From Donations to Collaboration: Unlocking the Full Potential of Stakeholders

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What's the difference?

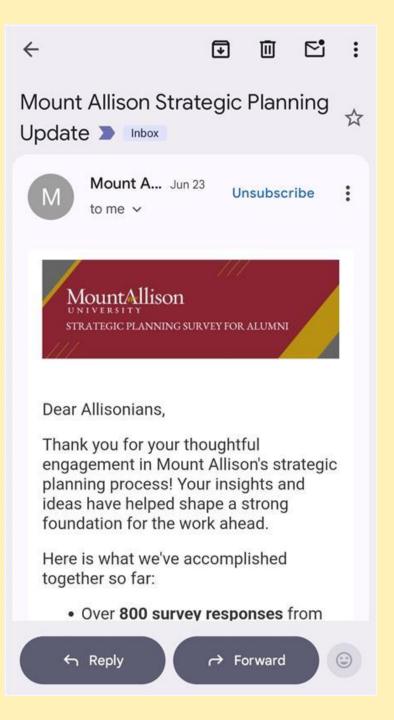
Reactive

Gratitude Impact

VS.

Proactive

Collaboration
Problem solving



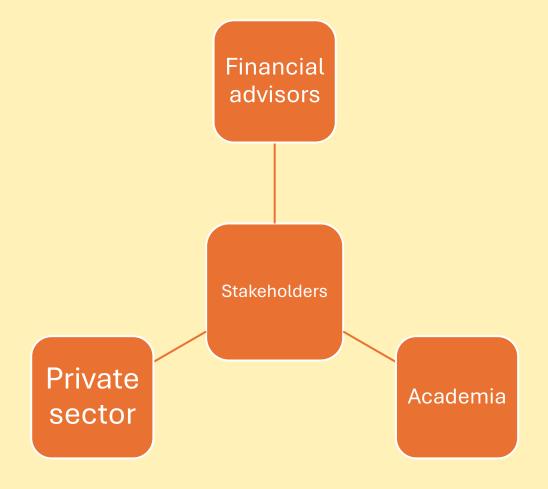
Why now?

- Issues intensifying
- Eroding trust
- Shrinking donor base
- Gen Z donor behavior



Who?

- Stakeholder mapping
- Critical to success:
 - Broaden your perspective
 - Segment & identify overlap
 - Prioritize



How does it come to life? Financial Advisors

9.8%

The average granting rate for DAFs in 2021

9.8% or \$2.2 billion

Of the all donations claimed for tax purposes in 2021

 Strengthening client relationships and mobilizing catalytic capital through intentional collaboration

How does it come to life? Academia

- Change Lab Action Research Initiative
- Evaluating the short and longer term effectiveness of United Way Maritimes' affordable housing solutions



How does it come to life? Private sector



 Evolving corporate policies to meet the moment and foster lasting change



Worksheet & Small group discussion



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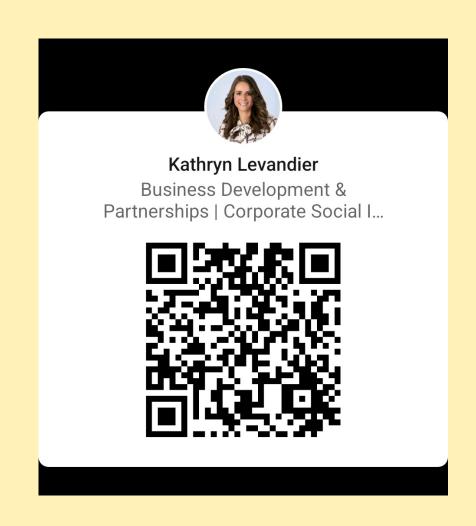


Questions?

Let's connect!

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