

# CREATIVE PROBLEM SOLVING WORKSHOP



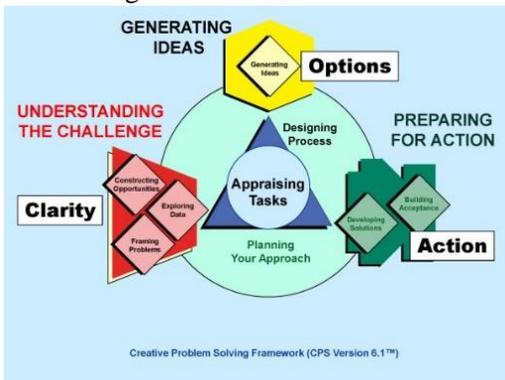
JUNE 2019- UNIVERSITY OF MASSACHUSETTS IN AMHERST

Explore innovative means of creative action through individual style.

Offered by Center for Creative Learning LLC through FPSPI

CEU (Continuing Education Credit) Available through University of Massachusetts - additional registration and fee required through UMASS

**Perhaps you've heard that there's more to brainstorming than just brainstorming?** The Center for Creative Learning's 3-day workshop will explore the facets of Creative Problem Solving and the tools for generating ideas and focusing on best solutions. **When is the right time to generate solutions? When is the right time to frame the problem? When should action start?** Creative Problem Solving's flexible framework models a process that can be added to anyone's toolbox of learning and transfer into real skills whether in the classroom or beyond the classroom walls. Participants will apply their new understanding of problem solving process, tools and style by creating a plan of action to address a team or individual challenge.



This workshop will focus on the Creative Problem Solving process during a fast-paced, hands-on, minds-on workshop. This powerful and practical framework of tools and resources for thinking creatively and critically, solving complex, open-ended challenges and problems, and managing change will become a way of life. Our CPS 6.1™ framework builds on more than six decades of research, development, and practical application worldwide in schools and other non-profit settings, as well as in corporations. Creative Problem Solving provides tools that can be applied successfully by problem solvers of all ages, in any setting, working alone or in a team.

## Benefits of This Training

- Create fresh new ideas and put them to work immediately.
- Turn your "good" ideas into real action.
- Understand your own problem solving style when solving problems and managing change, individually or in a group.
- Acquire creative thinking skills that can be used at school, work, or in personal life.
- Learn how problem solving can inspire both students and adults to think deeper and be more engaged.

## Additional Specifics

- This workshop will be held on the campus of University of Massachusetts.
  - Monday, June 3, 2019  
9 am to 4 pm
  - Tuesday, June 4, 2019  
9 am to 4 pm
  - Wednesday, June 5, 2019  
9 am to 4 pm
- Housing and meals are the responsibility of the participants.
- Residence halls are available at an extra cost or local hotels are nearby.
- **Minimum enrollment of 10 participants required - May 8th deadline!**

## Registration, Fees, and Payment

- Register at <http://survey.constantcontact.com/survey/a07ef32jspkjd3absk7/start>. Fee of \$450 will be invoiced.
- UMASS CEU option - **additional** registration and fee required-registration form found at <https://www.umass.edu/cpe/form/credit-register.pdf> & payment of \$55 billed by the Bursar's office after entered in SPIRE. Once entered onto the records and paperwork is official, a transcript of the CEU record will be mailed.