



Tribal Broadband Bootcamp Oregon



BUILDING LOCAL BROADBAND SOLUTIONS IN INDIAN COUNTRY

August 7-10, 2022

Host: University of Oregon Many Nations Longhouse

Location: University of Oregon Ford Alumni Center

Intensive learning experience focused on building and running tribal networks

Develop connections and learn from experienced network architects, managers, and policy experts



Everyone has something to learn and everyone has something to teach.

What is the Tribal Broadband Bootcamp?

The Tribal Broadband Bootcamp (TBB) is a 3-day intensive learning experience focused on building and running tribal networks. Experienced network architects, managers, and policy experts walk participants through building networks, running ISPs, and associated challenges. The environment welcomes those working the space for 3 days or 3 years, where any question is welcomed and answered in a friendly manner. This is not about certifications – the bootcamp offers explanations for what the puzzle pieces are and how they fit together, with the capacity to dive in deep on any piece.

Who is the bootcamp for?

TBB is for people in Indian Country focused on broadband solutions - whether, technical, legal, administrative, etc. We recommend bringing a small team - many have reported this approach is helpful in team building. At previous bootcamps, people who worked on billing with no interest in technology left wanting to climb towers and help on installation. Some technicians left with an understanding of how the ISP must work as a business, or how federal policy has shaped connectivity in Indian Country. In a few days, we prepare people to be much more effective in this work.



How can I participate?

The 2022 Oregon TBB will take place August 7-10 at the University of Oregon Ford Alumni Center, and will utilize various UO lodging, dining and learning facilities. All Tribal Broadband Bootcamp costs are covered, thanks to the support of the Burns Paiute Tribe; Connect Humanity; the First Nations Development Institute; Google, the Institute for Local Self-Reliance; Link Oregon; the Network Start-up Resource Center; the Oregon Broadband Office; Schmidt Futures; the University of Oregon, Information Services; and the University of Oregon, Office of the President. To register, please visit [TribalBroadbandBootcamp.com](https://tribalbroadbandbootcamp.com).

