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FROM THE AFP-NNE CHAPTER PRESIDENT

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Generous advice from the experts, 24 hour giving challenges, revitalizing alumni giving, capital campaigns, planned giving, crowdfunding, databases, measuring impact, budgets, e-communications, grant writing....How can you possibly stay on top of it all? The Education Committee has

been hard at work putting together a slate of offerings that will provide you with the training you need to run a successful and cutting-edge development program, as well as opportunities to connect with colleagues across Northern New England. Our Spring Seminar Kick Off showcases VT, NH, and ME Community Foundations and opportunities to meet with over 10 experts in the field to answer your questions. This summer will bring educational events on ethics, alumni giving, and technology.



Special thank you to the committee-Chris Strong, chair, Chris Bicknell, Jeanne Gerulskis, Sara Gnerre, Gary Hendricksen, Kathleen Kelley, Carl Lovejoy, Laura Ewing-Mahoney, Allison Mills, Caleb Rick, Brian Winslow, and Lori Zanboni. Thank you to our Coffee Chat hosts around the region whose round tables range from working with volunteers to data security to special events. I encourage you to attend these free, facilitated discussions to learn and problem solve with your colleagues.

In addition to the CEU eligible and CFRE accreditation relevant workshops scheduled over the next several months,--CEUs and CFRE accreditation relevant--don't forget to mark your calendar for the AFP-NNE Annual Conference on November 4-6 in Stowe, Vermont. We are

excited to host keynote speakers Lynne Wester, Principal and Founder of Donor Relations Guru Consulting, and Pat Feeley, Board Chair of AFP International. I hope you'll join us at an upcoming event to meet, network, and advance your professional skills!



Karen Jantzen



AFP-NNE Spring Seminar: *Insights from the Experts*

Thursday, June 11, Noon-4:30 p.m.

Location: The Centennial Hotel, 96 Pleasant Street, Concord, NH

[Click here for more information and to register](#)

UPCOMING EVENTS

Coffee Chat with AFP-NNE

Tuesday, June 9th, 12:00-1:00PM

Location: WREN (921 Main Street, Berlin, NH)

Topic: Email Appeals

Bring your own bag lunch

RSVP: [Contact Kathleen Kelley](mailto:kukelley@me.com) kukelley@me.com

Coffee Chat with AFP-NNE

Tuesday, July 14th, 12:00-1:00PM

Location: WREN (921 Main Street, Berlin, NH)

Topic: Special Events

Bring your own bag lunch

RSVP: [Contact Kathleen Kelley](mailto:kukelley@me.com)

How a Small Shop Can Successfully Run a 24 Hour Giving Challenge

Thursday, July 23rd, 8:30-10:30 AM

Location: Keene State College (229 Main Street, Keene, NH)

Speaker: Lindsay Taflas, Acting Annual Giving Director, Keene State College

[Click Here](#) for more information and to register

[Click here for more upcoming events!](#)



Save the Date!

**2015 AFP-NNE Annual Conference:
*Advancing the Cause***

November 5-6 in Stowe, Vermont

KEYNOTE SPEAKERS:



Lynne Wester
*Principal and Founder
Donor relations Guru
Consulting*



**Patrick Feeley, MBA,
CFRE**
*Board Chair
AFP International*



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