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2026 Schedule

Lunch & Learn 11:30 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.

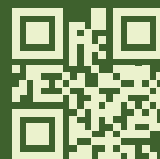
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- 1/22/26** Leading Your Nonprofit with a Purpose-It Takes Everyone!
Chad Black, Seasoned Fire & EMS Executive
- 2/26/26** Beyond the Grant: Building a Fundable Organization
Jaclyn Colona Infante & Elise Chappell, Alliance Grant Solutions
- 3/19/26** Leveraging AI as a Tool for Nonprofits
Susannah Darrow, Purpose Possible
- 4/16/26** Creative Cloud for Nonprofits-hands-on training in Adobe tools
Cicily Williams, Cicily Creates
- 5/14/26** Budgets for Grants
Lainey Buffington, North Georgia Grant Collective
- 6/25/26** Evaluating Fundraising Events-Make Sure They Are Still Working for You!
Laura Moody, Purpose Possible
- 7/16/26** The NGCF 2026 Grant Application
NGCF Staff
- 8/06/26** Narratives for Grant Writing-Storytelling That Secures the Bag!
Jaclyn Colona Infante & Elise Chappell, Alliance Grant Solutions
- 9/17/26** Branding & Messaging Foundations for Nonprofits
Cicily Williams, Cicily Creates
- 10/15/26** Bridging Generational Communication Gaps in Your Organization
Mary Davis, Renewed Coaching
- 11/13/26** Board of Directors Best Practices
Columns Fundraising

Discover Additional Learning Opportunities

GROW offers a variety of programs throughout the year to support nonprofit leaders at every stage.

- **Managers Club:** For current managers ready to build strong skills and create an actionable growth plan.
- **Stewards of Change:** A 3-part series for nonprofit board members and executive directors.
- **Grant Cohort:** A 6-week series guiding you step-by-step through the grant writing process.
- **Exec Club:** A space for CEOs and EDs to gain practical insights and leadership support.
- **Deeper Dives:** In-depth classes that take a closer look at essential nonprofit topics.



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Full program details
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