

ANCOR Foundation 2026 CEO Summit



MONDAY, NOVEMBER 9

2:00 – 5:00 PM

*Tamaya Prefunction
North*

Check-in & Registration

Settle into the high desert and cool down with regionally inspired agua frescas.

4:00 – 5:15 PM

Tamaya FGH

Welcome to What's Now

Presented by Mutual of America

A cultural welcome in the Keres language will recognize the people of Tamaya, their land, and the history of their ancestors.* Opening remarks will set the stage and invite you to bring your experience and perspective to the conversations ahead.

5:30 – 8:00 PM

Cottonwoods

A Taste of Tamaya Reception

Spend the evening surrounded by cottonwoods and enjoy the hospitality of Tamaya. Experience a traditional Pueblo greeting from members of the Tamaya community, who will present corn necklaces symbolizing friendship, prosperity, and good health.*

** Out of respect for the cultural traditions being shared, photography and video recording are not permitted during the Cultural Welcome and Pueblo Greeting.*

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 10

7:00 – 8:45 AM

Rio Grande Bar

Breakfast

Start the day over a relaxed breakfast with fresh flavors of New Mexico.

9:00 – 10:00 AM

Tamaya FGH

Keynote: Being Exquisitely Present

Presented by Kibu

Laura van Dernoot Lipsky

For nearly 40 years, Laura van Dernoot Lipsky has worked on the cumulative toll carried by people in service to others. She opens the Summit on what that toll looks like in leadership, and what it takes to stay present without losing yourself in the work.

10:15 – 11:45 AM **Morning Breakout Conversations: *The Now***

Small group conversations, facilitated by executive coaches, that take the keynote into the specifics. The things CEOs are carrying right now, put on the table with people who get it.

Eagle

The Weight You're Carrying

Facilitated by Rita Wiersma

The part of the job nobody covers in CEO onboarding. What does this work ask of you, and how do you keep it from taking too much?

Bear A

Staying True When the Mission Is a Target

Facilitated by Robert Budd

Your mission hasn't changed, but the world around it has. Where do you hold firm, where do you adapt, and how do you tell the difference?

Bear B

Unpacking the Unspoken Realities of Executive Leadership

Facilitated by Linda Timmons

The practical problems that never make a conference agenda but keep you up at night. What have you tried, and what do you wish you'd known?

12:00 – 1:00 PM

Lunch

Rio Grande Lounge

Break for a Southwest-inspired lunch in the colorful Rio Grande Lounge or outside on its mountain-view patio.

1:00 – 2:00 PM

Setting the Stage: State of the Industry

Tamaya FGH

Gabrielle Sedor, ANCOR Foundation Director

What surfaced in the morning rooms, where the field stands right now, and what that means for the conversations ahead.

2:15 – 3:30 PM

Afternoon Breakout Conversations: *The Next*

Eagle

Build or Stop Preserving

Facilitated by Rita Wiersma

Every organization is carrying something it built for a world that no longer exists. What are you protecting out of habit, and what should you be building instead?

Bear A

Who Comes After You

Facilitated by Robert Budd

A succession plan can name what happens when you leave. But does it capture what leaves with you?

Bear B

Unlearning the Crisis: Designing for the Workforce We Have

Facilitated by Linda Timmons

Rethink how culture, leadership, and organizational assumptions can support the workforce you have and shape the one you'll need.

3:45 – 5:15 PM

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Carrying It Home

Laura van Dernoot Lipsky

The Summit is over. The work is not. What will you carry forward, and what can you put down?

5:30 – 6:30 PM

The Veranda

Sunset Cocktail Hour & Hot Air Balloon

Presented by CFHS

Enjoy cocktails with a view of the Sandia Mountains and take in the sunset from a tethered hot air balloon.

6:30 – 8:00 PM

The Veranda

Dinner at Golden Hour

Presented by Tarrytown Expocare Pharmacy

Continue the evening over dinner on the Veranda, with a menu inspired by the Land of Enchantment.

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7:30 – 9:30 AM

Tamaya FGH

Breakfast & Closing Reflections

Gabrielle Sedor, ANCOR Foundation Director

Over breakfast, return to what matters right now. What shifted for you, what still needs attention, and where do we go from here?

9:30 AM -

Choose Your Own Adventure

Extending your stay? Enjoy a round at the award-winning Twin Warriors Golf Club, time at Tamaya Mist Spa, a guided nature walk, or explore the property at your own pace.