Social media was once promised as the silver bullet for nonprofits. Start posting, start tweeting, start Instagramming—and, like magic, the donations will just roll in! As we now know, this is not the case. In our current attention economy, organic (unpaid) reach is down, social media algorithms prioritize updates from friends and family over businesses and brands, and millions upon millions of pieces of content are uploaded every single day. For nonprofits to effectively raise money and build community on social media requires thoughtful, strategic, and consistent effort and a boatload of creativity.

In this workshop, social media and digital fundraising expert Julia Campbell will walk you through the secrets to successful donor relations in the digital age. Participants will also get digital access to her Storytelling in the Digital Age Workbook and a content calendar template. Participants will learn:

• How to navigate social media changes and trends — what fundraisers need to know
• How to use social media to build relationships with current donors and prospects
• How to share social media content your donors will love
• Free and low-cost tools to enhance your digital fundraising on a shoestring budget
• Real-world examples and case studies from small and mid-size nonprofits

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