

## 2008 Events

**December 10, 2008**

Washington, DC **Analyzing the Outcomes: A 2008 Post Election Debrief**  
*Funders' Committee for Civic Participation*

[Read more about the event here](#) .

**December 4, 2008**

Santa Fe, NM

**Strengthening Democracy, Increasing Opportunities: Impacts of Advocacy**

*National Committee for Responsive Philanthropy (NCRP)*

As part of its

[Grantmaking for Community Impact](#)

[Project](#)

, NCRP will release the first in a series of reports

**November 20-23, 2008**

Philadelphia, PA

**Caring to Change: New Foundation Grantmaking Strategies**

*ARNOVA Annual Conference*

NCRP Field Director Melissa Johnson will participate in a discussion about (

[Read more about the session here.](#)

**November 20-23, 2008**

Philadelphia, PA

**ARNOVA Annual Conference**

*Association for Research on Nonprofit Organizations and Voluntary Action*

NCRP's research director Niki Jagpal will present on how our criteria for Phil

[Read more about the conference here.](#)

**November 20, 2008**

Washington, DC

**Funding Fathers: The Unsung Heroes of the Conservative Movement**

*Hudson Institute's Bradley Center for Philanthropy and Civic Renewal*

Aaron Dorfman will participate in a panel discussing the new book, "Funding

[Read more about the event here](#) .

**November 12-14, 2008**

Asheville, NC

**2008 Annual Meeting**

*Southeastern Council on Foundations*

[Read more about the meeting here.](#)

**November 9-12, 2008**

Mobile, AL

**Funders Forum on Sustainable Gulf Coast Transformation**

*National Rural Funders Collaborative*

Melissa Johnson will participate in this forum committed to assisting civil soc

[Read more about the forum here](#) .

**November 7, 2008**

Naples, FL

**Strengthening Our Free Society: 2008 Annual Conference**

*Philanthropy Roundtable*

NCRP executive director **"Public Accountability for Private Foundations: What Is the Role of the Govern**

[Read more about the conference here.](#)

[Read Aaron Dorfman's speech here](#) .

**October 27-29, 2008**

Cleveland, OH      **Transforming Philanthropy: OGF Annual Conference**  
*Ohio Grantmakers Forum*

NCRP executive director Aaron Dorfman will be presenting at the following sessions:

- **Smart Philanthropy: Deliberations on Strategic Grantmaking**

Tues., Oct. 28, 10:30-11:45 am

Undoubtedly one of the most commonly used phrases in philanthropy today, strategic grantmaking

- **Exploring Grantmaker/Grantseeker Relationships**

Tues., Oct. 28, 2:30-3:45 pm

Developing relationships with grantees is a critical skill for grantmakers and communication can ma

[Read more about this conference here.](#)

[Read Aaron Dorfman's remarks here](#) .

**October 15-17, 2008**

Raleigh, NC

**Nonprofit Workout: Keeping Ourselves and Our Sector Fit**

*N.C. Center for Nonprofits*

NCRP's Melissa Johnson and Lisa Ranghelli will present on the Grantmaking for Community Impact Pro

[Read more about the conference here.](#)

**October 15-16, 2008**

Minneapolis, MN      **Focus Minnesota: One State, Twin Cities, Multiple Perspectives**  
*Interfaith Funders*

[Read more about the conference here.](#)

**October 6, 2008**

Santa Fe, NM

**2008 Annual NASCO Conference**

*National Association of State Charity Officials*

[Read more about the conference here.](#)

**October 1-3, 2008**

Los Angeles, CA      **NFG Annual Conference**  
*Neighborhood Funders Group*

NCRP will be conducting "By the Numbers: New Research Highlights the

[Read more about the conference and session here.](#)

**September 26-27, 2008**

Washington, DC

**Board of Directors Meeting** □  
*NCRP*

**September 18-20, 2008**

Denver, CO

**National Conference**  
*Association of Small Foundations*

NCRP's Aaron Dorfman "Cutting Edge Philanthropy" will also co-host with

[Read more about the conference and session here.](#)

[Read Aaron Dorfman's presentation here.](#)

**September 11-12, 2008**

Denver, CO

**Advocacy Convening**  
*Colorado Association of Funders*

**September 11, 2008**

Washington, DC

**National Symposium**  
*National Center for Family Philanthropy*

**July 25, 2008**

San Francisco, CA      **Raising Change: A Social Justice Fundraising Conference**  
*Grassroots Fundraising Journal*

NCRP's Melissa Johnson will participate in a session about trends in founda

[Read more about the conference here](#) .

[Read more about the session here](#) .

[Read Melissa's remarks here](#) .

**July 1, 2008**

Silver Spring, MD

**Show Me the Money: How to Maximize Funding for Your Organization**

*National Organizers Alliance (NOA)*

During this workshop at NOA Gathering VI: Building a Home for Organizers

[Read more about the workshop here](#) .

[Read more about NOA's Gathering VI here](#) .

**June 2, 2008**

Washington, DC

**2008 Nonprofit Congress National Meeting**

*National Council of Nonprofit Associations*

NCRP will host a session that will help nonprofits frame a conversation with

[Read more about the event here](#) .

[View NCRP's presentation here](#) .

**May 7, 2008**

National Harbor, MD

**Philanthropy's Vision- A Leadership Summit: Charity vs. Change: Which**

*Council on Foundations*

NCRP designed this session that will explore funding direct services, advoca

[More about the COF summit here.](#)

**May 5, 2008**

National Harbor, MD

**Philanthropy's Vision- A Leadership Summit: What's Ethics Got to Do Wi**

*Council on Foundations*

NCRP's Aaron Dorfman will be a panelist in this discussion about the ethica

[Read more about the COF summit here.](#)

**May 4, 2008**

National Harbor, MD

**Philanthropy's Vision- A Leadership Summit: NCRP Reception**

*Council on Foundations*

*Gaylord National Resort & Convention Center, Rooms Chesapeake 2 & 3*

Please join board, staff, [members](#), and friends of NCRP for a cocktail reception to kick off the Summit. B

[Read more about the COF summit here.](#)

**May 3, 2008**

National Harbor, MD

**Funding Change, Changing Funding:**

**A Social Justice Philanthropy Reception**

*Social Justice Philanthropy Collaborative*

*Gaylord National Resort & Convention Center, Room Annapolis 3*

This reception will bring [together people working](#) in the philanthropic sector

[Read more about the Social Justice Philanthropy Collaborative and the reception here.](#)

[More about the COF summit here.](#)

**May 2-3, 2008**

Washington, DC

**Board of Directors Meeting**

*National Committee for Responsive Philanthropy*

**March 19, 2008**

Washington, DC

**Nonprofits and Advocacy: Turning the Extraordinary into the Ordinary**

*Young Nonprofit Professionals Network of Washington, DC*

NCRP will be part of the panel for this event discussing recent research on n

**January 18, 2008**

New York, NY

**Core to the Mission: Core Operating Support as an Effective and Measur**

*UJA-Federation of New York, New York Regional Association of Grantmake*

NCRP will collaborate on this symposium discussing the practical implication

[Read more about the event here](#) .