

David Reider, Education Design, served as the project evaluator for OUTSIDE. The team met with David in person twice yearly during his site visits, and communicated via email and telephone on a semi monthly basis throughout the project. David provided formative feedback to the project team on assessments, effectiveness of the programming, and directions/next steps to take. Within this role, David conducted interviews with participants to capture data on the effectiveness of the workshops delivered and the inclusion of iPad technology. David also worked with the team to ensure that they were accomplishing dissemination goals and communicating effectively, which they exceeded in accomplishments. He provided guidance on delegating roles across team members to ensure maximum effectiveness of the project. Lastly, David worked with the project team and advisory board members to ensure that they were fulfilling a need for naturalist development and informal science programming for high need children.