

## The Unofficial List of Unofficial Affinity Groups\*

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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	<a href="mailto:provisorsUAG@lga.cpa">provisorsUAG@lga.cpa</a>	X		To visit, send an email request to this email: <a href="mailto:provisorsUAG@lga.cpa">provisorsUAG@lga.cpa</a>
ADR Professionals			Law - Arbitration			Amy Mariani	<a href="mailto:amariani@marianimmediation.com">amariani@marianimmediation.com</a>	X		ADR = Alternative Disputes Resolution (mediation arbitrators)
Aging Parents & Caregivers			Elder Care			Amy Mariani	<a href="mailto:amariani@marianimmediation.com">amariani@marianimmediation.com</a>	X		
Atlanta CIGar Group - Community Interest Group about relaxation	1.10.25	CIGar	Social	Atlanta - in person		Mark Burr	<a href="mailto:mburr@smbpc.com">mburr@smbpc.com</a>	X	Enjoy fellowship over cigars and adult beverages in Atlanta.	
Atlanta Coaches & Consultants			Consulting			Jeff Bartholomew	<a href="mailto:jeff@everestbusinesscoaching.com">jeff@everestbusinesscoaching.com</a>	X		
Attorney Advisory Group			Legal			Brian Le	<a href="mailto:leb@ft.newyorklife.com">leb@ft.newyorklife.com</a>	X	Target: service providers, consultants, CPAs, Coaches, Insurance, invetsment advisors attorneys and law firms	
Bagel Boys	11.6.24		Networking & Social			Eddie Tuvin	<a href="mailto:eddietuvin@gmail.com">eddietuvin@gmail.com</a>	X	Purpose: Jewish men's kosher dining and networking group	
Bay Area IT Network		BAIT	IT		<a href="https://bayareaitgroup.com/appl/y/">https://bayareaitgroup.com/appl/y/</a>	Alex Rayter	<a href="mailto:alex@p20inc.com">alex@p20inc.com</a>	X	Target: Operators of IT Services Companies such as MSPs, MSSPs, Cyber Security and Data Privacy Professionals and other related Techjnology trades."	Apply using the link.
Business & Benefits Consulting Group			Consulting			Dean DeGregorio	<a href="mailto:dean@oneretirementsources.com">dean@oneretirementsources.com</a>	X	Target: Business and consultants and benefits specialty consultants	
California Construction Industry Affinity Group			Construction	CA Only		Adam Wiskind	<a href="mailto:awiskind@exitstrategiesgroup.com">awiskind@exitstrategiesgroup.com</a>	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 whould be active in the California Construction Industry.
C-Squared Business Strategy Group **			Start Ups			Dr. Frumi Barr	<a href="mailto:drfrumi@scaleupadvisors.biz">drfrumi@scaleupadvisors.biz</a>	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.
DC GovCon Affinity Group		DCGAG	Federal Government			Brian Guenther	<a href="mailto:brian@exceedcyber.io">brian@exceedcyber.io</a>	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.

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DMV Non Profit Service Providers Monthly Meeting	4/15/25		Non Profit	DC Maryland & Virginia		Jonathan May	<a href="mailto:jmay@rosenbergmartin.com">jmay@rosenbergmartin.com</a>	X	Target: Active ProVisors members who serve nonprofits in the DC, Maryland, and Virginia (DMV) region. We meet on Zoom the 3rd Tuesday of each month from 12:00 to 1:00 PM EST, with optional pre-agenda networking beginning at 11:45 AM. It's a casual, collaborative space for sharing referrals, insights, and opportunities that help us better support nonprofit clients.	
East Bay Estate Planning & Business Succession Group	4/18/25		Estate & Succession			Bobby Ramirez	<a href="mailto:bobby.ramirez@flagstar.com">bobby.ramirez@flagstar.com</a>	X	Target: East Bay centric group of professionals who serve or support clients in the immediate area in some capacity with Estate or Business planning or succession. The group consists of Estate, Business, Family and Tax attorneys, CPAs, M&A folks, Financial Advisors, Insurance brokers of various sorts (employee benefits/life/commercial & consumer lines).  The group meets the 4th Thursday of each month from 1130a-1pm with the first 30 min being an open networking followed by a structured topic discussion by an individual or panel.	
Georgia Distribution & Manufacturing Affinity Group		GDAM	Distrib & Manuf		<a href="https://go.attivoerp.com/l/967213/2023-05-10/43cx1">https://go.attivoerp.com/l/967213/2023-05-10/43cx1</a>	Marla Malkin	<a href="mailto:marla.malkin@attivoerp.com">marla.malkin@attivoerp.com</a>	X	Offers camaradery & business exchange for professionals targeting Dist & Manf Industries	<b>To sign up for the meeting</b> send a note to <a href="mailto:marketing@attivoerp.com">marketing@attivoerp.com</a> and say SIGN ME UP!
Human Capital Management Group			HR			Julie Chendes & Audrey Gee	<a href="mailto:julie@nlshr.com">julie@nlshr.com</a>	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		<a href="https://percipiocompany.com/inclusive-leadership-in-a-virtual-world/">https://percipiocompany.com/inclusive-leadership-in-a-virtual-world/</a>	Matt Cahill	<a href="mailto:info@percipiocompany.com">info@percipiocompany.com</a>	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		Networking	Las Vegas		Marcia Riner	<a href="mailto:marcia@infiniteprofitconsulting.com">marcia@infiniteprofitconsulting.com</a>	X	Target: For women that do business in Las Vegas	
Life Sciences Affinity Group			Life Sciences			Kristie Prinz	<a href="mailto:kprinz@prinzlawoffice.com">kprinz@prinzlawoffice.com</a>	X		
Military Veterans Group	4/18/25		Veterans			Peter Hardin	<a href="mailto:peter@hardindefense.com">peter@hardindefense.com</a>	X	Target: For ProVisors members that are military veterans. We're a national group across a diverse spectrum of professions.	
National Womens Travel Club	10.2024		Travel		<a href="https://www.linkedin.com/groups/14530209/">https://www.linkedin.com/groups/14530209/</a>	Janice Cohen	<a href="mailto:jcohen@mutualmortgage.com">jcohen@mutualmortgage.com</a>	X		
Professional Marketers Network		PMN	Marketing			Katherine Hunter-Blyden	<a href="mailto:katherine.hunterblyden@techcxo.com">katherine.hunterblyden@techcxo.com</a>	X		

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She-Suite - Women Empowering Women	5/30/25		Women	Metro Portland, OR		Suzanne Hanifin	<a href="mailto:suzanne@acumenesearch.com">suzanne@acumenesearch.com</a>	X	Target: Women of Metro Portland, OR – network, support, empower and fun	
Silicon Valley Software Advisors Group 2			Tech			Kristie Prinz	<a href="mailto:kprinz@prinzlawoffice.com">kprinz@prinzlawoffice.com</a>	X		
Social Impact Advisory Network		SIAN	Social		<a href="https://www.socialimpactadvisor-network.com/">https://www.socialimpactadvisor-network.com/</a>	Katharine Earhart & Maya Tussing	<a href="mailto:katharine@fairlightadvisors.com">katharine@fairlightadvisors.com</a>	X		maya@fairlightadvisors.com
Software Advisors Group			Tech			Kristie Prinz	<a href="mailto:kprinz@prinzlawoffice.com">kprinz@prinzlawoffice.com</a>	X		
TriState Cannabis Networking Group			Cannabis			Michael D. Schwamm	<a href="mailto:MDSchwamm@duanemorris.com">MDSchwamm@duanemorris.com</a>	X	Target: Anyone interested in Cannabis industry in NE; meets monthly on Zoom.	
Unofficial Maine Home Group (Early Stage)			Maine Business & Relationships			Artie Sullivan	<a href="mailto:asullivan@schooner-group.com">asullivan@schooner-group.com</a>	X	Target: This is an early stage HOME group for professionals that do business in Maine.	
Unofficial Podcasting Affinity Group			Podcasting			James Grace & Jack Wang	<a href="mailto:james.grace@silverpinecapital.com">james.grace@silverpinecapital.com</a>	X	Target: Companies interested in marketing and growing their business through podcasting; starting and guesting podcasts.	
Western US Expert Witness Networking Group	11.24	WUSEWNG	Legal - Forensic Expert Witness	West Coast & Mountain Areas		Eric Rose	<a href="mailto:eric@pinnaclepi.com">eric@pinnaclepi.com</a>	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	<a href="mailto:slee@stephenleelaw.com">slee@stephenleelaw.com</a>	X		

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\*\* These particular 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. To become a member, attend the official Consultants & Coaches Group twice in a row and then ask for membership. Group Leader is Greg Collins.

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