



**NGCP Webinar
Chat Transcript:
Empowering Young Creators with Design Squad Latinx**

April 18, 2024

Candid Mack, NGCP: Welcome everyone I'm Candid from NGCP. Please introduce yourself in the chat. I'm in Dallas, TX

Brenda Britsch: Hi everyone! I'm Brenda Britsch with NGCP, joining from Portland, OR. I'm looking forward to this webinar!

Aileen Torres: My name is Aileen Torres I am with Science Mill in Johnson City, TX

iPhone: Hello my name is Yessenia Rodriguez from Instituto del progreso Latino in Chicago Illinois

Emily Early (she/her) | NGCP: Hi, all. Emily Early joining from Saratoga Springs, NY. I am a Senior Program Manager at NGCP. Welcome!

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Adrienne: So much wonderful programming from WGBH!!!

Amanda Sullivan: Yes, Adrienne, we agree!

Candid Mack, NGCP: Yes, we are honored to collaborate with WBH

Amanda Sullivan: If you have any questions for Nicki while she is presenting, please put them in the chat! We will ask those questions later on in our hour together

Amanda Sullivan: Love these shows! My kids LOVE Work it out Wombats

Amanda Sullivan: GBH Education: <https://www.wgbh.org/foundation/gbh-education>

Amanda Sullivan: PBS Learning Media <https://pbslearningmedia.org/>

Amanda Sullivan: DESIGN SQUAD Latinx Collection:

<https://pbslearningmedia.org/collection/design-squad-latinx/>

Adrienne: Is the term "funds of knowledge" a newer way to refer to "cultural competencies"?

Amanda Sullivan: Great question, Adrienne! We'll ask Nicki for her thoughts on that during the Q&A.

Amanda Sullivan: If anyone else has questions or comments, please put them in the chat so we can ask them to Nicki later on.

Allie Appel: "Gel with the spirit" (I love this and am actively adding this into my vocab) 😊

Adrienne: Are these materials adaptable for Latinx students with disabilities?

Amanda Sullivan: Good question, we'll get Nicki's thoughts on how these materials can be adapted during the Q&A!

Amanda Sullivan: Do any of you plan to use these modules and resources in your own work with youth?

Amanda Sullivan: Training and Professional Development | DESIGN SQUAD LATINX

English: <https://pbslearningmedia.org/collection/design-squad-latinx/t/in-english/training-and-professional-development/>

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Adrienne: NASA has a variety of free resources on STEM, some also in Spanish - and these modules would work well with them.

Candid Mack, NGCP: If anyone else has questions or comments, please put them in the chat or use raise hand feature so we can ask them to Nicki.

Catherine McCarthy: Thank you so much for this presentation Nicki

Christina Leavell: This is all very exciting work!

Adrienne: Thanks for answering my question!

Candid Mack, NGCP: Nicki has provided a resource list for today's presentation. You can explore more using the link:

<https://docs.google.com/document/d/1tbwuVsqOwsWyJwpozvdQIOxezMUaLCKPdJ4hVGwI7TI/edit?usp=sharing>

Candid Mack, NGCP: If anyone else has questions or comments, please put them in the chat or use raise hand feature so we can ask Nicki.

Candid Mack, NGCP: You can contact Nicki at nicki_sirianni@wgbh.org

Adrienne: Are the original Design Squad programs available online? Any plans to translate these?

Adrienne: Are the resources keyed to any educational standards? That seems essential for classroom educators.

Amanda Sullivan: Thanks for these questions!

Amanda Sullivan: We'll keep asking as many as possible to Nicki

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Adrienne: Thanks for answering my questions and for the overall presentation!

Catherine McCarthy: Thank you so much!

Amanda Sullivan: Please complete our post-webinar survey:
<https://forms.office.com/r/VUD43Gwuws>

Adrienne: Such an important message!

Jennifer Kracha: These look like FANTASTIC resources, and I am so excited to dive deeper in them. Thank you so much!

Catherine McCarthy: I'm sorry I need to run to another meeting

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Emily Early (she/her) | NGCP: Thanks, Nicki!

Marisa (they/she): Thank you!

Aileen Torres: Thank you so much for this webinar!

Christina Leavell: Thank you!!!

Candid Mack, NGCP: Thank you for joining.