



## Executive Director's Message - Jenny Berg

"Whatever your occupation, reconceiving it as a form of service can change your entire approach to your job and your life. It is one of the most liberating things you can do for yourself. Your job becomes something you do for others instead of just yourself. Many fear one's essential self becomes lost in service to others, the opposite is true. Defining your life's work as service motivates you to greater and more energetic contributions which can bring great rewards."



Isn't this quote, by Alton Fitzgerald White, a refreshing way to think about the work we as nonprofit leaders do every day? Imagine, if each of us has this kind of daily "attitude of gratitude", how different our interactions might be with each other, and those we serve.

These are just some of the words of wisdom Alton will share during his **Securing the Future Conference** keynote on **March 6**. His reflections on "Leading My Pride, Mastering Life's Daily Performance, will awaken, inspire and motivate you to Lead YOUR pride. After his keynote, 4 other leaders will challenge you, teach you and help you in mastering life's daily performances. You can find out more about our 4 breakout leaders by watching these video's:



**Strengthening Resilience During Organizational Change**  
Maureen Maxfield,  
Maxfield Associates,  
LLC



**Activating Strengths to Master Life's Daily Performance**  
Joe Moorman,  
Mayerson Academy



**Nonprofit on Fire: Confidence, Authenticity and a Lit Team**  
Jennifer Goodin,  
Ronald McDonald House  
& Jen Eismeier,  
Camp Joy



**Giving Black and YOU!**  
Lauren Jones,  
Greater Cincinnati  
Foundation

We look forward to seeing you at this great half day conference! Registration closes **February 27th** so be sure to **REGISTER TODAY!**

# Leading Your Pride

Mastering Life's Daily Performance



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Securing the Future Conference

## You Are Invited:

March 6, 2019

Showtime: 7:30 AM – 12:00 PM

Schiff Family Conference Center, Cintas Center, Xavier University

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## Events Calendar

**February 20**

### Meet & Greet for New & Prospective Members

Where can you connect with almost 200 non profit agencies & their staff who invest in their leaders, save money, post jobs openings, celebrate & collaborate? In Leadership Council for Nonprofits, that's where! Join us for coffee, tea & light bites on February 20th and find out how you can get the most from your membership, or how you can become a member!

[Click Here](#) for More Information & to Register

**March 6**

### Securing the Future Conference

Securing the Future is an annual conference dedicated to building the strategic, leadership and resource development skills of the board, staff and donors of Greater Cincinnati nonprofits. The keynote speaker for 2019 is Alton Fitzgerald White, the author of My Pride, Mastering the Art of Daily Performance, and best known for his role as the father figure Mufasa, in the Broadway Show, The Lion King! After Alton's keynote address four breakout sessions will be offered to support the theme of Leading Your Pride, Mastering Life's Daily Performance.

[Click Here](#) for More Information & to Register

**March 19**

### Top Concerns for Retiring Employees Medicare Overview

Medicare can be confusing and overwhelming - that's why planning for a happy, healthy retirement should often begin years in advance. Leadership Council for Nonprofits is pleased to offer The RetireMEDiQ Program as a retirement health insurance resource to our members, employees and their families.

[Click Here](#) for More Information & to Register

**March 22**

### IT Professionals First Quarterly Kickoff Meeting

Join us on March 22nd to review and discuss current trends in Information Technology, specifically pertaining to nonprofits in Greater Cincinnati! The NextStep Networking Team will present on Security, Data, and Business Intelligence.

[Click Here for More Information & to Register](#)

**April 22-24**

## **The Leadership Challenge**

The Leadership Challenge® is an intense and interactive three-day program held at Camp Joy that helps you tap into your personal leadership skills through a variety of activities. Facilitator, Steve Coats will lead this workshop is based on the worldwide best-selling book, The Leadership Challenge, recognized as one of the top business books of all times.

[Click Here for More Information & to Register](#)

**April 30**

## **Leadership Council Annual Meeting**

Leadership Council Annual Meeting. Save the date to join us for breakfast. More information coming soon!

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## **Member Benefits**

We continue to offer a wide variety of cost savings programs for our nonprofit members. These are just a few and you can find more [HERE](#).

### **NEW member benefit - ZOO discount tickets-**

Leadership Council has partnered with the Cincinnati Zoo & Botanical Garden to offer our members a convenient way for their employee's and their families to enjoy the zoo anytime! Half off zoo tickets are available during Penguin Days through 3/8/19, and a discounted rate is also available throughout the year. [Click Here](#) for more information and use PROMO CODE **LC** on the [group discount page](#).



**FREE job postings** - Did you know that Leadership Council offers its members the opportunity to post any job vacancies on our job board for FREE? For more information [Click Here](#).

**FREE Retirement Plan benefits** - Interested in starting a retirement plan for your employees? Consider working with our partner, Mutual of America, who has waived plan related administrative fees for our members! For more information [Click Here](#).

**Group Purchasing Discount program** - Want to realize savings on office supplies & furniture, express shipping, rental cars, copiers & MORE? Our members have saved tens of thousands of dollars each year by participating in this program. For more information [Click Here](#).

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## **Welcome to New Members**

Cincinnati Fire Museum  
Ali D'Arrigo, Executive Director

Economics Center  
Sue Heilmayer

Elementz  
Tom Kent

Hyde Park Center for Older Adults  
Shelley Goering, Executive Director

Lydia's House



Mary Ellen Mitchell & Meridith Owensby, Co-Directors

Rosemary's Baby  
Rosemary Oglesby-Henry, CEO

Shelterhouse Volunteer Group  
Arlene Nolan, Executive Director

Hyde Park Center for Older Adults  
Shelley Goering, Executive Director

The Women's Fund of the Greater Cincinnati Foundation  
Meghan Cummings, Executive Director

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## Member Spotlight

### Cincinnati Zoo & Botanical Garden



**Jeff Walton**

I am the Human Resources Director at the Cincinnati Zoo & Botanical Garden, where I have been for over 15 years now. I received a Bachelor of Arts degree in Psychology from Ohio State University and have 20+ years of progressive HR experience across the private, public & non-profit sectors.

Founded in 1873 and opened to the public in 1875, the Cincinnati Zoo & Botanical Garden is the second oldest Zoo in the United States. Rated by peer zoological parks as one of the best zoos in the nation, the Cincinnati Zoo continues to set the standard for conservation, education and preservation of wild animals and wild spaces. Over 1.8 million people visit the Zoo annually. The Zoo features more than 500 animal and 3,000 plant species, making it one of the largest Zoo collections in the country. [Read More](#)

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## Job Opportunities

Check out all the job postings on our FREE job board. [HERE](#)

This is a free service to all our LC members.



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