

AFP Suncoast May 2018 Newsletter

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Message from the President

Serious Times Call for Serious People

I love the movie "The American President." One of many great lines from that movie: "We have serious problems to solve and we need serious people to solve them." Dear fundraising colleagues, these are serious times and we are serious people. As the president of the Suncoast Chapter, it was my honor to represent us at the AFP International



Fundraising Conference in New Orleans. Even though many serious issues were discussed, I left very encouraged that we are a part of an organization that is facing problems head on. Here are some of the serious things we are facing:

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2018 Board of Directors

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The Association of Fundraising Professionals (AFP) represents more than 30,000 members around the world working to advance philanthropy. Join today - benefit today!

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Job Bank

Whether you are seeking a job or have one to offer, the AFP Suncoast Job Bank is a perfect place to find opportunities. Currently we have postings for the following:

- [Community Outreach Coordinator](#)

Welcome New Members

- Zora Carrier, CFRE - Florida Museum of Photographic Arts
- Jennifer McDonald - ITN Suncoast
- Cynthia Spano - Cristo Rey Tampa High School

The 2018 Tax Act, Were You Trumped or Blowing the Trumpets?

Byron Smith from Gregory Sharer and Stuart leads a discussion on how the new Tax Act effects both your organization and your donors along with recommendations to make it great! This is an opportunity to get your questions and concerns addressed!

Tuesday, June 19th
11:30 AM - 1:00 PM

Doors open at 11:30 AM

11:00 Membership Orientation
11:30 Networking
11:45 Announcements
12:00 Program

Centre Club

123 South Westshore Blvd

Tampa FL 33609 - [DIRECTIONS](#)

FOR MORE INFORMATION!

Planet Philanthropy

It is not too late to Register for Planet Philanthropy 2018!

April 25, 2018

The LIFE Center of the Suncoast, Inc Tampa, Florida

- [Corporate Relations Manager](#)

May 03, 2018

Straz Center for the Performing Arts - Tampa, FL

- [Director of Development](#)

May 03, 2018

Ronald McDonald House Charities Tampa Bay - Tampa, FL

- [Director of Corporate and Foundation Relations](#)

May 03, 2018

Moffitt Cancer Center - Tampa, FL

- [Donor Engagement Officer](#)

May 03, 2018

Moffitt Cancer Center - Tampa, FL

- [Foundation Communications Officer](#)

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- [Stewardship Officer](#)

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- [Philanthropy Officer](#)

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- [Supervisor of Advancement Services](#)

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Moffitt Cancer Center - Tampa, FL

- [Associate Director of Philanthropy](#)

May 12, 2018

Thornwell Home for Children; FL and Southern GA

- [Executive Director](#)

May 12, 2018

This annual conference attracts fundraisers from all over the country and Puerto Rico. On average, over 400 nonprofit leaders from various organizations ranging from social services, education, health, religious, the arts and much more will join us to learn about the latest and greatest resources to enhance your knowledge and skills.

The forty-eight (48) general and education track sessions being offered will provide multi-faceted learning opportunities for professionals, executives, board members and volunteers within the non-profit community in Florida. Visit www.afpsuncoast.org/event-2899256 to sign up today!



Mix and Mingle Florida CraftArt

Come and mingle with your local peers in a casual and fun setting. Sign up for the optional Mural Tour and walk with a guide to several locations in downtown St. Petersburg to view and learn about these creative works of art. Or just stay and schmooze with your friends and enjoy the Florida CraftArt gallery.

Thursday, September 20, 2018

5:00 p.m. to 7:30 p.m.

6:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m. - Mural Tour

\$15 per person - includes Mural Tour, light hors d'oeuvres and one drink (cash bar)

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Florida CraftArt
501 Central Avenue
St. Petersburg, FL 33701

Heart Gallery of Tampa - Tampa,
FL

- [Special Events Coordinator](#)

May 12, 2018

Tampa Bay Watch - Tierra Verde,
FL

- [Administrator](#)

May 12, 2018

The Dysautonomia Project -
Clearwater, FL

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