

Charlie French leads UNH Cooperative Extension's Community & Economic Development program, whose mission is to cultivate civic leaders; foster participation in community decision-making; strengthen entrepreneurs' skills; and help communities to grow the local and regional economy. He serves on the national evaluation working group and is currently helping UNH Cooperative Extension expand its evaluation capacity. Last Fall, he and Scott Chazdon piloted Ripple Effect Mapping—a qualitative approach for evaluating program impacts—in rural Panama.

Casey Hancock is the Community Development Program Coordinator at UNH Cooperative Extension. Casey's coordinates Extension's Community Profiles Visioning program. She also provides information and assistance to communities, partners, groups, and clientele, and she supports the her program team's efforts to evaluate the impacts of community development programs. Casey has a passion for working with communities to strengthen the local food system and provide educational programming to encourage economic development through tourism.