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Unofficial Affinity Group	Date Added	Acronym	Category	Geography Focus	Website Or Page	Group Leader(s)	Group Leader Email	Confirmed	Target	Notes:
Accounting/CPA Group			Finance			Joyce Ripianzi	jriplanzi@aafcpa.com	X		Contact Sue Stadman to receive Zoom link monthly: ssadtman@lga.cpa
ADR Professionals			Law - Arbitration			Amy Mariani	amariani@marianimmediation.com	X		ADR = Alternative Disputes Resolution (mediation arbitrators)
Aging Parents & Caregivers			Elder Care			Amy Mariani	amariani@marianimmediation.com	X		
Atlanta Coaches & Consultants			Consulting			Jeff Bartholomew	jeff@everestbusinesscoaching.com	X		
Attorney Advisory Group			Legal			Brian Le	leb@ft.newyorklife.com	X	Target: service providers, consultants, CPAs, Coaches, Insurance, investment advisors attorneys and law firms	
Bagel Boys	11.6.24		Networking & Social			Eddie Tuvin	eddietuvin@gmail.com	X	Purpose: Jewish men's kosher dining and networking group	
Bay Area IT Network		BAIT	IT		https://bayareaitgroup.com/apply/	Alex Rayter	alex@p20inc.com	X	Target: Operators of IT Services Companies such as MSPs, MSSPs, Cyber Security and Data Privacy Professionals and other related Technology trades."	Apply using the link.
Business & Benefits Consulting Group			Consulting			Dean DeGregorio	dean@oneretirementsource.com	X	Target: Business and consultants and benefits specialty consultants	
California Construction Industry Affinity Group			Construction	CA Only		Adam Wiskind	awiskind@exitstrategiesgroup.com	X	Target: Professional service providers to California Construction Companies such as CPAs, Insurance Brokers and HR as well as professionals working directly in the Construction Industry such as Architects, Interior Designers and Developers.	All meetings are virtual. Participants should be active in the California Construction Industry.
C-Squared Business Strategy Group **			Start Ups			Dr. Frumi Barr	dfrumi@scaleupadvisors.biz	X	A group for those working directly with funded startup entrepreneurs. Participants will be encouraged to proactively identify opportunities to introduce other PV members as resources. Our intention is to be collaborative, and share best practices, challenges, trends and outcomes.	** A Consultants & Coaches C-Squared Group. Must be a member of Consultants & Coaches Affinity Group to attend.
Atlanta CIGar Group - Community Interest Group about relaxation	1.10.25	CIGar	Social	Atlanta - in person		Mark Burr	mburr@smbpc.com	X	Enjoy fellowship over cigars and adult beverages in Atlanta.	
DC GovCon Affinity Group		DCGAG	Federal Government			Brian Guenther	brian@exceedcyber.io	X	Target: Members of this group work directly with Federal Government Contracting ("GovCon") firms, not the Government itself.	Must review and accept rules of engagement to be admitted.
DCM M&A			M&A			Lamont Brown	lamont@alnafinancial.com	X		
Georgia Distribution & Manufacturing Affinity Group		GDAM	Distrib & Manuf		https://go.attivoerp.com/l/967213/2023-05-10/43cx1	Marla Malkin	marla.malkin@attivoerp.com	X	Offers camaraderie & business exchange for professionals targeting Dist & Manf Industries	To sign up for the meeting send a note to marketing@attivoerp.com and say SIGN ME UP!

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Human Capital Management Group			HR			Julie Chendes & Audrey Gee	julie@nextlevelstrategies.net	X	Topics include legal updates, strategic topics such as management techniques and more tactical topics such as compensation and recruiting.	
Inclusive Leadership in a Virtual World		ILVW	Leadership		https://percipiocompany.com/inclusive-leadership-in-a-virtual-world/	Matt Cahill	info@percipiocompany.com	X	Target: Anyone that identifies as an inclusive leader and wants to learn the best practices for leading virtual teams. ILVW is guaranteed to be the most illuminating 60 minutes of your week. Referrals are a natural by-product of our gatherings.	Note: Use URL to register (only need to register once and join whenever your schedule permits).
Ladies of Las Vegas	12.2024			Las Vegas		Marcia Riner	marcia@infiniteprofitconsulting.com	X	Target: For women that do business in Las Vegas	
Life Sciences Affinity Group			Life Sciences			Kristie Prinz	kprinz@prinzwlawoffice.com	X		
National Womens Travel Club	10.2024		Travel		https://www.linkedin.com/groups/14530209/	Janice Cohen	jcohen@mutualmortgage.com	X		
Professional Marketers Network		PMN	Marketing			Katherine Hunter-Blyden	katherine.hunterblyden@techxo.com	X		
Silicon Valley Software Advisors Group 2			Tech			Kristie Prinz	kprinz@prinzwlawoffice.com	X		
Social Impact Advisory Network		SIAN	Social		https://www.socialimpactadvisornetwork.com/	Katharine Earhart & Maya Tussing	katharine@fairlightadvisors.com	X		maya@fairlightadvisors.com
Software Advisors Group			Tech			Kristie Prinz	kprinz@prinzwlawoffice.com	X		
TriState Cannabis Networking Group			Cannabis			Michael D. Schwamm	MDSchwamm@duanemorris.com	X	Target: Anyone interested in Cannabis industry in NE; meets monthly on Zoom.	
Unofficial Estate & Business Succession Affinity Group			Estate & Bus Succession			Gary Altman	gary@altmanassociates.net	m		DC Area
Unofficial Maine Group			Maine Business & Relationships			Artie Sullivan	asullivan@schooner-group.com	X		
Unofficial Podcasting Affinity Group						James Grace & Jack Wang	james.grace@silverpinecapital.com	X	Target: Companies interested in marketing and growing their business through podcasting; starting and guesting podcasts.	
Virtual Lawyers Lunch Group		VLLAG	Legal			Elizabeth Monnin-Browder, Jennifer Taddeo, Helen Holden Slottje, Jonathan White	emonnin-browder@hrwlawyers.com	X		jenn@estatewiseadvisory.com, helen@slottjelaw.com, jwhite@jordanwhitelc.com
Western US Expert Witness Networking Group	11.24	WUSEWNG	Legal - Forensic Expert Witness	West Coast & Mountain Areas		Eric Rose	eric@pinnaclepi.com	X	The mission of the "WUSEWNG" is to build community, talk about best practices, and exchange business referrals amongst its members. This mission would be accomplished through periodic Zoom based networking events. All those who have some experience as an expert witness and based in the Western US are welcome into this group.	
White Collar Crime Community Interest Group			Legal			Stephen Lee	slee@stephenleelaw.com	X		

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** These Affinity Groups are subgroups within the official Consultants & Coaches (C&C) Affinity Group. You must be a member of C&C in order to attend these subgroups. They are called C-Squared for Collaboration and Commerce, creating more ways to do commerce within C&C.
