

promoting the power of facilitation worldwide

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She loves working with other facilitators to present at IAF conferences. She will be copresenting at her 20th conference worldwide at the next IAFNA conference in Ottawa (May 2018). She is the principal and founder of **North Star Facilitators** and has worked with clients from all sectors since 1995. Barbara is passionate about bringing diversity into the field of facilitation and helping others do the same.

She has formed and mentored two international cohorts of diverse facilitators since 2009. Barbara most recently co-facilitated topics such as accessible and equitable public health and university education services in Oregon, and climate change initiatives in the US. She continues to promote process facilitation through her North Star Facilitators You tube video channel and blog which is published every second Tuesday at 4 p.m. Pacific time for the last four years. When not thinking about facilitation, she does yoga, meditates, travels globally to see her two children and family, hikes with her husband, and creates glass mosaics.

