

Exhibit D - Education Program Update

Education Highlights

- Virtual CEO/Director Executive Director Networking Meetings occur bimonthly.
 - Registration continually increases.
 - *33% increase in registrations from June 2023 to February 2024 meeting to last.*
- Launch of 1st Corporate Networking (February 2024).
- Launch of 1st Corporate Newsletter (February 2024)
- Chair transfer of the Education Affinity Group (EAG) to Melanie Craxton (February)
- Developing strategies to improve attendance for programs
 - Electronic program push communications; personal email invitations; automated email reminders; increase in social media presence; asking members to disseminate information

Attendance Reports from January & February: Attendance Percentage from Membership

Communications Plan with WV Social Media (28%)
Governor's Proposed FY2025 Budget (50%)
Reshaping Your Scholarship Program (73%)
CEO/Executive Director Networking (53%)
Corporate Networking (33%)

New Programs

- PSO Collaborative 2024 Grantmakers Toolkit Series. The PSO collaborative is composed of the Council of New Jersey Grantmakers, NY Funders Alliance, Florida Philanthropic Network, Wisconsin Philanthropy Network, Maryland Philanthropy Network, Grantmakers of Western Pennsylvania, North Carolina of Grantmakers, and Philanthropy West Virginia.
 - WV Philanthropy hosted the 1st session with Technology Association of Grantmakers (TAG) & Project Evident on Responsible AI Adoption in Philanthropy for Funders (February 2024)
 - Over 200 registered from across PSO collaborative membership. 160 attended including 12 Philanthropy WV members. Bimonthly sessions will happen throughout the year; rotating who is hosting the session.
- Sponsored National Programs in Addition to Regional Programs
 - National Center of Family Philanthropy-monthly programs
 - Disability and Philanthropy Forum Series- bimonthly programs
- Ripple Effect Mapping Training-
 - 2 day in-person Training at the Bridgeport Conference Center (May 16 and 17)

- West Virginia Prevention Research Center
- 2024 Annual Conference October 21-23 at Stonewall Resort

Challenges

Attendance for In-Person Roundtable Events.

- Current Roundtable: March 19th, Nicholas County, Summersville Event Center. Endowments & Planned Giving. Requested by Nicholas County Community Foundation
 - 2 people registered.
 - Strategies implemented:
 - Opened to non PWV members: community professionals.
 - Local advertising in Nicholas County: chamber of commerce, Rotary, Mayor radio show & communications, print media, & Summersville Event Center, Nicholas County Community Foundation Director asking board members.
 - PWV: Newsletter and Social Media Channels.

1st Quarter Calendar

January

- (1/9) Communications Plan: Reuse, Repurpose, Recycle ([Communications](#))
- (1/16) Overview & Analysis of Governor's FY 2025 Budget ([Advocacy & Finance](#))
- (1/16) 21st Century Governance Part One: Participatory and Collaborative Operations and Strategies with the National Center of Family Philanthropy ([Governance](#))
- (1/29) Reshaping Scholarships Programs ([Scholarship Management](#))

February

- (2/8) Disability Justice and Labor Rights with Disability & Philanthropy Forum ([DEIB](#))
- (2/13) CEO/Executive Director Networking ([Networking](#))
- (2/13) Cultural and Faith Based Funding Approaches in Family Philanthropy with the National Center of Family Philanthropy ([Grantmaking](#))
- (2/15) Corporate Networking ([Networking](#))
- (2/15) Advancing Dignity & Justice Through Representation [Grantmakers Concerned with Immigrants and Refugees ([DEIB](#))
- (2/22) Adoption of Responsible AI & Philanthropy with Jean Westrick, new Executive Director TAG ([grantmaking](#))

March

- (3/12) Social Media Platform Updates with WV Social Media ([Communications](#))
- (3/12) Equity in Rural and Place-Based Funding with the National Center of Family Philanthropy ([grantmaking](#))
- (3/19) In Person: Nicholas County Roundtable on Endowments & Planned Giving ([Finance](#))

(3/21) Investing in Change: Foundation Support for Lobbying and Other Advocacy ([Advocacy & Governance](#))

April

(4/9) 21st Century Governance Part Two: Strategically Using Partnerships and Collaboration for Systems Change with the National Center of Family Philanthropy ([Governance](#))

(4/11) Disability Rights Activism and Organizing with Disability & Philanthropy Forum ([DEIB](#))

(4/16) CEO/Executive Director Networking ([Networking](#))

(TBD) Scholarship Networking ([Networking](#))

(TBD) In-person EAG in Charleston, WV ([Education](#))

May

(5/9) Grantmaking for Disability: LGBTQIA+ Funding with the Disability & Philanthropy Forum ([DEIB](#))

(5/14) Social Media Security Concerns with WV Social Media ([Communications](#))

(5/13) 21st Century Governance Part 3: Family Philanthropies as Stewards of a Public Trust ([Governance](#))

(5/16 & 5/17) Ripple Effects Mapping ([Grantmaking](#))