

Evaluating Your Programs

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Name a program you have attended and LOVED in the last year.

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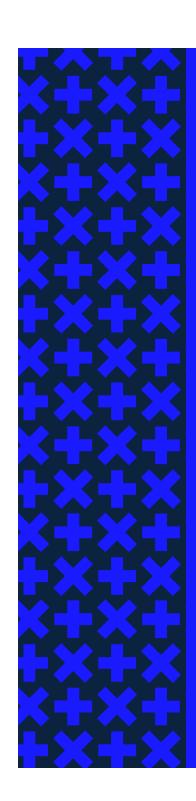
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What did you enjoy about it? How did you find out it was happening? Anything you'd change?

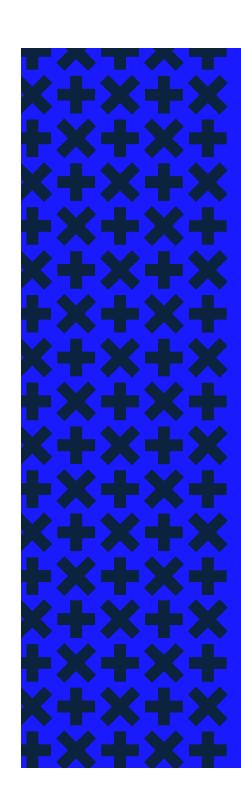
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Why should you evaluate?

- Why would you keep buying the same pair of pants if they didn't fit?
- Repetition allows us the amazing opportunity to improve as you go
- Evaluation keeps your programming relevant and hopefully meets the needs of the population you are trying to serve

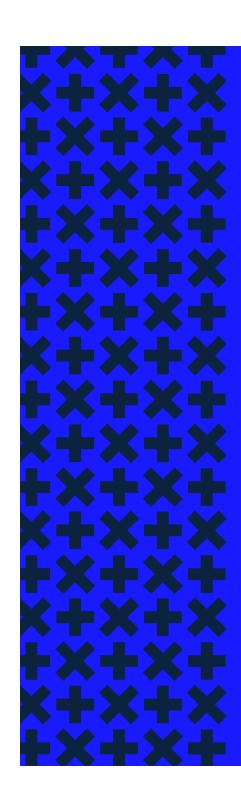




Evaluation isn't as scary as it sounds

- Immediate
 - Reflect and take notes
- Shorter term
 - Add a quick evaluation method at the end of every program
- Longer term
 - Wait until the end of a semester to issue a longer survey and analyze the findings
- Start somewhere!



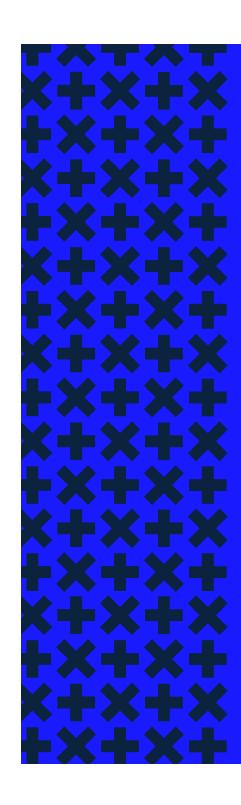


Start with the following questions...

- What do I want to improve about my organization?
- Who are my key stakeholders?
 - Club members
 - Event attendees
 - Other students
 - Advisors
 - Other

- How are we defining success?
 - Attendance
 - Engagement/Return engagement
 - Reach via media
 - Staying on budget
 - other

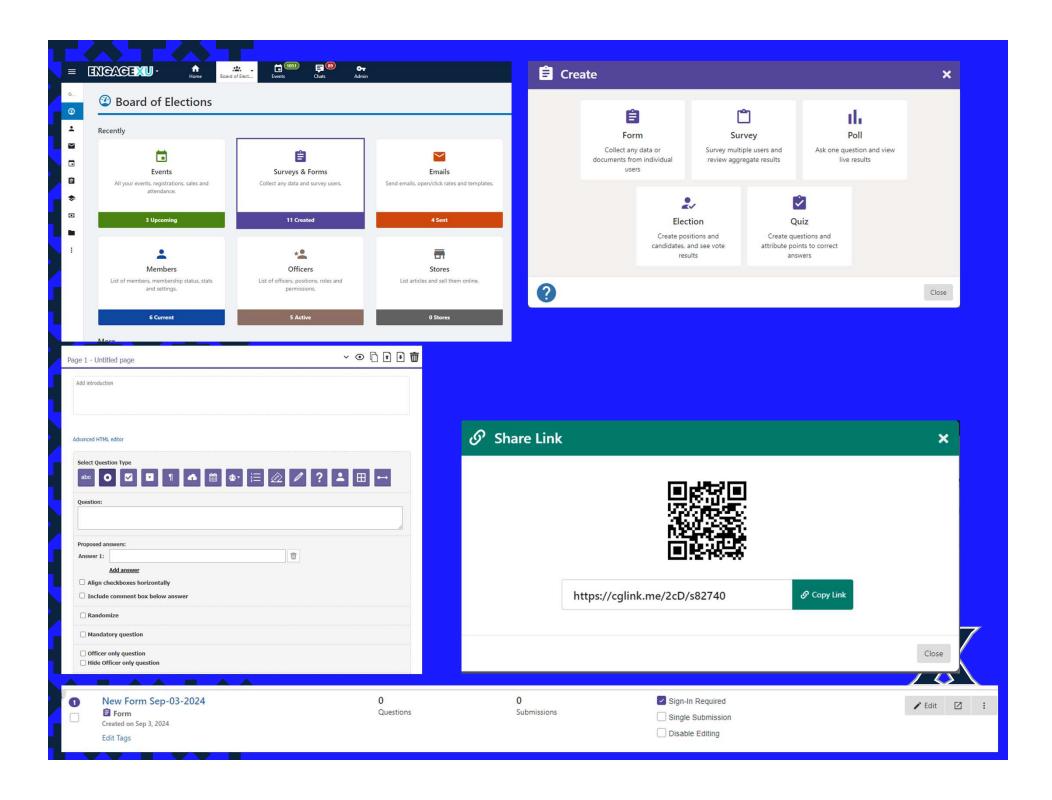


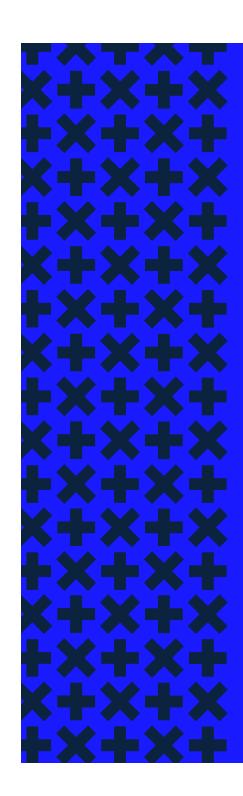


Evaluation tools

- EngageXU Feedback Forms
 - Create a standard feedback form and ask attendees to scan the QR code to complete
 - Email out survey after the fact
- Self-Assessment
 - Jot down a few thoughts of your own in your notes app
 - Share out at your next team meeting
- Team debrief
 - Could be at a meeting or via group text
- Large scale survey at the end of every semester



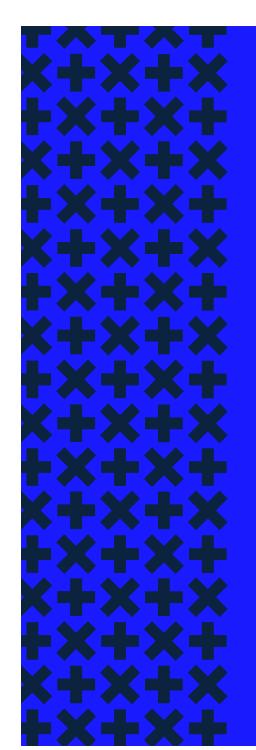




Tips for Success

- Be clear about your goals from the beginning
 - Align your planning with your intended outcomes
 - Check in along the way
- Invite open and honest feedback
 - Listen to understand
 - Probe for more information
 - Consider critical feedback as a gift!!
- Capture the good and the "not so good"
 - Name what worked and what you would keep





Questions?

