

How Do We Use What We Are Learning?

Over the past two years we have been looking inward and asking what our role as a membership organization is in supporting diversity, equity, inclusion and access in our sector. We've also been looking outward, asking "What is the role of philanthropy in contributing to social and racial injustice? And what is the role of philanthropy in addressing this injustice? What is the role of the nonprofit sector as a whole in creating lasting systemic change?" AFPCC doesn't have the perfect answers, but we want to have conversations as we are learning together with our nonprofit community, and be transparent in our own journey.



To explore these questions, we're inviting our AFP and nonprofit community to join us in reading and convening for good conversation with the AFP Book Club.

On August 25th, 9:00 am – 10:00 am, we'll come together with moderator, Reggie Rivers, for our inaugural AFPCC Book Club conversation. Starting with freely accessible articles by RMPI Keynote Speaker Edgar Villanueva and others we'll begin our conversation around these big questions, and discuss how we approach these issues within our own work. Our hope is that we all come away with some concrete ideas and tactics we can take back to our organizations and employ in our work to contribute to positive systemic change.

Readings include:

- [How Philanthropy Can Get Serious About Racial Healing,](#)
- [MacKenzie Scott's Philanthropy is Admirable. But Why is it Possible?,](#)
- [Closing the Racial Wealth Gap is a Collective Responsibility. Reparations are Solution,](#)
- [White Philanthropy – Here's How to Guarantee Real Change.](#)

Following RMPI, ***we'll Continue the Conversation on September 22nd, 9:00 am - 10:00 am*** where we can talk more about these readings along with what we learn and hear at RMPI. Both sessions are free of charge, and attendance at RMPI is not required.

We look forward to a robust, thoughtful conversation. Register [HERE!](#)

Job Postings

Check out the current job opportunities in fundraising

[See all job postings >>](#)

Thanks For The NPD Nominations



THANK YOU! to everyone who submitted a nomination for National Philanthropy Day, or helped us spread the word to your friends and colleagues. The next step is

reviewing nominations and matching the nominations to ensure no conflicts of interest in the judging process. Our Awards and Selections committee meets this week to start the process! To follow along and get the first word of this year's award winners, please like us on [Facebook](#), follow us on [Twitter](#) or check us out on [LinkedIn](#).

Do You Still Need CE Credits?

Have you been considering obtaining your CFRE credential this year, but you still need some continuing education credits? Did you know that you can receive credit for attending RMPI on September 9th -10th? Attending RMPI can also contribute hours toward your CFRE recertification.



Dynamite presenters and keynote speakers will be sharing their expertise so you will gain great information and insight along with the CFRE credit. A tracking sheet will be provided in your registration materials to ensure you receive full credit.

Don't delay, [register](#) today to take full advantage of this opportunity!

Partner Event

AFP SOCO Award Nominations Open



The Association of Fundraising Professionals Southern Colorado Chapter is currently seeking nominees for Awards to be presented at the 15th Annual Summit on Philanthropy in Colorado Springs on Friday, September 24th, 2021.

Join us in using this opportunity to show your appreciation for the many accomplishments that have been made in the name of giving. Nominating an individual or organization is your chance to shine the spotlight on the people who truly make a difference and remind our communities that the spirit of giving is alive and well. The nomination process is simple; honoring a colleague is worth your time! Don't delay -- the application deadline is Friday, August 6th. Simple application form [here](#).

Thursday, August 5th**
8:00 am - 10:00 am

Follow Up Discussion to the July Education Session



This event will be the follow up to the July 29th education program ***The Brave Ask with Lynnette Adams***. This event will be LIVE with a link to attend virtually.

****Please note this is a special date for
Coffee Chat!**

[Check here for more information](#)

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

KUDOS! Celebrating the accomplishments of our members.

Kudos to **Grace Anshutz, CFRE** for earning her CFRE certification. Grace is the Development Manager for Bright Future Foundation for Eagle County.



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

August 5th

Coffee Chat Follow Up to July 29th
Education Program **The Brave Ask**

[Learn More](#)

August 18th

Giving USA Results. Come join us live and in person!

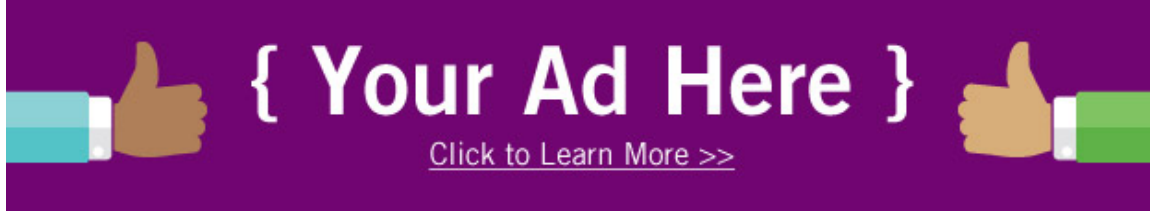
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August 25th

Join the conversation at the inaugural AFP Book Club virtual meeting!

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