



Chicago Chapter

You don't have to leave your office to benefit from AFP Membership.

Inside Your Office:

- ▶ **Advancing Philanthropy** – the professional quarterly magazine by and for fundraisers, with useful ideas on how to raise more money for your organization.
- ▶ **Legislative updates** - on the regulations that impact our profession and ultimately your organization and your donors.
- ▶ **AFP eWire** – an electronic newsletter informing you on the ethical questions you face, the laws that govern your work, and how to most effectively meet your fundraising goals.
- ▶ **eDevelopments**, the Chicago Chapter monthly email to members, gives you information on local fundraising and activities.
- ▶ **Online Job Source** - highlights local and Midwest job opportunities to make your next professional move as informed and easy as possible.
- ▶ **Fundraising Resource Center** – This is your link to research on fundraising topics and the staff to do the research for you – *for free*. Knowledgeable reference staff can research and locate answers to your fundraising questions from more than 3,200 comprehensive reference publications.
- ▶ **Career Planner** - examines member diagnostics, career trends, salaries and experience. Find out about the members of your profession.
- ▶ **Web Conferences and Webinars** – connecting you to hot topics and expert speakers.

A Winning Partnership . . . Inside & Outside Your Office

▶ **Bookworks** – one of the largest offerings of books on fundraising topics, volunteers and Philanthropy – all available to you at discounted member prices.

▶ **AFP Web Sites** – are your online sources for fundraising information, access to fellow members, resources to help you do your job, a calendar of upcoming events, job postings, discussion groups and continuing education opportunities. www.afpchicago.org www.afpnet.org

▶ **Many more opportunities** such as participation in the **Peer Mentoring** program, **Fellows Program** and the annual **Philanthropy Awards Luncheon**.

All these resources are yours . . . and you have not even left your office.

Outside your office:

- ▶ Gain **new clients, new staff and new ideas** through **educational programs and professional events** that keep you in touch with peers, mentors and friends.
- ▶ Learn new skills through **committee work** that advances our profession and connects you with colleagues committed to the same goals.
- ▶ Save money with **member discounts** to events, publications and conferences—not to mention insurance programs, travel programs, rental cars, overnight delivery, real estate rebates, hotel accommodations and more!
- ▶ Move your career forward and get a new perspective on what you do every day by attending local and national meetings and conferences that provide **continuing education opportunities**, such as:
 - First Course in Fundraising
 - CFRE Review Course
 - Midwest Conference on Philanthropy
 - AFP International Fundraising Conference