

NSP | Update

A bulletin for nonprofit leaders from the
Hartford Foundation for Public Giving



Spring Special Event featuring Vu Le!

Unleashing the Full Potential of the Nonprofit Sector

Writer, speaker and nonprofit trailblazer, Vu Le is one of the leading voices in the nonprofit sector today. *(For Executive Directors/CEOs, Board Members, and Consultants)*

Tuesday, April 2 – 8:00 to 11:30 a.m. **(Save the date!)**

Join us for our Spring Workshops

We are pleased to continue our popular workshops, expressly for nonprofit executive directors/CEOs and board leaders. **Please share these dates with the appropriate board and staff members now, and mark your calendars.** Invitations will be sent to executive directors/CEOs five to six weeks prior to each session. Join your colleagues in Greater Hartford for useful information, conversation and networking!

Leadership Succession & Sustainability Planning

Presenters: *Jodi Dowling and Nancy Jackson, TSNE MissionWorks*
(For Executive Directors/CEOs and Board Members)

Tuesday, May 14 – 8:30 AM to Noon

Achieving and Sustaining Financial Resilience

Presenter: *Gina McDonald, CPA, Lead Consultant, Fiscal Management Associates (FMA)*

(For Executive Directors/CEOs, Finance Staff and Board Members)

Tuesday, June 25 – 8:30 AM to Noon



NSP Social Enterprise Accelerator Selects 10 Participants

In today's financial climate, nonprofits need new ways of building unrestricted income to keep steady support of their missions. NSP partnered with [No Margin, No Mission](#) and worked with over 150 individuals representing 49 non profits through a series of workshops where they received valuable coaching and learned how to create or grow

revenue generating ventures.

32 nonprofits submitted applications for the next phase of the initiative, which consists of a 30-month business planning, implementation and tracking process, and the following 10 were selected to move forward.

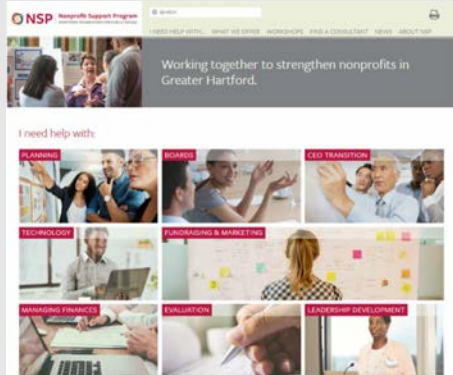
Congratulations to these enterprising nonprofits, and thanks to all the organizations that participated in the workshops!

**Brain Injury Alliance of Connecticut
Chrysalis Center
Community Child Guidance Clinic
CRIS Radio
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Hartford Public Library
New Horizons
RE-Center Race & Equity in Education
Riverfront Recapture
The Open Hearth Association**



Greater Together Community Funds Established in 29 Towns

The Hartford Foundation has created 29 new funds, one for each of the towns in our region. The purpose of the Greater Together Community Funds is to support the community in taking ownership around the needs in their towns, encourage broad and inclusive civic engagement and anchor the Hartford Foundation in each town. Click [here](#) to learn more.



New and Improved NSP Website is a Resource for Your Nonprofit

NSP's new website includes comprehensive information on NSP services and resources, as well as community, regional and national resources that may be helpful to your nonprofit. Check out the new [website](#) today and send us your [feedback](#)!



19 Up and Coming Leaders Selected to Participate in Leadership Development Roundtable Hartford Cohort

19 talented leaders will participate in the 2019 Hartford cohort of the Leadership Development Roundtable (LDR), which helps rising nonprofit leaders to grow their leadership skills and networks. Click [here](#) to see the list of participants. The Nonprofit Support Program helps sponsor the program, which consists of: 1) A learning cohort of peer leaders, 2) Leadership coaching sessions, 3) A hands-on project, 4) An expanded professional network.



Hartford Public Library and The Alliance Offer Workshops for Nonprofits

Some of the **Hartford Public Library's free workshops** are offered in partnership with the Hartford Foundation in order to better meet the needs of smaller agencies:



- *Mission Possible: How to Start & Grow a Thriving Nonprofit*
- *Board Member Boot Camp*
- *Grantwriting A to Z*
- *Basic Accounting and Budgeting for Nonprofits*
- *Small Nonprofit Information Fair*

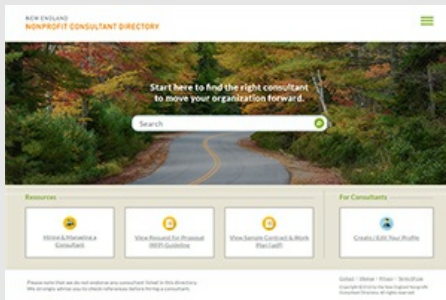
The Alliance also offers workshops for nonprofits. Click [here](#) to see the schedule.

Leaders On Board

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Leaders on Board Connects Nonprofits with Board Members

If you're a nonprofit seeking motivated board members, or an individual interested in serving on a board, Leaders on Board can help. LOB has placed more than 500 individuals on the boards of more than 130 nonprofits. Click [here](#) to learn more.



Help Us to Make the Consultant Directory an Even More Valuable Community Resource!

NSP launched the new and improved **New England Nonprofit Consultant Directory** last year. While the directory is not a vetted list, it includes many highly qualified consultants in a variety of areas of organizational capacity building. If you've had a great experience with a consultant, please **e-mail us** their name so that we can reach out and ask that they enter their information in the directory. Together, we can make the directory an even more valuable resource than it already is!



Sample Nonprofit Quarterly's Most Popular and Influential Articles of 2018

Peruse a variety of thought provoking articles from NPQ, a cutting-edge, independent nonprofit news organization that has been serving nonprofit leaders, charitable foundations, educators, and the civil sector for more than 15 years. Click [here](#) to read articles on a variety of topics including: state-of-the-art management and governance, equity and economy, and civil sector policy initiatives.

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