TO BOTH



CREATING AND EXECUTING A PLAN



#### WRITE THE VISION, MAKE IT PLAIN

- WHAT RESOURCES ARE AVAILABLE
- RESPONSIBILITIES
- LOGISTICS MATTER
  - WHO, WHAT, WHEN, WHERE, WHY
- HOW
  - FACE TO FACE
  - SOCIAL MEDIA
  - EMAIL



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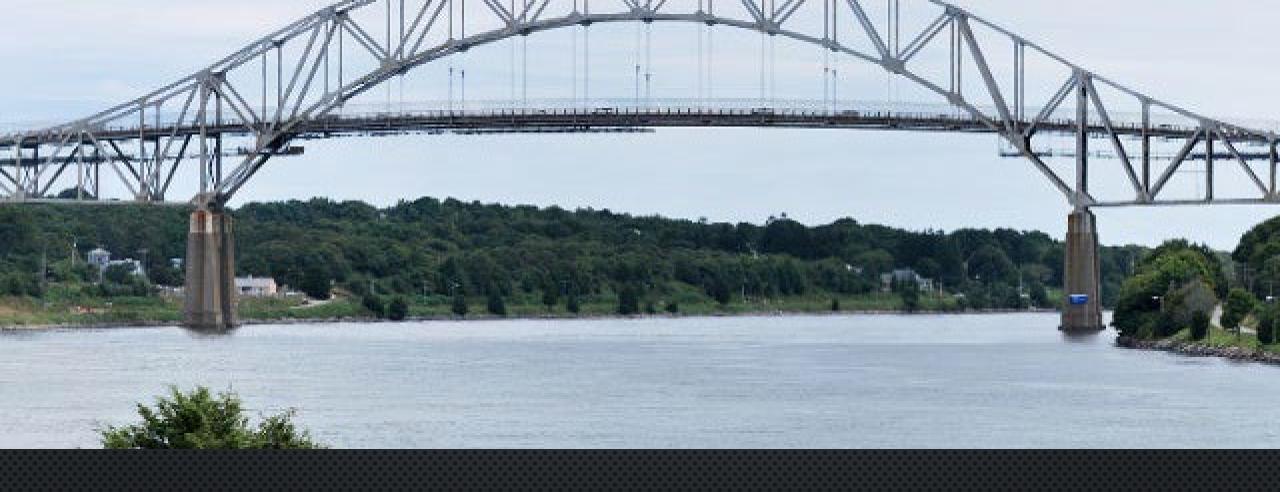
- WRITE IT DOWN
- KNOW IT WONT ALL WORK
  - BE CREATIVE
- EMBRACE UNIQUENESS (YOURSELF, YOUR ORG, YOUR CAMPUS)
  - DON'T BE A KNOW IT ALL
    - EMPATHY

#### WALKING IT OUT

- LISTEN
- MEET THEM WHERE THEY ARE
  - COMMUNICATE
  - UNDERSTAND YOUR ROLE
    - RESPECT THEIR TIME
      - LEARN TO ADAPT
        - EMPATHY

#### WALKING IT OUT

- BE RELIABLE
- SHOW YOURSELF FRIENDLY
  - GO OUT
  - BE CONSISTENT
- GO AWAY TO COME BACK
- CELEBRATE THE SMALL "VICTORIES"



#### MAINTAINING THE BRIDGES

- CONSISTENT CONTACT
  - DON'T SWEAT IT
- SHOW APPRECIATION
- VALUE THE OPPORTUNITY
- UNDERSTAND "THINGS CHANGE"
  - KNOW YOUR WORTH
    - BE PATIENT

- SHARE YOUR CONTACTS
  - KEEP IT SIMPLE
    - EMPATHY
    - RESPECT
- ADAPT (CHANGES INSIDE AND OUTSIDE YOUR ORG)
  - DON'T GET DISCOURAGED
    - KEEP GOING

# QUESTIONS/ COMMENTS