

Calendar of Events

July 12, 2021
- July 14, 2021

2021 ALP Annual Conference

Virtual

11:00 AM - 05:00 PM EST

The 2021 Virtual National Conference will feature keynote speakers, Garry Clarke, Unlikely Viking and Frances Frei, Unleashed. Additionally, there will be 21 workshops led by peer experts and professional guests, open space topic discussions and peer connections. There are great advantages to this virtual platform including zero travel costs and the ability to replay recorded versions of the workshop content.

April 19, 2021

Pacesetter

04:00 PM - 05:00 PM EST

A Pacesetter is someone who thinks two steps ahead, not where we are today but where should we be in the future.

A Pacesetter Membership is a select level of membership specially designed for ALP members who are the most progressive...those who serve as the models and exemplars of the industry. During the month of April--All Access April--the Pacesetter event is open to all members and non-members who are interested in becoming an ALP Pacesetter.

Stacie Hunt, Leadership Howard County, MD will host this event. She has invited a guest speaker to speak about creative fundraising during the pandemic.

This one-time-only All Access April Pacesetter event is open to non-members

April 20, 2021

No Room for Bad Zoom

03:30 PM - 05:00 PM EST

Participants were forgiving when the pandemic began and events quickly shifted online, but now they realize that “bad Zoom” is the cause of their “Zoom fatigue.” It’s time to think differently. Instead of trying to replicate in-person events, let’s reimagine them to meet the needs of participants. We invited Robbie Samuels to share his personal evolution from speaking on stage to online. He’s a virtual event design consultant and executive Zoom producer who has hosted or presented at nearly 100 virtual events, including a weekly #NoMoreBadZoom Virtual Happy Hour he’s hosted since March 13, 2020. He will share:

The ingredients and skills necessary for designing an engaging online experience.

The importance of identifying the purpose of your event.

What it means to think cinematic rather than theatrical.

Why it is important to get 5% better every time you host or present an online event.

Attend this session and you’ll receive Robbie’s #NoMoreBadZoom Settings Checklist so you’re ready to try out the techniques he shares.

Robbie has been certified as a virtual presenter and virtual convener. Through The 5% Advantage Program, he helps presenters grow in their confidence with Zoom, online facilitation, and virtual event design so they can reduce their tech angst and host more engaging online experiences. Participants of this 4-week training are eligible to become Certified Virtual Event Professionals #NoMoreBadZoom.

April 21, 2021

Chamber Based Affinity Group

03:00 PM - 04:00 PM EST

April 22, 2021

**Developing Business Leaders & Advancing DEI Through Effective Nonprofit Board Service
Zoom**

01:00 PM - 02:00 PM EST
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Companies recognize the fundamental value of developing talent, advancing racial diversity, equity, and inclusion (DEI), and finding innovative solutions to social, economic, and environmental challenges. At the same time, nonprofits require highly effective boards to strategically and financially achieve their more significant potential. So here is the great opportunity: for business people to serve on nonprofit boards, including with a clear understanding of how they can have a meaningful impact. Our studies show the benefits of nonprofit board service to companies, employees, nonprofits, and communities, including advancing racial equity fundamental to success.

Join Alice Korngold to learn how companies and nonprofits can grow value by advancing DEI and effective nonprofit board service. Alice's organization has trained and matched over one thousand business executives to nonprofit boards worldwide, consulted hundreds of boards, and advised companies on ESG (environment, social, and governance). She speaks at global meetings, including the United Nations.

April 22, 2021

LI Podcast Club: Seeing White

Virtual - <http://www.leadershipindianapolis.org/podcast-club/>

04:30 PM - 06:00 PM EST
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What is "whiteness" and how has the concept of race shaped our nation's history? These inquiries are at the heart of Seeing White, a 14-part documentary podcast series produced by Scene on Radio host and producer John Biewen. Biewen, along with a diverse panel scholars and frequent guest Dr. Chenjerai Kumanyika, delve deep into the implication of "whiteness" in America.

Over the course of eight weeks, participants will listen to segments of the podcast series and during our gatherings we will discuss issues covered in the episodes.

Sessions will be held each Thursday from 4:30-6:00 PM via Zoom beginning March 4.

April 22, 2021

Peer Connections

04:00 PM - 05:00 PM EST
Connect with peers for an open conversation, ask questions, or share what is on your mind.

April 23, 2021

**Out of the Gate: What Inspires Us Drives Us Forward with Henrietta Pepper
via Zoom**

11:00 AM - 12:00 PM EST

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Journeying from our childhood days to adulthood, powerful learning takeaways emerge and become foundational to evolving our hearts and minds. The stories handed down to us are invaluable. The ones we create help build our character and shape our cultures. This session focuses on shared stories with the backdrop of Kentucky. It's the kind of forum you can lean into and reflect upon your own experiences. Join in to connect with what drives you forward and get inspired to share with others.

This Green Room Microlearning features Henrietta Pepper, Chief Strategist, Author, and Speaker. As a self-described serial entrepreneur, Henrietta Pepper has built a successful career in marketing and advertising spanning more than three decades, including owning and operating a successful brand communications firm for 14 years. After selling that firm in 2018, she founded GCJ Consultants, LLC and serves as Chief Strategist for the firm today.

An advocate of further education, Henrietta's own educational background includes dual Bachelor's degrees from the University of Kentucky and a master's degree from the University of Kentucky/University of Louisville Executive MBA program. A lifelong learner, she has earned accreditation from several leadership training and management programs, including Harvard University. She currently teaches graduate and undergraduate courses at the University of Louisville College of Business.

April 26, 2021

Flagship Affinity Group

01:30 PM - 02:30 PM EST

April 26, 2021

Peer Connections: Board Chairs and Board Members

12:00 PM - 01:00 PM EST

Join ALP Board Chair Christopher Kennedy (CEO of Leadership Austin TX) and his Board Chair Jessica Weaver as they discuss the challenges facing our boards through the COVID crises.

April 27, 2021

Statewide Programs Affinity Group Meeting

12:00 PM - 01:00 PM EST

April 29, 2021

ALP Virtual Conference Preview

03:00 PM - 04:30 PM EST

April 30, 2021

Adult Learning Course

Virtual

12:00 PM - 04:00 PM EST

Adults have a higher sense of self-direction and motivation and their life experiences are used to facilitate learning. This course will provide understanding the characteristics of adult learning and ensuring your community leadership program curriculum is set up so that your participants truly learn. Designed for those who plan, coordinate, and ultimately implement community leadership programs geared toward adult learners.

Facilitator: Brendan Leahy, PhD, J. W. Fanning Institute for Leadership Development, UGA

Date and time: April 30, 2021, 12:00 p.m. - 4:00 p.m. ET

Course Objectives:

Understanding the difference between youth and adult learning

Examining the principles of adult learning

Evaluating your curriculum against the principles of adult learning

April 30, 2021

STEP UP: Moving Racial Equity Forward

Virtual Event

08:00 AM - 05:00 PM PST

Kathy Coffey, 425-512-5244

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Leadership Snohomish County is honored to host the 5th annual Step Up: Moving Racial Equity Forward Conference on April 30th from 8 am - 5 pm PST. #StepUp2021 is a virtual conference designed for participants to gain deeper understanding and new perspectives about racial equity and social justice. Participants will leave with innovative tools on how to address systemic racism in their respective organizations and institutions that will be applicable across sectors. Adults and youth from all backgrounds and experiences are welcomed and encouraged to attend. The conference is intended to offer a variety of workshops for people with diverse interests and different levels of knowledge and experiences. The workshop sessions cover a variety of topics including how to address institutional racism, white supremacy cultural norms and microaggressions. Attendees will also explore decolonization of education, the intersection of race and LGBTQIA+ people, systems change and more.

To view the speaker list, please visit the Step Up 2021 page on our website.

May 4, 2021

Assessing Financial Health of Nonprofits in the time of COVID

Zoom

09:00 AM - 10:00 AM EST

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Nonprofits have experienced unforeseen shifts in operations and are challenged to address the pandemic's impacts on poverty, inequality, and well-being. The COVID-19 pandemic has disrupted our economic and financial stability, in addition to our daily lives. While stimulus packages might help, challenges in accessing funds, the economic downturn, and social distancing restrictions create significant obstacles to nonprofits. This session for nonprofits of any size will provide recommendations on cash management, information on the key factors to understand, and tools to assess an organizations' financial health.

May 4, 2021

ALP New Member/New Leader Orientation

04:00 PM - 05:00 PM EST

May 4, 2021

Alumni Affinity Group

02:00 PM - 03:00 PM EST

This will be the inaugural meeting of this group. Please contact Jo Ellen Carson to attend: membership@alpleaders.org

May 7, 2021

Developing and Managing Volunteers and Boards

Virtual

11:00 AM - 03:00 PM EST

A key indicator of a successful community leadership program is its ability to identify, attract, and retain quality volunteer leaders. This course will address the role of personal experiences in shaping value systems, communications styles, leadership preferences, recognize differences between generational groups and create strategies to strengthen multigenerational groups. It will also examine leadership and succession programs through strategic volunteer development.

Facilitators: Lauren Healey and Julie Meehan, J. W. Fanning Institute for Leadership Development, UGA

Date and time: May 7, 2021, 11:00 p.m. - 3:00 p.m. ET

Course objectives:

Developing volunteer leadership.

Implementing successful strategies to recruit organizational leadership.

Learning board best practices.

Building a volunteer structure for future leaders to emerge and creating succession plans for key roles.

May 10, 2021

ALP Executive Committee Meeting

02:00 PM - 03:30 PM EST

May 13, 2021

Best of Leadership Summit

Virtual Event Platform TBD

09:30 AM - 05:00 PM EST

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Today's challenges are calling on leaders at all levels to step up - to be better and do better. Now is the time to invest in your ability to lead with courage and confidence.

Sign up now for our signature professional development event on Thursday, May 13th. Expect no less than the BEST day for inspiration and practical know-how. This year's event is a virtual experience and will feature an incredible lineup of speakers delivering performance-boosting learning.

Each year, this day for learning and growth brings the most relevant and leading-edge content from global leadership experts. 2021 Speakers soon to be announced.

May 24, 2021

ALP Youth Summit

02:00 PM - 04:00 PM EST

May 24, 2021

Flagship Affinity Group

01:30 PM - 02:30 PM EST

May 25, 2021

Nonprofit Sustainability: Matrix Mapping for Decision Making

Zoom

01:00 PM - 02:00 PM EST

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As nonprofits navigate the many challenges of the COVID-19 pandemic, they look at their financial bottom line and decide what to increase and what to decrease. In this session. Leadership Metro Richmond staff, Myra Goodman Smith (President & CEO) and Vikki Keszey (Director of Operations), will share their organization's experience and tools to develop a nonprofit sustainability matrix, used to assess the mission impact and profitability of programs. The results will show how each program contributes to the organization's impact and financial viability, providing a more objective, comprehensive standard to informing decision-making on their continuation. An optional workshop to apply these tools to your own organization will take place on June 15th.

June 8, 2021

Youth Affinity Group

12:00 PM - 01:00 PM EST

June 8, 2021

ALP New Member/New Leader Orientation

04:00 PM - 05:00 PM EST

June 14, 2021

ALP Board Meeting

02:00 PM - 03:30 PM EST

June 25, 2021

Leadership Theories and Applications Course

Virtual

11:00 AM - 04:00 PM EST

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Every program has fundamental principles it conveys as part of their curriculum. What theory or theories best embody what you are trying to teach? How can you create activities and adult learning practices that help your participants practice those theories? Relate key learning to community leadership development responsibilities and describe the relationship between Servant Leadership and Community Leadership.

Facilitated by: Nance Dering Mock, Management Consulting

Course Objectives:

Learn & discuss the most popular theories

Learn sample activities and processes to help participants grasp and begin incorporating these theories

Practice sharing theory fundamentals in meaningful adult learning model techniques

June 28, 2021

Flagship Affinity Group

01:30 PM - 02:30 PM EST

August 9, 2021	ALP Board Meeting 02:00 PM - 03:30 PM EST
September 13, 2021	ALP Executive Committee Meeting 02:00 PM - 03:30 PM EST
October 11, 2021	ALP Board Meeting 02:00 PM - 03:30 PM EST
November 8, 2021	ALP Executive Committee Meeting 02:00 PM - 03:00 PM EST
December 13, 2021	ALP Board Meeting 02:00 PM - 03:30 PM EST