



Thursday Thoughts

RMPI Conference Scholarship Application is Open

You can now [apply](#) for a scholarship to Rocky Mountain Philanthropy Institute (RMPI). This year's conference will take place on September 9th -10th, 2021. RMPI will be hosted virtually again in real-time, with opportunities for in-person connection through optional conference pods and networking happy hours that suit attendees' various comfort levels and locations. If you are starting out or if you are an experienced fundraiser, professional development and networking is important and the RMPI scholarship enables you attend even if it is not in your organization's budget.



A big Thank You to our sponsors ***Animal Assistance Foundation, In The Know, LLC, and Moniker Foundation.***

Job Postings

Check out current job opportunities in fundraising.

[See all job postings >>](#)

Pro Bono Public Relations Assistance Available

The members of the Colorado Chapter of the Public Relations Society of America are excited to offer an opportunity for your organization to receive pro bono strategic communications help from seasoned public relations professionals. The PR Paid



Forward program, a no-fee, volunteer-led program, is a chance to access time and expertise from professional public relations and communications counsel in a small group setting that's specific to the issues your organization is facing. PRSA members will help you tackle challenges on a variety of topics including content development, social media, crisis planning, media coverage, messaging and other communications needs. Apply [here](#) by July 15th.

AFP ICON VIRTUAL and The Good Takeover Challenge - Upgraded!



Thanks to the incredible ongoing generosity of Blackbaud and their "Good Takeover" Challenge, the Foundation for

Philanthropy is running a matching program during AFP ICON VIRTUAL 2021. This year, Blackbaud has increased their donation and we will be able to offer a **\$10 match for every gift of at least \$20, up to 1,000 donors** made during June 28th - June 30th. The Foundation will send an email out to all members on the morning of June 28th, announcing the campaign with a link to donate.

Thursday, July 8th
8:00 am - 10:00 am

**Open Conversation About
Fundraising Best Practices**

Join us for an organic conversation about fundraising best practices. Development professionals can share what is on their mind and get input from the group on current roadblocks or struggles.

[Learn More](#)

Anyone with fundraising duties in their job description is welcome to attend. Coffee Chats are free to everyone and there is no need to register



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Member Spotlight

**KUDOS! Celebrating the
accomplishments of our
members.**

Kudos to **Serena Bruzgo** on her new job as President, Craig Foundation. The Foundation supports Craig Hospital, a neurorehabilitation and research hospital that specializes in spinal cord and/or brain injury. She looks forward to building relationships with contributors, raising funds, and dedicating resources to further advance the needs of Craig and those it serves.



If you have some great news to share, like a promotion, a new job, or an award received, email us at AFPkudos@gmail.com. Please note this is specifically to celebrate our Members, so no need to send the results of your latest campaign or event

Upcoming AFP Events

July 8th

Coffee Chat: Open Conversation About Fundraising Best Practices

[Learn More](#)

July 16th

Deadline for RMPI Early Registration Discount

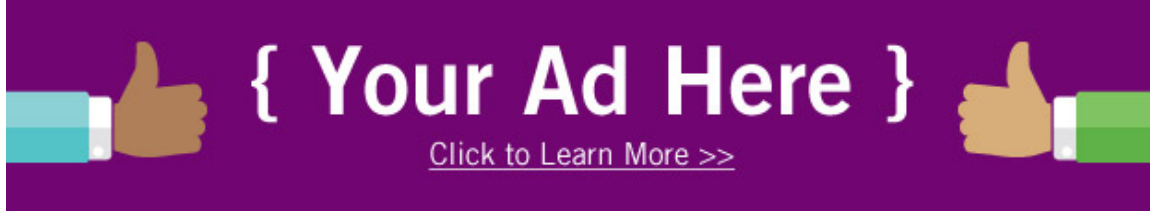
[Register Today to save \\$10.00](#)

July 16th

Deadline for RMPI Scholarship Applications

[Apply Here](#)





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