**Presenter Requirements**

- Expertise in subject area; experience in adaptive sport industry is preferred.
- Skilled public-speaker and/or experience facilitating groups.
- It is not permitted for presentations to focus solely on selling or promoting materials or products.
- Tailor presentation to meet the needs of the audience. DSUSA can provide information about the audience demographics and conduct pre-event surveys upon request.
- Ability to adhere to timeline of deliverables pre-event including written documentation for the session.
- Participate in screening/interview process.

*DSUSA reserves the right to make the final determination as to the appropriateness of speakers for events.*

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**Presenter Benefits**

- Excellent professional development and networking opportunity.
- Play a role in elevating the professionalism of the adaptive sport industry.
- Support a group of hard-working, caring professionals in a rewarding and up-and-coming field.
- Recognition through numerous marketing channels including Disabled Sports USA website and print materials.
- Presenter compensation, travel arrangements, and per diem are determined on a case-by-case basis.

*Adapt2Achieve training is provided to chapter members at no cost. In lieu of honoraria or speaker fees, speakers may have a donation made in their name.*

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**Mission**

Adapt2Achieve launched in 2009 to develop and strengthen community-based adaptive sports organizations through training in adaptive sports and nonprofit management.

- Since 1967, Disabled Sports USA has provided national leadership and opportunities for individuals with disabilities to develop independence, confidence, and fitness through participation in community sports, recreation and educational programs.
- Grassroots chapter network consists of 120+ organizations delivering services to local communities around the country.
- Adapt2Achieve is a program of DSUSA that promotes professionalization of the adaptive sport industry through education and training, with a primary focus on the chapter network. Peer-to-peer knowledge sharing is the cornerstone of Adapt2Achieve events.

**Adapt2Achieve presenters demonstrate a connection to the mission and core values of DSUSA. Past presenters include adaptive sports professionals, sports and healthcare professionals, individuals from the education and special education fields, research professionals focusing their work on adaptive sport, mental health professionals, non-profit administrative personnel and other credentialed professionals.**

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**If you are interested in becoming a Presenter, please contact Disabled Sports USA for more information.**

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