



Table Talk for Boards

Essential Conversations | Monthly Board Training

THIRD THURSDAYS, 6:15 PM ET, 90-MINS, MONTHLY

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Build the Board Your Mission Deserves

Inspired by *The Culturally Conscious Board*, this 12-month series helps boards grow in leadership, alignment, and impact. Designed for both new and seasoned members, it offers a focused space for real-time learning, reflection, and connection—grounded in the realities boards face today.

- ✓ 12 Monthly 90-Minute Virtual Board Essentials Sessions
- ✓ Evergreen Board Skill Topics - Strategy, Succession, Reviews, Crisis
- ✓ A Growing Peer Support Circle - Committed Board Participants
- ✓ Interactive & Applied Learning Environment
- ✓ Curated Guest Experts, Case Studies & Thought Leader
- ✓ “Conversation Starters” Series - Practical Board Development Tools

Book Bundle Offer – \$60 Per Session, \$1200 Annually



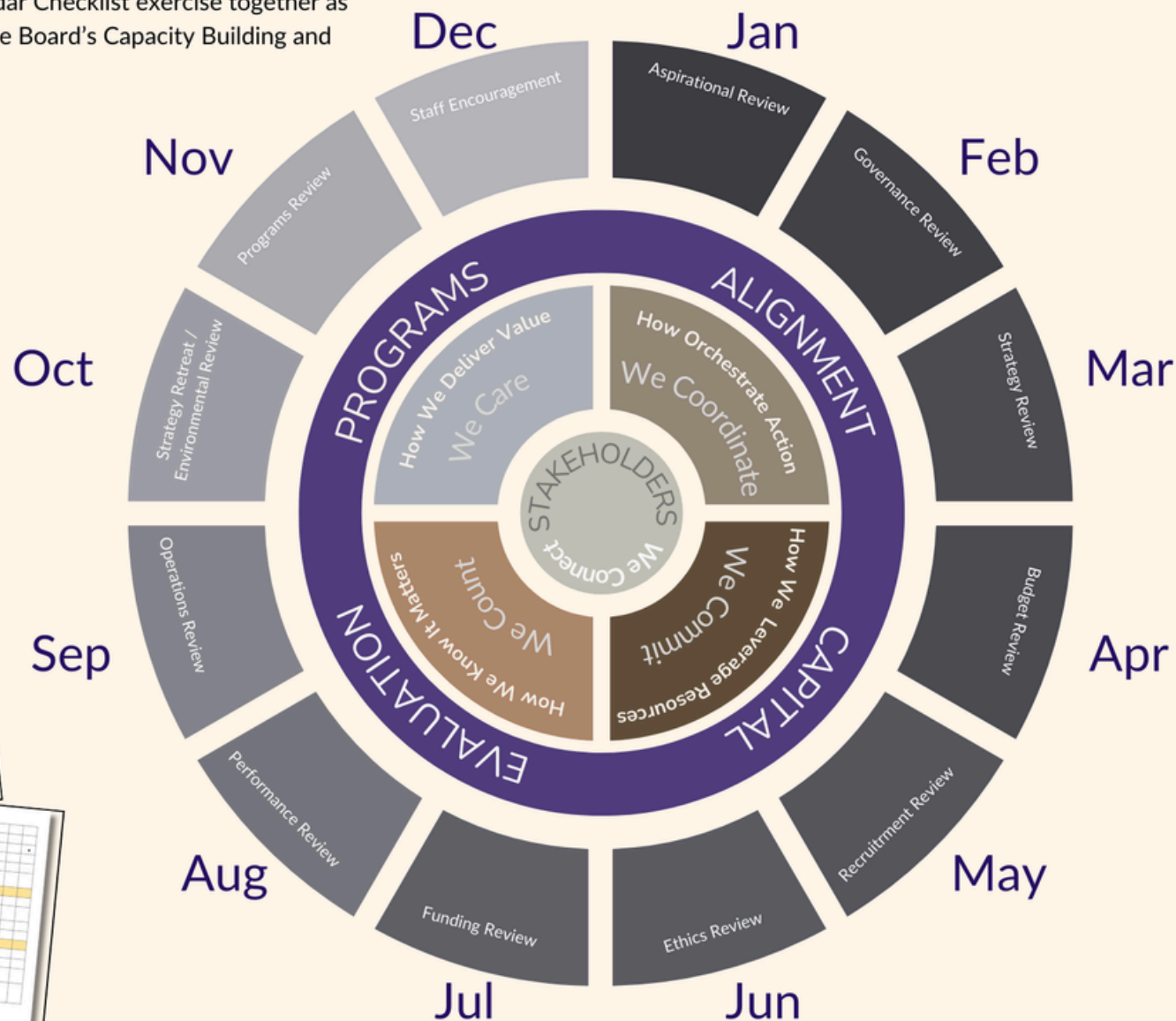
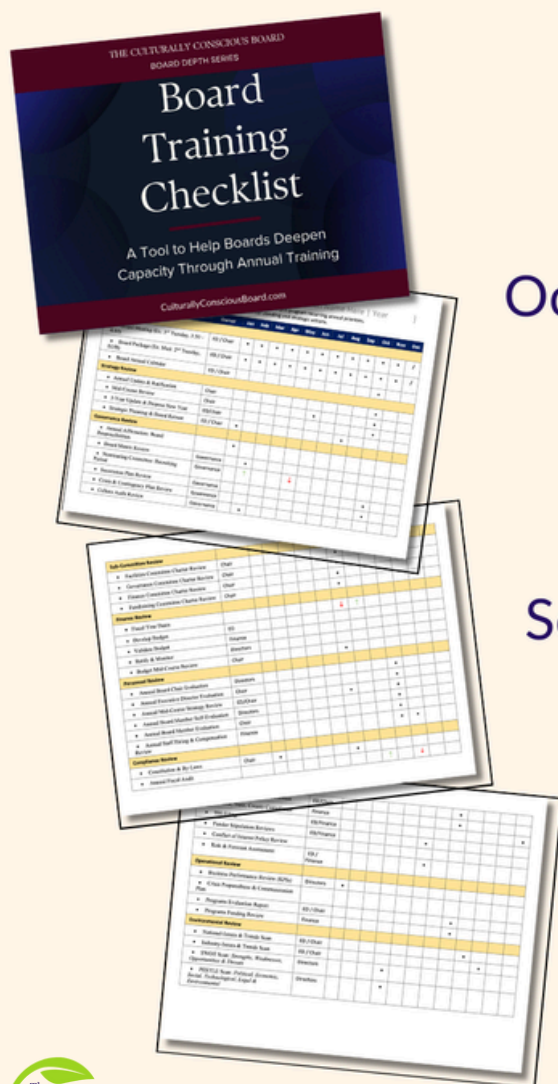
Includes:

- 12-month access to *Table Talk for Boards: Essential Conversations*.
- One author-signed copy of *The Culturally Conscious Board*.
- Access to Digital Conversation Starters Series - Fillable Tools
- Quarterly Guest Interviews with Technical Experts
- Member-exclusive discussion guides
- With Paid Membership, Bring One Member, Bring Whole Board
- BONUS: Buy One, Give One options available or under-resourced non-profits.



WORKSHEET | BOARD ANNUAL TRAINING CALENDAR

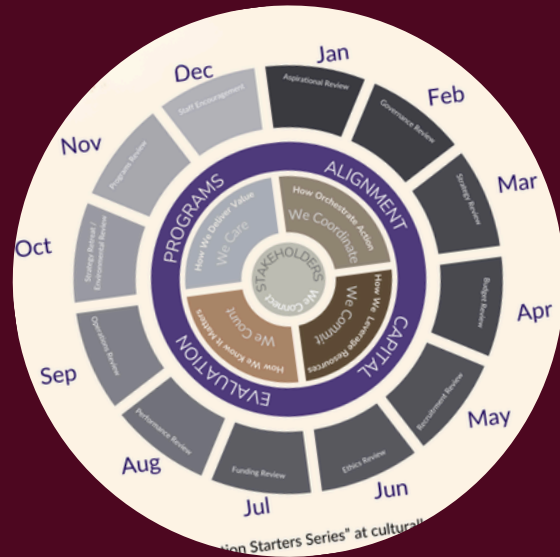
Instructions | Complete the Annual Calendar Checklist exercise together as a board. Create an Annual Calendar for the Board's Capacity Building and Strategic Oversight.



See Board "Conversation Starters Series" at culturallyconsciousboard.com

What Are the Essential Conversations?

A 12-month board training builds consistency, strategic focus and a culture of high trust. Attend on your own or bring the entire board. Sessions provide time for board members to get on the same page.



12 High Impact
Conversation
Starters, Designed
to Strengthen Your
Board Practice
Each Month.

Month

Essential Conversation Topic

January

Aspirational Review

February

Governance Review

March

Strategic Review

April

Budget Review

May

Recruitment Review

June

Ethics / Compliance Review

July

Funding Review

August

Performance Review

September

Operations Review

October

Environmental Review / Strategy Retreat

November

Programs Review

December

Staff Encouragement

An Annual Training Calendar | How's It Work?

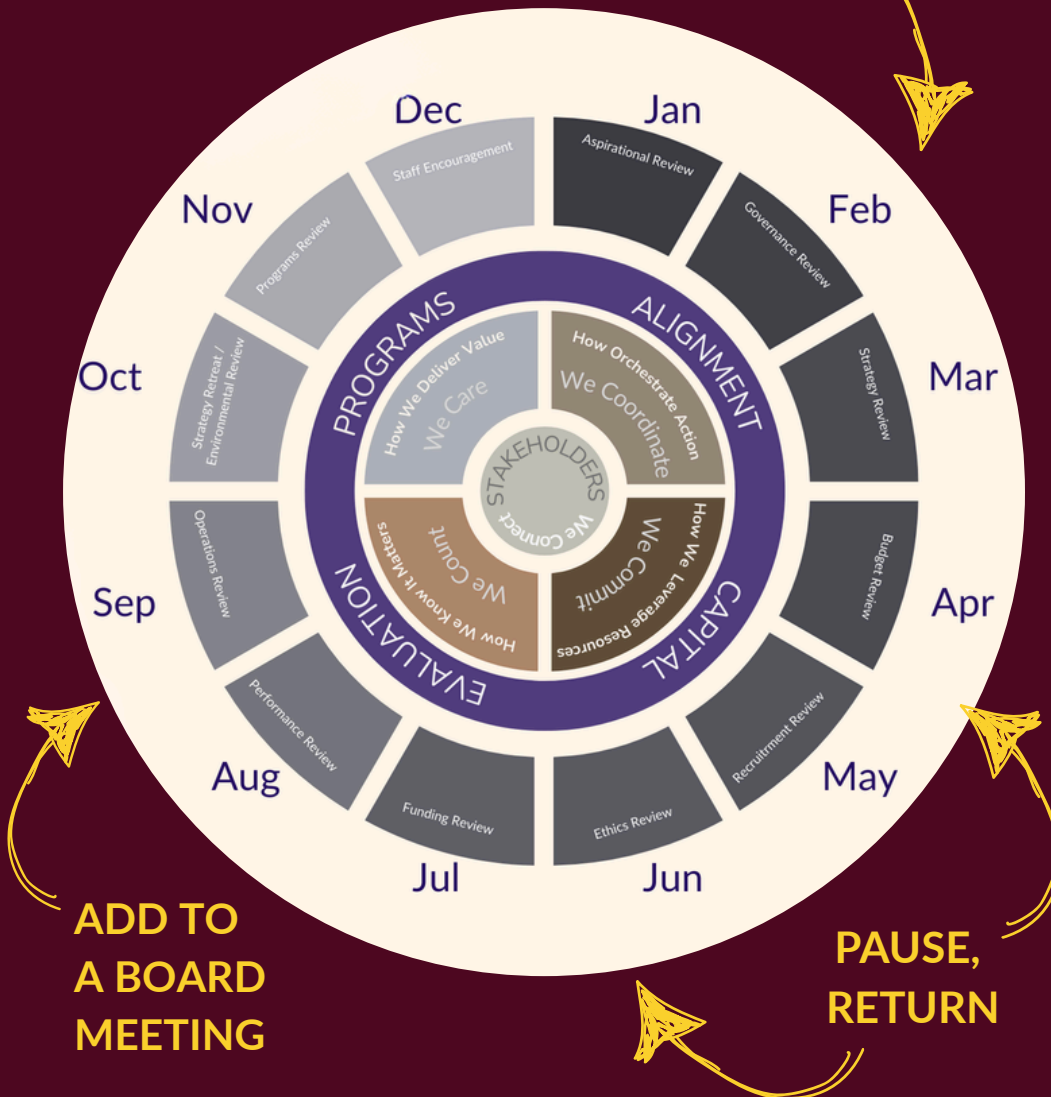
Making Board Depth a Working Capacity to Deepen Your Organization's Mission Impact.

Join at Any Time

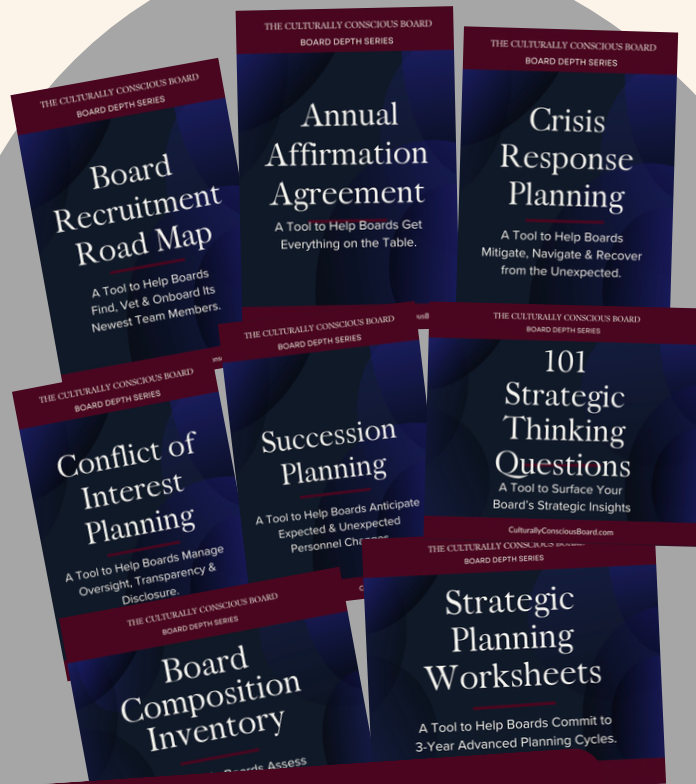
JUST-IN-TIME TRAINING, START ANYTIME

What's an Annual Training Calendar? A training calendar is a structured schedule designed to deepen the capacity of participants, such as board members and non-profit managers. It acts as a strategic tool to help members manage their responsibilities more effectively. Key features include:

- **Structured Learning:** Offers a planned approach for continuous skill development.
- **Efficiency:** Enables boards to work smarter by providing a clear learning path.
- **Timeless Topics:** Includes subjects that remain relevant throughout the year.
- **Flexibility:** Allows participants to join and progress at their own pace.
- **Continuous Improvement:** Members can repeat the cycle annually to reinforce knowledge and stay informed about new developments.



DEEPER BOARDS. ONE CONVERSATION AT A TIME.



Conversation Starters Series

Board Depth Resources

Frequently Asked Questions

Who is Table Talk for?

Board members, board chairs, executive directors - anyone tasked with board development, orientation or culture shift.

Can individual members join?

Yes. Individuals can join and bring tools back to their boards. Whole boards can register together.

What's the format of each session?

Live 90-minute Zoom sessions include facilitated exercises, tools, resource sharing, and time for Q&A or peer exchange.

Do I need to read the book to benefit?

Not at all – but the bundle includes it to support the deeper reflection the series encourages.

Can I sponsor or refer another board?

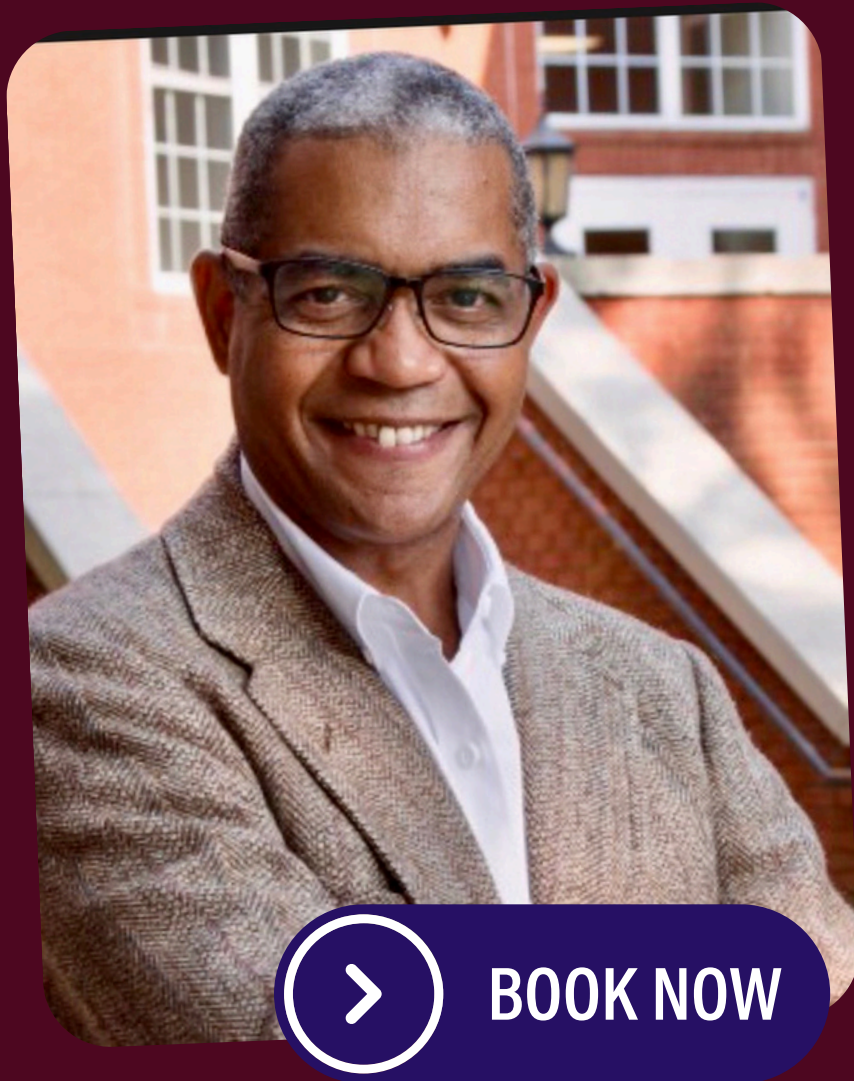
Yes! Ask us about our BOGO – Buy One, Give One sponsorship model.

Want a preview or speaker for your board?

Bring us to your next retreat or board meeting. We offer keynote talks, strategic planning facilitation, and custom support.



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- 30+ Years, OD/LD Educator.
- Strengths & Capacity Building Focus.
- Co-Author, *The Culturally Conscious Board*.



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Any Questions?



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