



CENTRAL
NEBRASKA
NONPROFIT
CONFERENCE

Younes Conference Center South
416 W Talmadge Rd, Kearney, NE 68845

Thursday, March 26, 2026

Time	Session		
8:00 – 9:00 AM	Registration and Continental Breakfast		
9:00 – 9:15 AM	Welcome Crystal 3-4		
9:15 – 9:30 AM	Break		
9:30 – 10:30 AM	Katie LeDoux/Lindsey Johnson: “Grant-Ready Boards” Diamond 4	Lina T. Stover, PhD: “From Chaos to Clarity” Diamond 5	Paige Piper: “Can’t Pay Top Dollar? Top Talent Through Intangible Benefits” Diamond 10
10:30 – 10:45 AM	Break		
10:45 – 11:45 AM	Ryan Strawhecker/Lyn Wineman: “The Smarter Ask” Diamond 4	Sara Wilcox/Maya Chilese/Stephanie Vadnais: “From Asking to Sharing” Diamond 5	Mara Kellogg: “Access to Justice” Diamond 10
11:45 AM – 12:30 PM	Lunch Service Begins		
12:30 – 1:30 PM	LaPora Lindsey: “The Comparison Trap: And the Surprising Way Out” Crystal 2-3		
1:30 – 1:45 PM	Break		
1:45 – 2:45 PM	Amy Sandeen: “Brighten Up!” Diamond 4	Stephanie Vadnais/Nicole Everingham: “Beyond Waitlists” Diamond 5	Jack Round: “From Budget Stress to Understanding, using AI Diamond 10
2:45 – 3:00 PM	Break		
3:00 – 4:00 PM	Desiree Petrich: “The Three Keys to Turning Good People into Great Teams” Crystal 2-3		