

Creating Connections

This year's RMPI theme, "Creating Connections," will provide an opportunity to recognize how connection and collaboration makes our work possible, while honing in on best practices through lively presentations and building relationships with other nonprofit professionals.



As fundraisers, we know that an organization depends upon the teamwork of colleagues across all departments, board members, donors, volunteers and funders in order to achieve its mission. By bringing together multiple perspectives and integrating unique experiences, we can become a cohesive whole, and ultimately, accomplish incredible feats towards the mission of our respective organizations. Just like a puzzle only becomes a complete picture by connecting individual pieces together, so too can an organization only effect real change through the collaboration of a network of individuals.

This conference is about being strongest when we collaborate with others. We hope that RMPI will inspire you to realize your full potential by taking advantage of opportunities for true connection and collaboration in your work.

Mark your calendar for September 12th -13th and stay tuned for more information when registration opens.

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Denver Children's Choir - [Executive Director](#)
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AFP ICON



More than 3,400 people gathered in San Antonio, TX earlier this week to learn about the latest in all aspects of fundraising, philanthropy, and nonprofit operations at the annual AFP ICON conference. Highlights of the conference include keynote speakers Spencer West, a visionary, activist, author and motivational speaker; and Soledad O'Brien, an award-winning journalist, documentarian, news anchor and philanthropist. AFP Colorado members who attended ICON

enjoyed dinner together at Mi Tierra and getting to know their fellow members from Colorado, and across the country.

For more information visit www.afpicon.com.

May Educational Luncheon in Boulder: Raising the Bar for Philanthropy

Join JCC's staff -- **Jonathan Lev** (Executive Director); **Heidi Dormody** (Director of Advancement); and **Susan Rona** (Interim Senior Director of Programming) in a moderated panel discussion, as they share their thoughts on the successful conclusion of a \$30+ Million Cornerstone Capital Campaign, the vital volunteer leadership that was its lifeblood, the significance of keeping the zero debt pledge, and what the building has meant to the Boulder community.



Tami Vinson, CFRE will moderate the panel. Tami is the Immediate Past President of AFP Colorado Chapter and a consultant with Dini Spheris.

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Thursday, May 16th

11:30 am - 1:30 pm

Boulder JCC, Levin Hall
6007 Oreg Avenue, Boulder

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Thursday, April 11th
8:00 am - 10:00 am

How I Grew My Career and Lead as a YP



Our coffee chat this month brings together **Nate Budd**, fundraising guru in northern Colorado; **Kathleen Casanova**, fundraiser turned recruiter; and **Jayne Thompson**, major gift expert. Through an interactive panel discussion they will share their experiences of learning to lead as young professionals and how they have navigated their careers, teams, boards, and bosses.

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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.

Fluid Coffee Bar

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Member Spotlight

KUDOS! *Celebrating the accomplishments of our members.*

Kudos to **Lynette Adams**, Community College of Aurora Foundation, on her appointment as adjunct instructor -- Nonprofit Leadership Management Master's program for University of Denver, University College.



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

April 11th

AFP Colorado Coffee Chat - "How I Grew My Career and Lead as a YP"

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May 16th

AFP Educational Luncheon: "Raising the Bar for Philanthropy with Jonathan Lev, Executive Director of Boulder JCC"

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