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Nonprofit

An Effective Nonprofit Board: Roles, Responsibilities, Recruitment and Orientation

Thursday 3:45 pm; Panel 2

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Abstract: What are the roles and responsibilities of a nonprofit board of directors? How should a board operate to ensure maximum effectiveness? This interactive session introduce nonprofit staff and board members to the principles of effective governance by defining the basic roles and responsibilities of the board and examining strategies for building effective board structures. Topics explored include strategic recruitment and orientation of board members, trends in board membership and board development.

Learning Objectives

At the end of the workshop, participants will be able to:

1. Identify the roles and responsibilities of the board of directors and characteristics effective governance.
2. Identify specific recruitment and orientation strategies for building an effective and diverse board.
3. Identify specific ways to increase board participation in fundraising.