

YOUTH PHILANTHROPY CONNECT

Post National Forum Gathering on Youth Philanthropy

Saturday, May 10, 9:00 a.m.-2:00 p.m.

The Boston Foundation

75 Arlington Street, 10th Floor, Boston, MA 02116

Calling all families who are or want to engage children ages 8-21 in philanthropy! Bring along the youth of your family or foundation for this post-NCFP National Forum Gathering on Youth Philanthropy. This interactive session will highlight Boston's youth philanthropy work, as well as provide a unique opportunity for youth, families, and foundations in attendance to meet one another, share models of youth philanthropy, learn together, and explore effective national practices for engaging youth in philanthropy.



The gathering is hosted by Youth Philanthropy Connect, a special program of the Frieda C. Fox Family Foundation, the National Center for Family Philanthropy, and The Boston Foundation.

Program

9:00 a.m. Registration Open with Light Networking Breakfast Provided

10:00 a.m. Welcome by the Youth Philanthropy Connect Leadership Team and Presenting Partners

10:15 a.m. Spotlight on Boston Youth Philanthropy

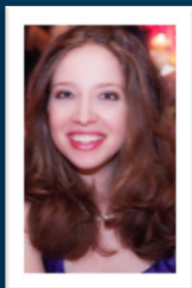
Hear from representatives of a variety of youth philanthropy programs from across the Boston area about their model and top tips for how best to engage youth in philanthropy. Panelists include youth and adults from The Boston Foundation, the Greater Worcester Community Foundation, Foundation for MetroWest, The Rivers School's Rivers Givers, Sillerman Center for the Advancement of Philanthropy at Brandeis, the Highland Street Foundation, and more!



11:00 a.m. Café Conversations on Youth Philanthropy Program Elements

Using your own knowledge of youth philanthropy and new information about Boston's models of youth philanthropy, we will discuss common elements and important takeaways with one another. This session will engage youth and adults in a dialogue surrounding best practices of common youth philanthropy program areas such as site visits, grantmaking processes, collaborative decision-making, and more! You will have a chance to explore two topics for 15 minutes each.

11:40 a.m. Learning Breakouts



Youth Breakout: The Art and Science of Philanthropy

Christine Reeves, Senior Field Associate, National Committee for Responsive Philanthropy

Sculpture, music, dance are all forms of the arts, while chemistry, biology, physics are all sciences. But, what's philanthropy? And who are you as the philanthropist? Well, you're both an artist and a scientist. Plus, you're a part of a long history of giving; people have been giving for centuries, in every country, at every income level, and in so many ways. So, how do you decide where and how to give?

The National Committee for Responsive Philanthropy (NCRP) will share some ideas about the art (stories about what recipients appreciate from funders) and the science (measurable trends from across the country) of grantmaking. We will also explore “The Golden Rule” of the art and science of philanthropy: how do we treat our neighbors (or funding recipients) as we treat ourselves, so that we can best help them do what they do best? We will also use some fun games and thought-exercises to get your artistic and scientific juices flowing!



Adult Breakout: Raising Charitable Children and Youth in the Digital Age

Susan Price, author and national thought leader on family philanthropy

In advance of Susan’s forthcoming book “Raising Giving Children in a Digital Age,” she will share her insights on how the online world offers new opportunities for families and foundations to teach and engage young people in philanthropy. Susan will also give ideas on how to capitalize on—not struggle with—generational differences, and will engage the adults in attendance in a dialogue about how this information could enhance their family’s philanthropic work.

12:40 p.m. Connection Lunch

Find someone you haven’t yet connected with but want to learn more from. Have lunch together!

1:30 p.m. Action Planning & Closing

Get together with any others from your foundation and discuss what you have learned and want to take home. Be prepared to share your take-away(s) with other participants!

2:00 p.m. Closing

Registration Information

It is our hope that at least one youth be present to represent each foundation attending. If you are not attending the National Forum on Family Philanthropy, you are still welcome to participate. Registration is limited and will be available on a first come, first serve basis. The cost is \$75 per person for youth and adults. For registering three or more people, you will receive a 30% discount (\$50 per person).

REGISTER HERE: <http://tinyurl.com/kne5znl>

This is the first regional Gathering hosted by Youth Philanthropy Connect and is based on the Annual Conference held in Anaheim, CA each summer. The YPC 2014 conference will be held from July 24-26 at the Disneyland Resort in Anaheim, CA. For updated agenda or event information, visit youthphilanthropyconnect.org. For more information, please contact Annie Hernandez, Director of Youth Philanthropy Connect at annie@fcfox.org or 818.308.4451.

For more info on the National Forum on Family Philanthropy or to secure hotel rooms, visit ncfp14.org.

For detailed guidance on how to get to The Boston Foundation, visit <https://www.tbf.org/contact-us>.

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