Mapping Your Networks

Use this tool to identify the expertise you need, and the existing connections you have!

What terms have you been using? What are some alternate terms you can try?

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Under "organization" brainstorm personal and community connections, local universities, professional organizations, and other places to look for expert support. Then think about how you'll reach them. Do you know someone? Is there a listserv or forum? Social media? A website or directory? Get creative!

Tips and Suggestions

- Prioritize first level contacts, and those you know are well connected
- Consider contacts past and present
- Make a rule to not rule people out
- Tailor approach towards the person and think through how to best reach out
- Mobilize the power of in-person meeting if possible

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