

Training Throughout the VISTA Lifecycle: Helpful Links

Website Link	Description of Resource
VISTA Campus	Online learning resources on a variety of topics for VISTA members, leaders, alumni, and supervisors.
Ongoing Training Opportunities	Suggestions and recommendations for trainings conducted by the sponsor for VISTA members to help them accomplish their VAD and succeed in their service.
Maximizing Your Training Budget	List of ideas on how to create robust trainings on a minimal budget.
Member Training: In-Service Training	Information about the In-Service Training (IST) organized by VISTA Headquarters that provides VISTAs the opportunity to develop specific knowledge and skills needed to perform their assignments.
Monthly Webinars for VISTA Members	List of upcoming live webinars conducted by VISTA Headquarters as well as many previously recorded and on-demand webinars on a variety of topics.
Orienting Your VISTA: Implementing Your OSOT Plan	Recorded webinar explaining how to turn your OSOT ideas into action and implement your training.
OSOT Makeover	Recorded webinar discussing ways to redo and revamp your OSOT to make it stronger, more engaging, and more effective
Capacity Building in Action for Supervisors	Tutorial offering real-life scenarios and examples on how capacity-building works, what it entails, and how VISTA members can maximize their impact during service with the support of their supervisor
Building a Training Calendar	This tool aids you in putting together and updating a calendar of training opportunities for your VISTA members
Volunteer Training	Ideas that supplement the project orientation and can deepen volunteer knowledge and motivation to act on various issues impacting the community.
Gaining Community Buy In	Resource to give you ideas on how to get the community involved with and interested in the VISTA project and its sustainability
Strengthening Your Organization, Your Community, and Your Projects	Course providing capacity building tips for identifying assets in your community and strengthening your program's ability to leverage those assets for win-win outcomes.
Creating Effective VADs	When creating and updating VADs, use these tips and ideas to make your VADs effective and focused on sustainable activities and outcomes.
Organizing Your Sustainability Binder	PowerPoint presentation created by VISTA leaders to assist VISTA members in creating and structuring their sustainability binder so that the organization could easily understand and use it to sustain much of the work.
Helping Your Members Thrive	Webinar providing insight into how to motivate your members and help them be successful. This includes contemplating ways to help them thrive in making their work sustainable.