

# Thursday Thoughts

# **Educational Luncheon: Win Your Donors' Affection With a Strategy That Matters**

Every time a donor considers your purposedriven brand and offerings, they have questions: Do you know their answers? You can't afford not to. Welcome to the customer zeitgeist. Donors are dialed-in 24/7, 365. That was true before the pandemic and even more so today since online is our lifeline. Once you understand your donor holistically, you view choice from their perspective. You embrace a customer mindset.



What does customer mindset mean for your fundraising strategy? Everything. Mindset determines what matters.

Join Karla Raines on Friday, May 15th at noon for a virtual lunch discussion on how to build a strategy that matters and will win your donors' affection.

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# **Job Postings**

Want to check out job opportunities in fundraising?

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# **Unconscious Bias and Fundraising**



Unconscious bias is the attitudes or stereotypes that influence our understanding, actions and decisions subconsciously. It can influence how we see one another and interpret the world around us. Researchers from The University of California have compiled compelling evidence about how unconscious mental processes manifest across a variety of contexts, and this research is valuable for fundraisers to understand. Unconscious bias can affect relationships with funders, potential donors, colleagues and even decisions on what programs an organization supports and funds. You can learn more, and challenge yourself to recognize your own biases, through the Harvard University's Project Implicit Test, in a new article shared by AFP Global.

## **Partner Event**

# Hiring Fundraising Positions (How to Avoid Development Director Revolving Door)

Talent is one of the stickiest areas for nonprofits to handle, and is often just one of many hats a leader wears. Join us for this webinar series, where Jessica Gemm of Gemm Consulting will share philosophies and best practices, as well as tools and guidance, for how to handle a wide range of critical talent issues.

This meeting is brought to you by CNA and AFP SOCO. The meeting will be presented via Zoom technology.



Tuesday, May 19th via ZOOM 9:00 am - 10:30 am

**FREE** for all

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# Thursday, June 11th 8:00 am - 10:00 am

# Online Giving Tim Kachuriak, NextAfter

Stay tuned for more information on how this Coffee Chat will be presented!

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## **Upcoming AFP Events**

### May 15th - Tomorrow!

AFP Chapter Education Webinar: "Win Your Donors' Affection with a Strategy that Matters" Register

### May 19th

"Hiring Fundraising Positions" - presented by AFP Southern Colorado and Colorado Nonprofit Association



#### June 11th

AFP Colorado Coffee Chat: "Online Giving"

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