



Virtual Hearing: Research and Data Collection
Friday, January 13, 2023
11am-1pm AKT/ 1-3pm MT/ 2-4pm CT/ 3-5pm ET

Overview: This panel will address the opportunities and challenges for researchers and evaluators to conduct ethical, culturally responsive, and inclusive research and evaluation in Native communities, and to provide valuable data to support improved programming and results for Native children. More contemporary approaches to data sovereignty and participatory research/evaluation have created more respectful relationships between researchers/evaluators and Native communities. The panelists will provide academic and research perspectives on the best methods to engage in research and evaluation to improve educational, economic, health and justice outcomes for Native children.

AGENDA

- Welcome & Introductions Chair
- Invocation Commissioner
- Review of Commission Norms Chair
- Overview of Commission and goals of meeting Chair
- Panelist Presentations:
 - **Nicole Bowman**/Waalaneexkweew (Lunaape/Mohican), Ph.D. the President/Leader/Founder of Bowman Performance Consulting (BPC).
 - **Michelle Johnson-Jennings**, Ph.D., Ed.M., (Choctaw Nation Tribal Member), Full Professor and Director, Indigenous Wellness Research Institute Division of Environmentally Based Health and Land-Based Healing, University of Washington, joint appointment with the University of Colorado's School of Public Health.
 - **Cynthia R. Pearson**, IWRI, Ph.D., Research Professor, Director of Research, University of Washington.
- Cross-Cutting Recommendations from Panelists Chair
- Questions & Discussion Chair
- Wrap up Chair