



THE 2015 CANCER CULTURE AND COMMUNITY COLLOQUIUM

Saturday, October 3, 2015, 9-11 a.m.

MatchBOX Coworking Studio, 17 South 6th St., Lafayette

With Melissa Fraterrigo, author and freelance writer, and Chloe Brizendine, graphic designer

Do you ever struggle to find the right words to say to someone with cancer? Did you ever wish someone had said something different to *you* when you were undergoing cancer treatment? Whether you are a cancer survivor, caregiver or supporter, this workshop will give you an opportunity to communicate your feelings in a more authentic way.

In this workshop, you'll learn how to distill your thoughts into brief sentiments. Afterwards, local designers will add graphic expressions. The resulting empathy cards will be on display October 26–November 13 at the Fountain Gallery in downtown Lafayette, and a select few will be printed and sold as a fund raiser for the YWCA's Women's Cancer Program.

The workshop is open to participants ages 12 and older. It's free, but pre-registration is highly encouraged. To register, visit www.purdue.edu/research/ccc/events.php.

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