



Customized Workshops

Chicago City Limits' customized workshops can address virtually any educational, motivational, or training need. One of our representatives will work closely with you to establish your goals... and to deliver a workshop to meet them.

Like our other workshops, our customized programs are unique, highly interactive and – of course – effective. Here are just a few examples...

Team Building, Creativity and Chocolate.

Unlock your creativity – discover more about yourself and others in your team while learning from a master chocolatier how to make the most sinfully delicious chocolate candies imaginable.

“This was so much fun, it should be illegal!”

I've Got An Old Barn, Let's Put On A Show!

If you have a few days and some nutty folks, Chicago City Limits will train your team to put on your own improvisational show – at the venue of your choice or at our Off-Broadway theater.

“A phenomenal success! What a pleasure to work with true professionals; the show was extraordinary!”

Biking and Breakfast.

A great way to solidify your team. Everyone from novices to serious bikers can join in, combining daytime rides with evenings devoted to honing creative and team-building skills.

“You really went the extra mile to understand our culture. Thank you!”

COMEDY AND IMPROVISATION

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“I always try to teach the audience something. But you got to entertain them first.”

– Frank Capra

FROM NEW YORK'S LEADING
IMPROVISATIONAL THEATER GROUP

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Chicago City Limits is New York's longest-running comedy revue. For over 20 years, this dynamic, world-renowned improvisational theater company has created entire evenings of comedy based on audience suggestions.

Working "without a net" demands that improvisational actors think quickly, make unexpected connections and complement fellow performers.

There's no secret to our success: we train our cast members in techniques that foster creative thinking, listening and teamwork – skills that Chicago City Limits now brings to the workplace through a unique series of innovative, motivational and exciting workshops, including...

Thinking Out-Of-The-Box

Team-Building

Diversity Training

Chicago City Limits workshop can be held at your offices, at off-site locations or at our own Off-Broadway theater. Each workshop is highly participatory, but prior theatrical experience or skills are definitely not required. The experience is fun, but above all, the training works!

Thinking Out-Of-The-Box

Creative thinking takes practice. It requires spontaneity, listening skills, and a willingness to embrace and build upon ideas instead of rejecting them.

Using a series of improvisational theater techniques, we introduce and apply these essential tools in a workshop that emphasizes out-of-the-box thinking and group collaboration as a means to maximize creativity.

“Not only was the workshop fun for everyone, but it has also generated a lot of enthusiasm around the importance of suggesting creative solutions to old problems.”



Team-Building

Peak performance and productivity are the logical results of teamwork. Improvisational theater works best when actors freely bounce ideas off one another and create a group effort. The same skills apply to organizations: they are most effective when everyone is on the same page, working together.

Team-building skills are fun to learn and can be highly effective in helping any group work together more efficiently. This workshop has been especially helpful for organizations whose members ordinarily work in different environments, and for companies or departments that have recently been through mergers or reorganizations.

“Feedback from your Team-Building Workshop was great! Our affiliates didn't stop talking about it for the rest of the week.”

Diversity Training

Diversity is about more than gender, race and ethnicity. It's also about the different ways in which people perceive the world, their social and political views, lifestyle choices, approach to work, interests, talents, clothing preferences, and much more.

Our diversity training workshops identify and celebrate differences and similarities within the group. These insights enable participants to connect as individuals, to gain respect for differences, and to embrace one another's uniqueness and strengths. This fun, challenging and ultimately rewarding program fosters an environment of teamwork, trust, and tolerance in order to tear down the walls that divide people.

“You have an entirely unique and creative way of addressing difficult issues.”

