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MARSHALL COUNTY  
PUBLIC LIBRARY

Yes, YOU!

You're good enough.

You're smart enough.

And doggone it, people like you!



# Step 1: The topic

A successful program at your library

Readers Advisory (i.e. by genre)

Something unique at your library

A partnership you participate in

Library basics

Share your specialized knowledge





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## Step 2

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Round Table Discussion

Panel Presentation

Hands-On Interactive

“Sage on a Stage”

## Step 3

Come up with a title and description. This is your sales pitch, so put some time and thought into it.



# Step 4

Create a slide show or handout

Don't put too many words on there.

Make sure it's easy to read.



# Step 5

## The Presentation

*It's your  
time to shine!*



“  
*You say impossible, but all  
I hear is ‘I’m possible.’*”

Ted Lasso





# DO

Prepare ahead of time

Practice speaking slowly and clearly

Engage the crowd

Leave time for questions



# DON'T

Read your screen/script

Forego the microphone

Try to be someone you're not

Be nervous



# Thank you

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