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**Perspectives Book Group- Host Evaluation**

**PROGRAM #:**

**EVENT / PRESENTATION NAME:**

Thank you for taking the time to complete this evaluation about your experience in the book group. Your comments will help us strengthen the book discussion program and be used for grant writing purposes. We would love to hear about your experience as a host! We want to know what works and in what ways we can better help you offer stimulating, enjoyable events in your community. Please complete and return this survey to Mary Nolin at [mnolin@nhhumanities.org](mailto:mnolin@nhhumanities.org) or via mail to New Hampshire Humanities, 117 Pleasant Street, Concord, NH 03301 within two weeks following your event.

**Please provide the following tracking information:**

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| **Event date:** |  |
| **Event location:** |  |
| **Event zip code:** |  |
| **Number of participants:** | **Capacity: Actual:** |

**Format**:  Online  In person  Hybrid

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| 1. In what ways does hosting this program benefit your organization / community? (*Check all that apply*.)  * Brings people to our venue * Increases awareness of our organization * Enables our organization to promote its mission * Alerts attendees to other events and opportunities * Gives residents the opportunity to meet each other * Connects residents with people and ideas from   outside our community   * Subsidizes the program budget for our organization * Removes staffing barriers for our organization * Other: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ | 2.) **What are the most valuable or important aspects of the *Perspectives* book discussion program?**   * Receiving free books for your patrons * Having a scholar facilitate the discussion * Options for book discussions in multiple formats (in person, virtual, hybrid) * Encourages meaningful conversation between participants * Explores big questions and ideas |
| **3.) What impact, if any, does the *Perspectives* program have for your organization? (Please elaborate on benefits or elements identified above)** | |

**4.)**  **Does your organization host other book group programming?**

* Yes
* No

**5.) If you answered yes to question four, please explain how the *Perspectives* program is different or unique from your normal book discussion programming, if at all?**

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**6. What of value emerged from the book’s discussion? Please describe in detail topics of interests, moments of thoughtful discussion or debate, or personal reflections from participants about the book and its content.**

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**7. Please give us your thoughts on the program’s content.**

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| **CONTENT** | **Excellent** | **Good** | **Acceptable** | **Poor** | **N/A** |
| How well did the book discussion meet your expectations/goals that you articulated in your initial application? | ⃝ | ⃝ | ⃝ | ⃝ | ⃝ |
| How well did the book inspire curiosity around the topic? | ⃝ | ⃝ | ⃝ | ⃝ | ⃝ |
| How well did the book create meaningful dialogue? | ⃝ | ⃝ | ⃝ | ⃝ | ⃝ |
| How well did the facilitator help participants explore important concepts from the book? | ⃝ | ⃝ | ⃝ | ⃝ | ⃝ |
| How well did the facilitator engage the audience? | ⃝ | ⃝ | ⃝ | ⃝ | ⃝ |

# 5. Please give us your constructive feedback on the facilitator. (Please be specific on what worked, what could be improved, and how the facilitator was received):

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**6. Any final thoughts, suggestions, comments?**

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**Thank you!**

Please save the evaluation, title it, and email to: [mnolin@nhhumanities.org](mailto:mnolin@nhhumanities.org)

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