NONPROFIT DAY – Wednesday, July 24, 2013
NIU Holmes Student Center

Meeting Rooms:
(A) General Sessions & Volunteer Sessions (Regency – main floor)
(B) Staff Development Sessions (Illinois – second floor)
Session Tracks:
(C) Finance/Resource Development Sessions (Heritage – second floor)
(D) Marketing/Planning Sessions (Lincoln – second floor)

8:30 a.m. Registration & Networking Regency
9:00 a.m. General Session
Welcome & Introductions
Anita Zurbrugg, Program Director, DeKalb County Community Foundation; DCNP Coordinator
Chris Riddle, NIU Holmes Student Center

Keynote
You Always Get the Wrong Answer when You Ask the Wrong Question Regency
Tony Goodrow, President of Volunteer²
If nonprofit organizations are truly dedicated to delivering towards the goals set out in their mission statement and on operating in a fiscally responsible and open manner, why is the percentage of money spent on administration the most frequently addressed question? If an organization truly values the time of their volunteers, why is there pressure on managers of volunteers to increase the number of hours volunteered continually, without a correlated look at what outputs are generated with those hours? Our keynote presentation will look at a new method of measuring the return on investment that asks the right questions, and in doing so, can lead us to the right answers.

Tony is the president of Volunteer², a volunteer management software company. He is the publisher of www.OurSharedResources.org, a free, resource sharing website for managers of volunteers and is the pioneer of the Scarce Resources Model for measuring return on investment (ROI) in the nonprofit sector. Tony has presented at conferences on volunteerism in Australia, Brazil, Canada, Colombia, England, Guatemala, Ireland, Korea, Singapore and the United States.

10:00 a.m. DeKalb County Nonprofit Partnership Update Regency
Jason Nicol, Director, Youth Service Bureau; DCNP Chair

10:15 a.m. Break/Networking

10:30 a.m. Session One
(A) Applying the Scarce Resources Model (ROI) for Executive Directors Regency
Our Keynote Presenter will focus on the application of this new method of measuring ROI across a whole organization – a great discussion for executive directors, board members and funders.
Tony Goodrow, President of Volunteer²

(B) Maximize Performance & Create a Supportive Organizational Culture Illinois
This workshop will discuss how to conduct meaningful job performance evaluations while building a cohesive team.
Micki Chulick, Community Consultant, Jason Nicol, Director, Youth Service Bureau

(C) NIU and YOU: Panel Discussion - Community Engagement for 2014 Heritage
The leaders of three offices on campus who routinely have students out in the community - join forces to let you know what opportunities are anticipated for the upcoming year and how you can get your agency on students’ radar.
Nancy Castle, Director, Center for NGO Leadership and Development, Julia Spears, Director, Office of Student Engagement and Experiential Learning and Destiny McDonald, Ass’t Program Director, Student Involvement and Leadership Development

(D) Project Management for Fundraising Events Lincoln
Maximize the impact for your organization by comprehensive planning.
Kara Bubb, Project Manager, Widen Enterprises, Inc, Madison
11:15 a.m. Lunch & Optional HSC Tour (admission with blue ticket) Blackhawk/Diversions (basement)

12:15 p.m. Session Two
(A) Applying the Scarce Resources Model (ROI) for Volunteer Managers Regency
Our Keynote Presenter will focus on the application of this new method of measuring ROI solely on the engagement of volunteers – a great discussion for direct service and front line staff.
Tony Goodrow, President of Volunteer2

(B) Staff Team Building Illinois
This program will give participants a “taste” of experiential team building. While learning a few experiential ways to get your team moving and learning about one another, we will also identify the key components to a successful team building.
Lynette Spencer, Director, Adventure Works of DeKalb County

(C) Communicating Nonprofit Finances - Best Practices Heritage
Tynisha Clegg, Director of Operations, Family Service Agency
John Spinoso, FSA Board Member

(D) Social Media – Engaging Millennials Lincoln
Flor Carabez, Student, Community Leadership & Civic Engagement, NIU
Intern, DeKalb County Community Foundation

1:00 p.m. Break/Networking

1:15 p.m. Session Three
(A) Board Leadership - Strengths, Strategies & Investment Regency
Three board members share their experiences and perspectives.
Tom Matya, KishHealth; John Spinoso, Family Service Agency; Ted Rosenow, CASA Facilitator, David Miller, FSA

(B) Executive Director Table Talk Illinois
Facilitators: Jill Olson, Director, Court Appointed Special Advocate (CASA)
Dawn Littlefield, Director, Kishwaukee United Way, DCNP Vice-Chair

(C) What’s on the Nonprofit Policy Horizon in Illinois Heritage
Delia Coleman, Director of Public Policy, Donors Forum

(D) Linked In – Up Close Lincoln
Holly Nicholson, Social Media Specialist, NIU Web Communications Team

2:00 p.m. Break/Networking

2:15 p.m. General Session
Marketing on a Shoestring Budget Regency
Most organizations are looking for affordable, more creative and effective messaging. Two successful, local supporters of the nonprofit community share their experiences and success stories.
Darby Dwyer, Morningstar MediaGroup; Derek Gibbs, Feed ‘Em Soup

3:00 p.m. Brief Closing Remarks Regency
Dawn Littlefield, Director, Kishwaukee United Way, DCNP Vice-Chair

DCNP Steering Committee
Ben Bingle & Nancy Castle, NIU - NGO Leadership & Development Center
Micki Chulick, Community Consultant
Dee Coover, Teresa Iversen, DCNP Philanthropy Center, DeKalb Public Library
Dawn Littlefield, Kishwaukee United Way, DCNP Vice-Chair
Tom Matya, Roberts Family Foundation
David Miller, Family Service Agency
Jason Nicol, Youth Service Bureau, DCNP Chair

Jill Olson, Court Appointed Special Advocate (CASA)
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