Mentorship AFP Now Accepting Applications

Are you new to the field of fund development? Are you a seasoned fundraising professional with a desire to share your experience? If yes to either, please consider joining the AFP Greater Detroit Chapter's 2019 Mentorship AFP or Marjorie S. Fisher Fellows programs!

Click here for complete details and to apply.

Upcoming Programs

We have a terrific program on 2/28 called Meet the Funders Panel. Registration is open on the website.

Meet the Funders Panel - Influence and Strategy
February 28, 8:00 - 9:30 AM
American Cancer Society, Southfield

Get inside the heads of decision makers of three very influential foundations that fund locally and around the world. Learn how foundation leaders view the issues facing Southeastern Michigan, how they view their role in leading initiatives such as diversity and inclusion, and what they see are the most important trends and challenges facing the region from now until 2028.

Panelists
Dr. Melissa J. Smiley
Special Assistant to the President and Strategy Officer
Community Foundation for Southeast Michigan

Douglas Bitonti Stewart (more about Douglas)
Executive Director
Max M. and Marjorie S. Fisher Foundation

Susan Gordon (more about Susan)
Managing Director of Advisory Services
Mission Throttle

Heidi Magyar (more about Heidi)
Director of Corporate Giving
General Motors

For more information, click here.

Members: $35
Non-Members: $50

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Ann Arbor Coffee Meet
February 28, 8:00 - 9:30 AM
Mighty Good Coffee, Ann Arbor
For more information, click here.

Beyond Just Fundraising: The Impact of AFP in Philanthropy, the Workplace and the World
March 8, 11:15 AM - 1:30 PM
Windows on the River, Cleveland, OH
For more information and to register, click here.

Major Gift Fundraising: The Essential "How Tos"
March 27, 8:30 - 10:30 AM
Cranbrook, Bloomfield Hills
For more information, click here. Registration coming soon.

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Keynote Program with Gail Perry: Engaging Your Board and Putting Your Board Fundraising Plan into Action
April 25, 8:30 AM - 3:30 PM
VisTaTech Center at Schoolcraft College, Livonia
For more information, click here. Registration coming soon.

Sponsored by: Aly Sterling Philanthropy
Consultants in Giving and Receiving
Our chapter can take pride in the fact that 100% of our board has made a gift to the BE the CAUSE Campaign. Passion, purpose and pride not only drive what we do, but why we do it.

My fellow Board members and I invite you to join us by making a gift to the BE the CAUSE Campaign in support of our chapter and the AFP Foundation for Philanthropy. Your investment in the AFP Foundation for Philanthropy will help support local, national and international programs, such as Diversity & Inclusion, Professional Development, and research.

Please visit [www.afpglobal.org/be-cause-campaign](http://www.afpglobal.org/be-cause-campaign) to learn more and to donate!

Thank you,

Ryan Dinkgrave
AFP Greater Detroit Board Member

### Job Listings

**Job Seekers**
Looking for a new opportunity? Click [here](http://www.afpglobal.org/be-cause-campaign) to see available positions.

**Employers**
Have an open position you are looking to fill with a great development professional?

Post your open position to the AFP Greater Detroit Chapter job page and connect to nearly 400 chapter members and their networks of development professionals.

We’ll even send your listing out via e-mail to all active AFP Greater Detroit members!

$100 AFP Greater Detroit Members
$200 Non-Members

Want more information? Click [here](http://www.afpglobal.org/be-cause-campaign) to visit AFP Greater Detroit's job center or contact Paula Durant at [PDurant@michiganhumane.org](mailto:PDurant@michiganhumane.org).
It's a Great Time to Become a Member!

For 50 years, AFP has been the standard for professionalism in fundraising. Learn more about AFP, its activities and people, and how you can be involved.

To join online, go to www.afpglobal.org. For a list of AFP Membership Benefits, click here.

Questions? Call the AFP Membership Department at (800) 666-3863.

Sponsorship Opportunities are Available for All Programs!

As an AFP Greater Detroit program sponsor, you will show your organization's commitment to cultivating a culture of giving in the region. You will receive sponsorship recognition in front of Southeastern Michigan's not-for-profit leaders. You will also help support AFP Greater Detroit's work in promoting high ethical standards in fundraising, with proceeds dedicated to the chapter's education, scholarship, and diversity programs.

Please contact Rebecca Hepner, CFRE for more information at rebannhepner@gmail.com.