## **Convention 2026 Cluster Programming**

Each day of the convention, we invite participants to join facilitated affinity group gatherings—casual spaces for connection, conversation, and community-building. Whether you're hoping to meet new people with shared identities or experiences, or simply take a moment to be in community, these gatherings are designed to offer supportive, welcoming environments for socializing and networking.

- Congregational Leaders (Presidents, Board Members, and more)
- EDA (Executive Directors/Administrators)
- Educators
- JEDI (Justice, Equity, Diversity, and Inclusion)/Social Justice
- BIPOC (Black, Indigenous, and People of Color)
- LGBTQ+
- Young People (under 40)
- Hiddur Mitzvah (Arts)
- Musicians/Musical Folks

Are these the right groups? Are there other groupings you think would be helpful?

## **Poster Session**

We would like to dedicate three workshops to poster sessions, where communities would share highlights, what they are working on and what they are proud of. About 6 communities will present in each slot. This program hopes to facilitate communities sharing what they are learning, working on, and proud of with each other. The poster will be a visual guide, and each presentation should share the narrative about what you're doing, why, and what makes it successful.

What is your community doing to rekindle light and joy that would be helpful for other congregations to know?

- For the people within your community
- For the wider community / in the public square
- What are the top 3 enabling factors that have led you to success?

Help us shape the questions/prompts that you would be most interested in. What do you want to share about your community and learn from others?