



Rooted in Reality: Cultivating Growth by Building Relationships and Community

July 29–31 | Alpine, Texas

PRECONFERENCE SCHEDULE

Time	Activity	Target Audience	Details	Location
Wednesday, July 29				
11:00 AM	Registration Opens for Preconference			Morgan University Center – 2 nd floor
12:00 PM	Lunch Opens			Espino Conference Center
12:20 PM	Welcome and Keynote Address		Michael Wilson, Executive Director, Nonprofit Management Center Jason Sabo, Frontera Strategy	
1:30 PM – 4:15 PM	Building Better Boards <i>From Good Intentions to Good Governance: Practical Board Leadership</i>	Board/ED	Alison King, Nonprofit Board Member Panel Discussion with Board members and EDs	Espino Conference Center D
1:30 PM – 4:15 PM	Cultivating Growth <i>Cultivating Human Resources</i> <i>Finance Without Fear: What Every Nonprofit Staffer Should Know</i> <i>The Alignment Advantage</i>	Nonprofit Staff	Robert Segura Trisha Rangel-Lynn Permian Basin SHRM Roy Geer – Controller, Mabee Foundation and VP of NMC Board Tyann Osborn, Osborn Consulting	Espino Conference Center C
2:00– 4:00 PM	Registration Open for Conference			Espino Conference Center – Atrium
5:30 PM	Welcome Reception	All Attendees		Museum of the Big Bend
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Thursday, July 30				
7:00 AM	Registration	All Attendees		Morgan University Center – 2 nd floor
7:30 AM	Breakfast			Espino Conference Center
8:00 AM	Partners in Purpose: The Power of Relationships	All Attendees	Millicent Boykin, Vice President Strategic Partnerships, OneStar Foundation	Espino Conference Center
9:00 AM– 5:00 PM	Vendor Tables		Various vendors	Espino Conference Center
9:00–10:00 AM	Session 1			
	Rooted in Governance: Building the Board Oversight that Prevents Crisis		Joni Hires, Executive Director FMH Foundation	Briscoe 304
	Power Your Proposal		Evan Wolstencroft, Programs Manager, Texas Rural Funders	Morelock 302
	Grants in Humanities		Jade Trent, Grants Program Officer Bethany Offer-Moscoco, Sr. Grants Program Officer Humanities Texas	Briscoe 305
	Navigate Forward		Libby Stephens, CEO, West Texas Food Bank	Morelock 206
10:15–11:15 AM	Session 2			
	Legislative Update (Repeated at 3:15)		Jason Sabo, Frontera Strategy	Morelock 302
	The Gift That Keeps on Giving: Building Lasting Donor Relationships		Mary Claire Walther, Principal, Dini Spheris	Briscoe 304
	Leadership by Two: Effective Strategies for Capacity Building & Succession Planning		Joe Frodsham, President Career Management Partners	Briscoe 305
	Collaborating with Municipalities		Meg Greene, Texas Rural Arts Network Ann Marie Nafziger, Visual Artists	Morelock 206
11:30 AM–1:30 PM	Lunch Real Time, Real Talk	All Attendees	Recommended seating, Peer discussion with Table Facilitators	Espino Conference Center
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2:00–3:00 PM	Session 3			
	AI in HR		Trisha Rangel-Lynn & Robert Segura, SHRM	Briscoe 305
	How to Make Your Story Stick with Funders and Community		Mary Claire Walther, Principal, Dini Spheris	Briscoe 304
	Beyond the Program: Securing Operational and Capacity Building Funds		Joni Hires, Executive Director, FMH Foundation	Morelock 302
	Spending Smart on Insurance: <i>The Playbook You Didn't Know You Needed</i>		Krysta Hadlock, Commercial Insurance Advisor, Frost and Nonprofit Board Leader	Morelock 206
3:15–4:15 PM	Session 4			
	Why Small Nonprofits Should Skip the Gala		John Trischitti, Executive Director, Keep Midland Beautiful	Morelock 206
	Legislative Update		Jason Sabo, Frontera Strategy	Morelock 302
	Expanding your Strategic Influence		TyAnn Osborn, Osborn Consulting Group	Briscoe 304
	Better Together: Exploring Shared Benefits for West Texas Nonprofits		Members of West Texas Nonprofit Benefits Trust	Briscoe 305
6:00 PM	Reception		Celebrating Carl B. & Florence E. King Foundation 60 Years of Fueling What Comes Next	Granada Theatre
7:00 PM	Dinner			
8:00 PM	Entertainment			
Friday, July 31				
8:00 AM	Breakfast			
9:00–11:50 AM	<i>Partners in Purpose</i>		Funders, Organizations	Espino Conference Center
12:00 PM	Lunch on Own			