

**Invitation Letter for ISMETA Members  
to present in the Professional Development Center**

Dear ISMETA Members,

**We are delighted to invite you to submit proposals to facilitate an event in our new online learning platform - the Professional Development Center (PDC).**

In response to the expressed needs of the membership, ISMETA has invested resources to create an online learning platform for continued professional growth and development.

For years, ISMETA has created events for our members to develop their professional skills. Through our latest conference in 2022 and many other events, members have demonstrated how Somatic Movement Education and Therapy are being applied in the realms of Health, Education, and the Arts. Now, we are taking it to the next level and offering you the chance to present your unique materials through this learning platform.

This is an opportunity for you to share your expertise in the Somatic Movement Education, Somatic Movement Therapy, and Somatic Dance Education fields with other dedicated professionals. The vision is to offer a variety of beneficial learning opportunities for somatic movement colleagues within these current learning pathways:

- Cultivating a Vibrant Work Life
- Somatic Movement in Education
- Research and Publications
- Trauma-informed Practices for Somatic Movement Professionals

In the [Call for Proposals](#), we are asking ISMETA members to submit a proposal highlighting insights from your professional practice that will support the growth and development of other Somatic Movement professionals.

These are the different ways that materials can be offered in the Professional Development Center:

- 1) Live events:** single workshops or courses with multiple sessions
- 2) Pre-recorded videos:** single workshops or courses with multiple sessions

In addition, there is the option to record the live event (#1) and then make it available later as a pre-recorded video (#2). To learn more about the different ways to present materials, profit sharing and what to consider when creating your event, read the [Call for Proposals](#), prepare your application, and [submit your proposal](#).

We've built a platform that's ready to be filled with your unique somatic knowledge. Now it's your turn; we're excited to see what you have to offer! Together, we are growing the profession of somatic movement!

In Service,  
The ISMETA PDC Workgroup and the Executive Committee