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## Develop a Professional Career in a Non-Profit Organization

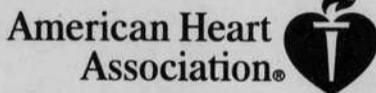
Working for a non-profit organization (and not starving)

Saturday, May 11 • 10:30 AM to 12:30 PM • EMU Century F  
 Speaker: Paul Kalil, Vice President of Corporate Development,  
 American Heart Association

Presentation topics:

- Picking the organization that is right for you, what to look for in a non-profit
- Which position fits best with your skills?
- Community Organization 101
- Working your way up within an organization/possible career track
- How much do these jobs pay?

Paul Kalil holds a University of Oregon BA in Psychology. He is an Honors College graduate and was very active in ASUO. He organized the first million dollar Heart Walk and has involved Subway Restaurants as a national sponsorship of the American Heart Walk.



To reserve a seat, call Bill at 346-7034, or email bankhead@oregon.uoregon.edu

## Saxton

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**Q:** How do you plan on helping students afford college when scholarship funding in this state is being cut?

**A:** By not cutting it. I think we have to grow the scholarship funding. It's the flip side of the tuition question. We have to make sure education is affordable for all students and I want to make sure every single Oregon student has access to a college education. That means adequate scholarship funds. It's about growing the Oregon economy so instead of 8 percent unemployment we go down to 4 percent. We'd have a lot more revenue in the state that we could deal with, and make education our top priority.

**Q:** Oregon universities are facing record enrollment rates, and at the same time funding is being cut. How do you propose Oregon Universities keep a high quality of education?

**A:** We can't keep on cutting the funding of it and expect them to keep a high quality of education. We have to look at higher education as one of the most important investments we make. It is an investment in our economy as well as an investment in our students. As we grow the economy, we have to invest more in education, and even before we grow the economy we have to treat higher education as a top priority. I think that's the right attitude.

**Q:** How do you plan on making yourself accessible to students if you're elected?

**A:** I would expect to continue visiting university campuses, I would

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expect to appoint students to serve on various boards and commissions, I would expect to regularly seek out opportunities to meet with students and I would expect to have a very aggressive and significant internship program that got students active in working in my offices.

**Q:** Do you think Oregon's education system is adequately preparing students for college?

**A:** I think there's a lot of wonderful teachers doing a good job. But we are not doing a good enough job. All around the state you have teachers who I think are doing heroic jobs to prepare students. And I think the result is: Many, many students come out of our system very well prepared. We have high SAT scores, on average, and there's a lot of things we should be proud of. So individually, many schools are doing an excellent job of educating students. But overall, we are leaving too many students behind.

**Q:** What should this state do to keep Oregon's top students at in-state colleges and universities?

**A:** It has to offer the programs that make people want to go to school here. We have to have a university system that offers the range and quality of programs that make students believe this is the place they want to choose. You can't force people to come here; you have to convince them they want to be here.

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