

## **DEREK LAMBERT**

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With over twenty-five years of experience in various roles within the nonprofit sector, Derek is a specialist in interpersonal fundraising, team leadership, and professional development. In addition to his duties on the Board, Derek serves on both the Continuous Learning and the Peer Mentorship committees.

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