



**National Play Lab Conference**  
**June 17-18, 2018**  
**Steamboat Springs, Colorado**

All sessions take place in Library Hall at the Bud Werner Memorial Library,  
1289 Lincoln Avenue and will be moderated by Mr. Jerry Patch

**Sunday, June 17:**

1:00 -1:30 Introductions and opening remarks –  
Jerry Patch & Jim Steinberg

1:30 - 3:00 Roundtable: **Models & Methodologies**

3:00 – 3:15 BREAK

3:15 – 4:15 Panel: **The Lay of the Land What is the role of play development  
organizations in today’s changing environment?**

Moderator: Jim Steinberg

Panelists: Jerry Patch

Emily Simoness

4:15 – 4:45 Roundtable: **State of Funding Today**

4:45 – 6:00 Panel: **Networking: working with organizations,  
partners and funders**

Moderator: Nan Barnett

Panelists: Liz Engelman

David Hudson

6:00 adjourn to the Rancho Relaxo (782 Amethyst Dr.) for BBQ dinner and drinks

**Monday, June 18:**

Caffeine and nibbles available in Library Hall throughout the morning

9:00-10:15 Panel: **Relationships between developmental & producing organizations**

Moderator: Hayley Finn  
Panelists: Emily Simoness  
Lori Wolter Hudson  
John Eisner

10:15 – 10:30 BREAK

10:30 – 11:45 Panel: **Commissioning & Fellowships: The relationship of playwrights to development organizations**

Moderator: Joel Roark  
Panelists: Liz Engleman  
Willy Holtzman

11:45 – 1:00 LUNCH BREAK & casual conversation (sandwiches served in Library Hall)

1:00 - 2:15 Panel: **Ethics & Values in New Play Development**

Moderator – Paul Meshejian  
Panelists: Jeni Mahoney  
John Eisner  
Hayley Finn

2:15 – 3:30 Roundtable: **The Nitty Gritty - Employment Practices, Unions, Benefits and Payroll: what are the issues and how we dealing with them?"**

3:30 – 3:45 BREAK

3:45 – 5:00 - Open discussion and wrap-up

5:30 – Dinner and adult beverages at the Rancho Relaxo