



## Courageous Connections Board Member

### Local therapeutic horsemanship program seeks Board Member

**Do you love helping others, watching positive change happen in people's lives and sharing meaningful stories? If you answered yes to these questions then this volunteer opportunity is for you!**

Courageous Connections brings humans and horses together to empower participants with physical, cognitive and emotional challenges towards achieving their individual goals. In short, we create magic by bringing people from all backgrounds and walks of life together to experience the healing power of horses.

Courageous Connections is searching for an additional Board Member. Our current board of directors consists of 4 individuals with experience in program management, volunteer management, equine welfare, and social work. We are looking for at least one additional person with business, fundraising, or marketing expertise. The ideal candidate will be someone who is committed to fostering a culture of inclusivity by transforming our organization into one that is representative of the community we serve. This is a working board with quarterly board meetings and a time commitment of approximately 5 hours per week. Please let us know if you know anyone who would be interested in learning more about this opportunity.

#### **Excited and ready to take the next step??**

All the details are below and we highly suggest that you visit our website [www.courageous-connections.org](http://www.courageous-connections.org) so that you understand more about this wonderful organization you are about to be a part of. You can also get to know us via Facebook at [www.facebook.com/courageousconnections/](https://www.facebook.com/courageousconnections/)

#### **Commitment - Courageous Connections Board Member**

Approximately 5 hours per week with a minimum 2 year commitment (because we're investing in each other)

#### **Project Overview:**

This is a leadership position that enables you to play a pivotal role in expanding the efforts and reach of this amazing organization. You will work hand in hand with our dynamic team at Courageous Connections and have the opportunity to help steward leadership, business development, marketing and/or fundraising.

#### **Desired skills and qualities (What we want)**

- Strategic Planning & Leadership skills
- 3-5 years business experience
- Positivity and the ability to think outside the box
- Creativity and resourcefulness
- Mastery in marketing, fundraising and/or business skills
- Likes to lead, engage and inspire others



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- Ideal candidate will have either experience with nonprofits and or prior board experience
- Tools & Applications: MS Office, Salesforce, WIX, Cognito Forms, Donorbox & Mailchimp

### **What we offer (What you get)**

- Amazing training and immersion in a community dedicated to inclusion, diversity and kindness.
- Regular communication with the Executive Director and board members.
- Engagement with volunteers and volunteer training.
- Connection to a team dedicated volunteers who bring all their talents and abilities to further the mission and vision of Courageous Connections.
- Opportunity to participate in various facets of the business to grow your skills in a safe environment.
- The satisfaction of working for a one-of-a-kind organization that is doing incredible work promoting outdoor experiences through equine assisted learning and therapies.

If you are ready to apply, please email us directly at [volunteer@courageous-connections.org](mailto:volunteer@courageous-connections.org)