

For your next conference, consider a keynote address from Alan Cantor.



Alan Cantor commands a growing reputation as an influential thought leader in the nonprofit world. Drawing on 35 years as a nonprofit leader and consultant, Al describes trends, challenges, and opportunities in the nonprofit sector with honesty, eloquence, and humor.

Alan is principal of Alan Cantor Consulting LLC, a firm that works with nonprofit organizations on issues of resource development, governance, and strategy.

Alan is a prolific writer and presenter on issues relating to the nonprofit sector, and he is a frequent contributor to the opinion pages of the *Chronicle of Philanthropy* and *Inside Philanthropy*. He has been cited in *The New York Times*, *Barron's*, *Pro Publica*, *The Boston Globe*, *The Daily Beast*, *CNBC.com*, *Vanity Fair*, *Advancing Philanthropy*, *The Nonprofit Times*, *Boston Business Journal*, and *Boston Magazine*.

Two Sample Keynote Address Themes

- > **Nonprofits On The Brink:** How Reduced Funding, Unrealistic Expectations, and Direct Competition from Wall Street Have the Charitable Sector Reeling – and What We Can Do About it.
- > **Misgiving:** How Our Infatuation with Charitable Endowments is Hurting the Very People and Causes We're Trying to Help.



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Al Cantor presents some of the freshest and most candid observations of the nonprofit world. He's provocative, smart, honest, and wonderfully articulate, in his writing and at the podium. And he has a wonderful sense of humor, which helps him deliver a message that really resonates with the audience.

Professor Ray D. Madoff, Director, Boston College Law School Forum on Philanthropy and the Public Good

Al did a stellar job on his keynote, a perfect and entertaining mix of irreverent, but true. And clearly a success by the energy and conversation it engendered in the room and afterwards!

Barbara Edmond, President, Maine Philanthropy Center

Al delivered a terrific keynote that participants described as enlightening, thought-provoking, relevant, and entertaining. The depth of Al's professional background provides him with a unique and informed perspective about donor and nonprofit relationships. And throughout the planning process, Al was a total pleasure to work with.

Scott Schnapp, Executive Director, Maine Association of Nonprofits

Al keynoted the annual conference of our regional chapter of the Association of Fundraising Professionals. I would expect any keynote speaker to call out important issues and offer principles to guide me as a professional. Thankfully, I got much more than that from Al in the form of a thoughtful call to action. I felt all of Al's points were balanced and showed great logic, not finger pointing. To others who may be organizing topical programs and looking for a timely national thought leader, I can highly recommend Alan Cantor!

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