



Dear FPA of Kansas Member:

I'm excited to announce that 2025 marks the 25th anniversary for the national Financial Planning Association®. For a quarter-century, FPA has been the leading membership organization and trade association for CERTIFIED FINANCIAL PLANNER® professionals and those engaged in the financial planning process.

This year, the FPA of Kansas board is committed to increasing engagement with our long-time existing members. We are launching "Lunch Bunches" in 2025. The first one will take place on Tuesday, March 25 from 12-1 p.m. at Mediterranean Grill and will be open to all members and guests. I encourage you to join us for this casual networking and learning opportunity outside of our regularly scheduled CE events! Each person will purchase their own meal.

NexGen will remain an open door for individuals who are new to the profession. Events are scheduled for April, June, and August. If you know a student or financial planner beginning their career, please share these opportunities with them.

FPA continues to offer a one-year complimentary membership to CFP® professionals who are in their initial 12 months of certification. FPA retained 38% of the first-year CFP® certificants that joined our national organization in 2024.

Our NexGen community and the first-year CFPs continue to bring new faces to our local chapter. Each new member brings fresh perspectives, ideas, and energy that help shape the future of our organization. I ask that all of you take a moment at our 2025 events to interact with a new face. Let's work together to create a welcoming environment.

I am pleased to announce the 2025 FPA of Kansas Board of Directors:

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Mark your calendars! Please see the attached 2025 calendar of events. We have several events planned and are open to your feedback on content, time, and location to ensure you receive optimal benefit from FPA of Kansas.

In 2025, let's celebrate our history and the bright future we are creating together. I appreciate your support and look forward to seeing you soon.

Warm Regards,

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