





## **Work shop Proposal**

### Workshop Description: “ Youth/Adult Partnerships”

This session will help you evaluate adult attitudes and behaviors toward young people and how youth can work better with adults as partners.

### Workshop Learning Objectives:

-  Review discussion about adult attitudes regarding youth involvement in decision-making
-  To Identify benefits and challenges to working in youth/adult partnerships
-  To prepare for youth volunteer involvement
-  Professional Reference: Judy Taylor, Youth Development Center Educator Springfield Center

**Professional Reference:** Judy Taylor, University of Illinois Extension PO Box 8199 Springfield, IL 62791 217-782-8886 ( See proposal from last year)

Short Bio- Tessa Hobbs-Curley is a Youth Development Educator, University of Illinois Extension. She oversees the 4-H Program in McDonough County working with over 100 volunteers. She provides program training in character education for faculty and staff, introduction to specific curricula. She serves on the states Social Emotional Learning Committee and Character Education Committee. She has co-authored five resources for teachers, childcare providers and families.

### **Youth/ Adult Partnerships**

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**University of Illinois Extension**

**West Central Illinois Volunteerism Conference**

**October 29<sup>th</sup>, 2009 – 2:00p.m. - 3:30p.m.**


### **Inventory of Adult Attitudes & Behavior Toward Young People Instructions**

### **Youth as Objects**

### **Youth as Recipients**

### **Youth as Partners**

### **Case Study Activity**

 **Why Bother**

 **Impacts of Youth on Adults**

 **Facilitating Youth Volunteerism**

 **Tips and Tricks for Youth working with Adults as Partners**

 **Questions**