



September 2021

AFP-CAC Monthly Newsletter

AFP MICHIGAN CHAPTERS NETWORKING

September 23, 11:30 AM - 1:00 PM



AFP Michigan Chapters Networking Sept. 23 11:30 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.

Come join your colleagues from across the state for a FREE, virtual and fun networking opportunity. There will be time to learn more about fundraising and development work around the state, as well as connecting with colleagues.

This networking opportunity is a collaboration between the four Michigan chapters of AFP (Capital Area, Greater Detroit, Mid-Michigan, and West Michigan).

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Now**

AFP Global

Ethics Awareness Month: October 2021

To celebrate the third annual Ethics Awareness Month in October, AFP Global has put together a toolkit with a variety of resources. This year, our focus will be on four different ethical scenarios that we'll be highlighting each week in October.

Chapters can use these scenarios however they'd like in their own activities. Please read over the Toolkit to learn more about the scenarios and all of the other resources for Ethics Awareness Month! Contact paffairs@afpglobal.org with questions.



Ethics Awareness Month Toolkit

In the News

How to Plan for What Will go Wrong in Your Career



Ever made plans only to have them upended by an unexpected event? Of course. We all have. (Hello 2020!) Things go wrong—it's life—but instead of being thrown off by change, what if you planned for it?

[Read the Article](#)

Certified Fund Raising Executive News

The CFRE application process: Step-By-Step Webinar

Join us September 22 at 5 p.m. GMT/1 p.m. ET for our free one-hour webinar. CFRE International staff will walk you through the ins and outs of the application plus share tips so you can feel confident when you hit the "Submit" button.



[Register Here](#)

Member Spotlight

Rita Lamoreaux - [Lacor Consultants](#)

AFPCAC - Treasurer



Rita LaMoreaux is the owner of Lacor Consultants, a nonprofit consultant and management firm. With over twenty-years of experience in small nonprofits, Rita helps start up organizations and administer the day-to-day operations.

Why did you join the AFP-CAC and how did you become involved in starting the AFP-CAC chapter?

I joined AFP from learning about it for years in the nonprofit sector of Lansing. I knew it was the premier organization for education and networking for Lansing nonprofit fundraisers. In 2019, I was finally in a position where I could join and participate.

Why do you continue to participate as a member, what does being a member of our chapter do for you?

When I started going to the meetings, I was blown away by the top-notch speakers at the monthly meetings. I also gained so much knowledge just by networking before and after the lunch meetings. During the pandemic, it was helpful to know that all fundraisers were struggling. By getting together we were able to bounce new ideas off each other to make our organizations stronger during 2020.

What is your favorite thing about your involvement with the AFP-CAC?

My favorite thing is getting to know and learn from the other fundraisers in the area. I have been able to bounce ideas off them and we share best practices. They have all become friends in the process.

AFP Global Career Resources for Job Seekers

If you're in the market for a new job, AFP Global has made it easier for you to find your next opportunity. From the AFP Career Center to the all-new AFP Career Center Twitter account, you can access the latest job listings with salary ranges included. Here you will also be able to create and manage resumes, take advantage of professional development resources and much more. For LOCAL job postings please see "Announcements" below.

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AFP- CAC Job Center

Visit the AFP [job center](#) on our website to stay updated on recent job postings from our member's organizations.



Announcements



As a benefit of membership, AFP-CAC members may post open positions in this local channel. Please contact afpcachapter@gmail.com to post a new opportunity.



Attention All Members! Mark Your Calendars and Be the Cause!

Your investment in the AFP Foundation for Philanthropy will help support local, national and international programs with:

- Diversity scholarships to the AFP International Fundraising Conference.

- Professional Development Scholarships that provide fundraisers and nonprofit leaders with education, training, and leadership development opportunities.
- Research that increases knowledge of fundraising, philanthropy, and social innovation.
- A portion of every donation you make to BE the CAUSE comes back to our chapter to support important chapter programs.

To give to the annual fund donate online: <https://afpglobal.org/be-cause-campaign> From October 18-20, 2021, the first 400 donors who contribute a one-time gift of \$20 or more (not a pledge) will have their gift matched with \$10!

Thank you to all of our new and renewing members!

Renewing:

Ms. Yvonne Fleener, MPA - Executive Director - [Helping Hands Respite Center](#)

Join AFP-CAC!

If you're not already a member of AFP, we invite you to join! With your membership, you will enjoy a wealth of career-building programs, educational resources, networking opportunities and exclusive member discounts. [Learn More](#)

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