

Call for Presentations: 2021 Virtual Education Conference

AFP San Antonio and South Texas (AFPSA&ST) seeks presentations for educational sessions for our <u>Moving Forward</u> education conference to be held September 10, 2021. We seek to offer real time/live education sessions from 8:00 a.m. through 4:00 p.m. Pre-recorded sessions will be considered on a limited basis and all presenters are asked to be present for individual sessions for live questions and answers.

AFPSA&ST serves professional fundraisers representing nonprofits of all sizes raising more than \$1.2 billion philanthropic dollars annually¹. Our mission is to advance philanthropy through ethical and effective fundraising. We teach nonprofit fundraising by serving nonprofit fundraising professionals from nonprofit organizations, educational institutions, human service, arts, animal care and health care institutions in San Antonio and across South Texas. AFPSA&ST is part of the International Association of Fundraising Professionals founded in 1960. Today, AFP advances philanthropy through its more than 30,000 members in 230 chapters throughout the world.

The 2021 Conference will be completely virtual. Our theme is **Moving Forward.** Please consider how you can incorporate the theme into your presentation. We seek virtual education sessions of 50 minutes in length. Program topics should appeal to fund development professionals, executive directors, board members and volunteers. Suggested conference topics are: Annual Gifts, Special Events, Major Gifts, Planned Gifts, Board Development/Management, Foundation Relations/Grants, Trends/Best Practices, Fundraising Operations, COVID19 Impact and Opportunities.

Please complete the application and attach a current resume with at least one reference (with phone and e-mail information) with experience regarding your presentation skills. Letters of recommendation are also acceptable.

Preference will be given to presenters with a CFRE/ACFRE credential and/or certification from the AFP Faculty Training Academy.

¹ Chronicle of Philanthropy, October 2017, Giving in the 50 Largest Metropolitan Areas



Presenters representing companies providing services for a fee to nonprofit organizations will be considered if the presentation topic provides overall educational value to our members. For-profit presenters will be permitted to make promotional information to be available to participants after the program concludes.

Submission of a proposal does not guarantee acceptance by AFPSA&ST. Invited presenters will receive one complementary conference registration. AFPSA&ST does not reimburse for technology expenses and must be available to review and test conference technology prior to the event. You may be asked to submit a video of a previous presentation or asked to participate in an interview in consideration of your proposal.

Please submit proposals not later than 5:00 p.m., July 15, 2021 to:

Luz Lovins AFP San Antonio & South Texas Chapter Administrator afpsanantonio@gmail.com



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PROPOSALS DUE: July 15, 2021 – 5:00 p.m.

Please include resume, a bio of 50 words or less and one reference or letter of recommendation.
Presenter(s) Name(s):
Credential:CFREACFREOther (Please specify:
Session Title:
Session Format: Live Recorded
Brief Promotional Description:
Learning Objectives and Participant Outcomes (minimum 3):
Speaker Bio (50 words or less):



Presenter Title:
Presenter Organization:
Address:
City, State, ZIP:
Phone:Email:
AFP Faculty Academy Training?YesNo
AFP Member?YesNo Chapter:
Participant Skill Level:
New Fundraiser (Less than 5 years)Midlevel (5-10 yrs.)Advanced (11-20 yrs.+)
Presented at the AFP San Antonio Annual Conference? Yes No
If yes, when?
Presented at the AFP San Antonio Monthly Luncheon? Yes No
If yes, when?
I have presented through a virtual setting before: Yes No
If yes, when?
I agree to be recorded for future reference of conference participants Yes No

Signature

Date

Please return by *July 15, 2021 by 5:00 p.m.* to:

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