## **Discussion Topics**

- Leadership roles, projects, working groups and/or committees -- that will give experience, challenge the mentee, and build her/his credibility as a leader.
- Soliciting feedback to find out perceptions and possible blind spots.
- Training, mentoring and coaching others
- Managing conflict
- Relations with supervisor, with peers, with direct reports.
- Working with FSNs colleagues (...with State colleagues) (...with DC colleagues)
- Facilitating meetings
- Giving Presentations
- Achieving buy-in with something others do not want to do
- Time management and work-life balance
- At the end of the session, you and mentee assign each other homework for the week: recommendations....? Read article on (and report out)... Review...