

Synergy: Expanding Local Content via National Resources

As a member of ASTD, you have the opportunity to benefit not only from high-quality local programming but from national resources as well. At our April meeting, Dr. Ana Jensen (director of programming, KC-ASTD) emphasized the importance of talent management and offered a model that can help any organization match the right people to the right job both now and in the future. This month, Deb Connor explores personal career growth for the T&D professional.

Clearly, these issues are current and integral to the success of organizations and learning professionals. It is not surprising that the National ASTD organization is also addressing these topics. Check out these offerings, available to you in May:

May 14, 2008, 2 p.m. ET Career Contentment Webcast

Join Jeff Garton, author of [*Career Contentment: Don't Settle for Anything Less!*](#) as he explains the affects of attitude on professional success and how a meaningful, fulfilling career is available to anyone who makes the active decision to pursue it! [Get login information here.](#)

May 22, 2008, 2 p.m. ET T+D May Webcast: Talent Management

Join Kevin M. Oakes, CEO of The Institute for Corporate Productivity (i4cp) and Susan Burnett, National Managing Director of Talent and Development at Deloitte Services, as they discuss what talent management is, who owns it, and why learning professionals need to care about it.

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