



Standing Up and Speaking Out: Nonpartisan Advocacy in Partisan Times

Thursday, October 19
2:00-3:30pm

How can 501(c)(3) organizations concerned with issues like immigrants' rights and racial justice speak out about policies and actions taken in Washington, DC, Sacramento, and in their local communities that impact their constituencies without running afoul of rules that require them to be "nonpartisan"? When is critiquing an elected official partisan and when is it not? Many nonprofits are considering how to increase their public policy and advocacy voice in this critical time. This session is designed for leadership and staff at nonprofits seeking to do that by helping you get more familiar with the laws that allow nonprofits to praise and criticize elected officials, to know where the potential pitfalls lie, and to become more familiar with resources that can help you navigate these questions on an ongoing basis. This is a practical session which will use real world examples and include Q&A to ensure that you walk out feeling more confident about your nonprofit taking a public stand on issues that are in line with your values and mission.

Speakers include:

Nona Randois, California Director, Alliance for Justice, Bolder Advocacy
Karin Wang, Asian Americans Advancing Justice – Los Angeles

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