



Virtual National Conference Series

While we can't gather in person for a National Conference in 2021, we are going to bring the best of our annual gathering to you throughout our 125th Anniversary Year. Mark your calendar and let's celebrate together virtually! **A calendar invite and meeting link will be sent separately for each event.**

March 8, 2021 at 2pm EST Founder's Day Service

We hope you will all join for the Founders' Day Worship Service! This year, we will be celebrating 125 years of changing lives through our Ministry of Service!

April 14, 2021 at 1pm EST The Plant and the Pivot: How to Build on Our Rich History AND Innovate for the Future

Speaker: Dr. Chris Bingham, University of North Carolina

Every day, we face multiple challenges in increasingly uncertain, complex, and ambiguous environments while remaining committed to our mission. This session will focus on helping participants create simple strategies that they can test, evolve, deploy and communicate to team members at all levels of the organization to manage today and build for the future.



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May 12, 2021 at 1pm EST President's Address & Leadership Awards

Join National President and CEO Mike King as he reports on Volunteers of America's current activities and plans for the future. As well, we will be presenting the Leadership Awards in direct client services, program management, ministry and administration. We look forward to celebrating together!

June 17, 2021 at 6pm EST National Ministry Celebration

This special event will honor the past and inspire the future, as we celebrate 125 years of Ministry Service.

July 2021 (Date TBD) Diversity, Equity & Inclusion Plenary

In honor of our 125th Anniversary, we will reflect on our legacy of social reform while also exploring some of the key social justice issues of our time. A leading expert in the topic will join us for this conversation. More information will follow.



August 10, 2021 at 2pm EST Social Innovation Shark Tank



The annual Shark Tank Experience is an opportunity for VOA affiliates to share an innovative concept, gain exposure to partners and peers and compete for funding to support the continuing development of the concept. It is also a great opportunity for affiliates to leverage the experience for further external funding pitches and support. The top three entries will pitch their concept to a panel of judges and receive funding awards based on the final results. Please join us for this exciting competition showcasing the strength of innovation in Volunteers of America!

September 20 – 22, 2021 KeyMakers Executive Summit

This future-focused summit, to take place at the University of North Carolina Chapel Hill, will be an executive-level learning experience around leading complexity and constant change. **This is a small event for senior leaders, but we are hoping to be able to stream relevant content to a larger audience.**



October 12-13, 2021 Development & Communications Boot Camp



This two-day intensive training experience is for all development and communications professionals and CEOs looking to grow their fundraising capacity and raise their agency's profile. Leading industry professionals will provide education sessions about cutting-edge trends, along with the newest tools and skills that communications, public policy and development professionals need to succeed.

October 2021 (Date TBD) National Services Housing & Healthcare Awards



The VOAN'S Housing and Healthcare Awards are an opportunity to recognize the people and facilities that make VOANS a great place to work, a great place to live and a great place to improve the quality of life for individuals and the community.

November 3, 2021 Partner's Summit

The focus of this intimate gathering is to tap into the power of shared philanthropic collaboration. This collection of corporations, foundations and leaders [in collaboration with VOA] will explore the growing affordable housing crisis and discuss opportunities to leverage our mutual interest and ability to impact the communities we serve. This year we will end the evening on a high note as we present the Ballington and Maud Booth Award to The Home Depot Foundation for their longstanding support and 10-Year partnership with VOA. **This is a small event for senior leaders, but we are hoping to be able to stream relevant content to a larger audience.**

December 6, 2021 Christmas Worship Service

Concluding our year-long celebration, let's all gather to reflect and give thanks for the many blessings bestowed upon us. As well, this is the perfect occasion to renew our faith and refresh our spirits as we

PLEASE SAVE THE DATE!

God be with you until we meet again in person:
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