Please complete the project summary and return the completed form to April Snyder, Associate Administrator for the Institute on the Environment at aprilsn Snyder@umn.edu. Paper copies will not be accepted. Please also attach any photos, publications, brochures, event agendas or other materials that were a result of the mini grant summary.

**Date of Report Submission:** 12 November 2013

**Project Title:** Expanding Training Opportunities Across One Health

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**Project Context & Purpose**

*Please include the original project purpose statement and revise for any changes that occurred in the project after the start date with a short explanation of the changes.*

**2012-2013 Institute on the Environment Minigrant – After Action Report**

Awarded to:

Tim Goldsmith, DVM, MPH, DACVPM
Veterinary Population Medicine, College of Veterinary Medicine

Purpose/Vehicle:

On May 15, 2013 we hosted a one-day retreat. The purpose was to introduce and foster new relationships with faculty and staff in a variety of disciplines internal and external to the U of MN in the context of graduate level experiential learning.

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**Work Completed**

*Please provide a summary of the work that was completed for the mini grant project.*

Our group of 27 convened for morning plenary sessions, broke for lunch, and then self-selected into three breakout groups (program, partnerships, sustainable funding) for the afternoon.

**Agenda**

8:30 a.m.  
Check-in, morning break foods available

9:00  
Overview and Introductions  
Drs. Tim Goldsmith & Larissa Minicucci

9:45  
History of Public Health Practice programs and Veterinary Public Health and Preventive Medicine Residency program  
Drs. Deb Olson & Will Hueston

10:30  
Break

10:45  
Graduate Programs Overview, New Programs, New Courses  
Dr. Mark Rutherford

11:15  
Panel of Public Practice Partners  
- Dr. Nikki Neeser, Minnesota Department of Agriculture  
- Dr. Heather Case, AVMA
Dr. Jennifer Koeman, National Pork Board

12:00 p.m. Lunch – up one floor, Courtyard Dining Room

1:00 Breakouts
- Each table facilitated by residents and/or grad students
  - Programs
  - Partners
  - Sustainable Funding

2:15 Break
2:30 Breakout group reporting of top three action items (20 minutes each)
3:30 Wrap Up
4:00 Adjourn

The $2500 of IonE funding was used to support travel for program alumni from Iowa and Illinois, as well as secure meeting space and meals at the Continuing Education and Conference Center on St. Paul Campus.

**Partnerships & Collaborations**

*Please provide a summary of the project personnel, partnerships and collaborations that worked directly on the project or were started as a direct result of the mini grant project.*

Representatives from the College of Veterinary Medicine, School of Public Health, Extension, Minnesota Department of Agriculture, National Pork Board, and American Veterinary Medical Association were in attendance.

**Project Outcomes**

*Please provide a summary of the outcomes of the mini grant project including future plans for the project.*

Outcomes:
The retreat successfully engaged experts from a variety of backgrounds, interest areas, and sectors (academia, commodity groups, etc.) We received valuable input and developed a viable list of action items from each afternoon breakout group.

Examples follow:
(* denotes action items already in progress)*

**Program**
- Immersion training
- Identify faculty champions for specific focus areas
- Define resources for new online learning modules
- Explore graduate level minors
- Explore undergraduate honors seminar courses*

**Partnerships**
- Develop mentor program*
- Explore cost-share funding models with state agencies*

**Sustainable Funding**
- Solidify funding model that supports a person not a project*
- Secure additional affiliation agreements with external partners*
- Diversify funding opportunities*