

Why is it important to publish your action research work on the IPLI website?

Through sharing your work on the IPLI website, you are benefitting four important groups of people:

- **You!** - The process of preparing for your action research publication will help you clarify what you learned through your inquiry. This clarification will help you apply what you learned to your practice as a principal!
- **Fellow Cohort 8 IPLI Principals!** - All those unable to attend your presentation will benefit from the knowledge you generated from inquiring into your practice!
- **Current and Future IPLI Affiliates and Participants!** - Next year's IPLI Cohort 9 principals will have rich examples to follow as they stand on the shoulders of giants who have studied their administrative practice as a part of IPLI in the past – YOU!
- **School administrators around the world!** – The IPLI Action Research Summaries are read by individuals all over the world. Don't be surprised when someone emails you for additional information about your project.

How do I submit my presentation for publication on the IPLI website?

The process is straightforward. Follow these steps:

- Save the Word narrative as a PDF.
- Save the PowerPoint presentation you prepared for the Action Research Showcase as a PDF. Remember, when you save it as a PDF, it freezes the formatting and layout. Once you save it as a PDF, go back through the document to ensure all the parts of each slide are visible.
- Email both PDF documents (Word doc and PowerPoint) to Lori at madison.gruenert@indstate.edu **by May 1, 2021**. If you can (You'll need Acrobat Pro loaded on your computer.), you can combine the two documents into one PDF, but make sure the Word narrative PDF is first.

Once you submit your documents, Madison will load them onto the IPLI website under “AR Summaries” by July 1, 2021. You now have a professional publication!

To see your publication, go to <http://indianapli.org/>. Click on “AR Summaries.” Click on “Year 1” in the dropdown menu and select “Cohort 8.” Projects are organized by topic. Find your topic and click on it. Find the title of your presentation and click on it.

Here’s an example of how you would cite this on your resume:

Andrews, K. (2021). Providing effective feedback. Retrieved from <https://www.someaddress.com/full/url>

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Congratulations on completing the Action Research component of IPLI Year 1!