Our Team

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About NTEN

OUR MISSION
We are creating a world where missions and movements are successful through the skillful and equitable use of technology.

OUR VISION
We build transformative power by connecting people who are putting technology to work for social change. We strengthen their individual and collective capacity for doing good by offering expert trainings, researching effective approaches, and providing places where relationships can flourish. We relentlessly advocate for the redesign of the systems and structures that maintain inequity.
Nonprofit Tech Readiness

A six-month cohort program focused on nonprofit professionals interested in boosting technology management and planning in their organizations.
Program Goals

- Elevate Technology Capacity
  - Best Practices
  - Planning
  - Budgeting
  - Decision-Making

- Advance A Technology Project

- Build Connections
  - Advisors and Peers
Is NTR for you?

Civic Engagement and Social Justice (Ford Foundation)

- U.S.-based: grantees of the Ford Foundation’s Civic Engagement and Government program in the following groups
  - Civic Engagement and Government
  - Gender Racial Ethnic Justice
  - Tech and Society
  - Future of Workers
- Have not yet participated

Individual

Are you interested in building up your skills and leadership with technology? Then NTR is for you!

- Any job type and title
- Any department
- Support and authority to move a tech project forward
- No board members or volunteers as the lead participant
Is NTR for you?

Jewish Agencies
(Harry and Jeanette Weinberg Foundation)

- U.S.-based and agency that is:
  - Member of Jewish Federations of North America
  - Member of Network of Jewish Human Service Agencies
  - Member of The Claims Conference
  - A core partner, strategic partner, or grantee of UJA-Federation of New York
  - A grantee in The Weinberg Foundation’s Jewish portfolio

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Reaching and Retaining Donors (Fidelity Charitable Trustees Initiative)

- Nonprofit orgs in south central and mountain west states: AL, AZ, AR, CO, ID, KY, LA, MS, MT, NV, NM, OK, TN, TX, UT, WY
- Preference given to orgs under a $2 million annual budget
- Have not yet participated

Individual

Are you interested in building up your skills and leadership with technology? Then NTR is for you!

- Fundraising and marketing roles / department
- Support and authority to move a tech project forward related to retaining and reaching donors
- No board members or volunteers as the lead participant
What Participants are Saying

“My participation in the NTR program has absolutely resulted in an increased capacity to strategically implement the use of technology for my organization.”

“NTR particularly expanded my knowledge in tech equity and inclusion and provided tangible tools to put those values into practice. Overall, I feel like I am approaching our data and tech work with more confidence and an equity lens.”

“The program gave me the courage and vision to start a tech project, virtually on my own, to find a solution for electronic record-keeping. That project is now well underway.”
Overall Schedule

Plan for a six-month time commitment, with 8–10 hours per month for program work.

**Conference**
*March 13–15, 2024*
Attend the 2024 [Nonprofit Technology Conference](#) virtually or in Portland, Oregon, for free.

**Orientation**
*April 2024*
Ask questions and explore the online learning and community space.

**Sessions**
*April 2024–September 2024*
Take part in educational and mentorship activities.

**Celebration**
*September 2024*
Celebrate achievements and hear from inspiring guest speakers.
Session Overview

You’ll be supported as you move your customized technology project from the idea stage to a full-blown action plan, and get the guidance you need to implement the project. You do not need to have a project decided or in mind when you start.

**Technology projects**
Advice and mentorship, including help with successful planning, culture change, and implementation.

**Open office hours**
Drop-in opportunities to get direct support.

**Live educational series**
Training sessions that cover the core competencies of technology planning, budgeting, implementation, and evaluation.

**Self-paced educational series**
Sessions that cover other competencies and best practices.

**Leadership development**
Facilitated process for discussing feedback and practicing and modeling experiences you can replicate at your organization.

**Interactive workshops**
Working sessions to build your project planning skills and develop connections with your peers.
Live Course Series

Series of week-long courses
- Pre-Work
- Live Event
- Homework

Curated for each cohort
- +8 Additional Prepaid Course Credits

Wide range of topics
Workshops

Bring guests
From your organization

2 hour live event
Focus on engagement
Small group conversations
Project work
Self-Paced Series

Focused on wide range of topics

100% Self-paced

No live event or follow-up

Access on your own schedule
Leadership Development

1:1 advisor support

Online community space

Professional Certificate

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Professional Certificate

Opportunity to earn your Nonprofit Technology Professional Certificate

NONPROFIT TECHNOLOGY PROFESSIONAL CERTIFICATE

Jordan Smith

January 16, 2021

The Nonprofit Technology Professional Certificate comprises a 10 week core program covering essential competencies in technology planning and investment, digital strategy, and leadership, as well as five additional week-long courses in various areas of specialty.

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ASH SHEPHERD, Chief Program Officer
Building Connections

Connect with peers on project related topics

Monthly opportunities
Example Projects

Technology Roadmaps
CRM/Database
Website Redesign
Systems & Infrastructure
Office Hours

Drop in support sessions

Open format

At least monthly
Additional Support Opportunities (cohort specific)

- Cash Award
- Additional advisor support
- Gift a professional certificate
  - $1,000 value
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Nonprofit Technology Conference

Hybrid option (in person & online)

100+ sessions

Access to all recordings

Complimentary registration
Training Center

All content in one central location
Timelines

**Application Period**
January 23 - February 8

**Notifications by February 14**

**Cohort Sessions**
April 2024 – September 2024
Additional Questions?

Any additional question you would like to ask?
thank you