Center of Excellence for Collaborative Innovation Presents:
External Crowdsourcing Training Workshop

InnoCentive/TopCoder
May 22-24, 2012 at GSA
Washington, DC

Day 1- May 22

7:45-8:15 am  Sign In/Registration, Coffee and Light Breakfast
8:15-8:30 am  Welcome- Jason Crusan and Jeff Davis
8:30-9:15 am  Center of Excellence for Collaborative Innovation
              • Background
              • Personnel support
              • Facilitation Role
              • Process to engage

Introduction to Collaborative Innovation Platforms
• InnoCentive
• TopCoder

9:15-9:55 am  NASA Pavilion Pilot Challenge Results- InnoCentive

9:55-10:15 am Break- Sign up for 1:1 sessions
• CoECI – (NASA Personnel)
• InnoCentive
• TopCoder

10:15-11:00 am NASA Tournament Lab and Challenge Results- TopCoder

11:00-12:00 pm Keynote: Stephen Shapiro
Title: Innovating the Way You Innovate

12:00- 1:30 pm Lunch

1:30-2:45 pm  Strategy for Identifying Organizational Gaps/Needs
              • NASA Innovation Pavillion- NASA/InnoCentive
• NASA Tournament Lab-NASA/TopCoder

2:45pm-3:00pm  Break- Sign up for 1:1 sessions
  • CoECI – (NASA Personnel)
  • InnoCentive
  • TopCoder

3:00-4:45 pm  Key Characteristics of Innovative Organizations
  How do Innovation Platforms Support these Characteristics?
  **Panel Moderator: Stephen Shapiro**
  • InnoCentive
  • TopCoder

4:45pm-5:00pm  Wrap-up- Vision for Day 2-CoECI
Day 2 - May 23

8:00-8:30 am  Sign-in, Networking, Coffee and Light Breakfast

8:30-8:40 am  Kick-off of Tracks

Track 1 – Software/Algorithms

8:40-11:40 am  **TopCoder Challenge Session**
   - Challenge Formulation Best Practices
   - TopCoder Process & Methodology
   - TopCoder Examples
   - TopCoder Challenge Walk-through

11:40- 1:00 pm  Lunch - Sign up for 1:1 sessions
   - CoECI – (NASA Personnel)
   - InnoCentive
   - TopCoder

Track 2 – Science and Technology

1:00- 4:00 pm  **InnoCentive Challenge Session**
   - Challenge Formulation Best Practices
   - InnoCentive Products, Process & Methodology
   - InnoCentive Examples
   - InnoCentive Challenge Walk-through & Construction “Live”

4:00-4:15pm  Break

4:15-4:45pm  Q&A session with CoECI, InnoCentive and TopCoder
   - Wrap up and Vision for Day 3
Day 3- May 24

9:00 AM – 4:00 PM: 1:1 Group Meetings by Agency - 60 minutes each
- CoECI
  - 2 Rooms
- InnoCentive
  - 2 Rooms
- TopCoder
  - 1 Room
Logistics

Lodging

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