



Lois Weinsaft

ESC Consultant Since: 2015

Education:

MSW with Concentration in Community Organization Planning and Administration, University of Southern California
MA in Jewish Communal Service Hebrew Union College
Federation Executive Recruitment and Education Program, Council of Jewish Federations
BS in Psychology, University of Illinois

AREAS OF EXPERTISE: Coaching, Board Development, Strategic Planning, Organizational Structure, Fundraising, Planning, Personnel Management

NONPROFIT PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE: Lois has dedicated the majority of her career to the non-profit community. Most recently, Lois was Interim Executive Director for Jewish World Watch, where she managed the Board of Directors, the staff, fiscal administration, grant making and financial resource development. Prior to this, Lois served as Senior Vice President of International Affairs for the Jewish Federation of Los Angeles, where she worked in several capacities including strategic planning, allocations, grant management, staff supervision and donor cultivation. Some of Lois' additional areas of expertise are community development, program development, public relations, and leadership development.

She was also the Director of Government Relations at UCLA for six years, where she directed UCLA's state legislative relations, public policy issue management and volunteer alumni advocacy program.

FOR-PROFIT AND GOVERNMENT EXPERIENCE: Lois is currently providing consulting to a real estate business in Romania.

NONPROFIT VOLUNTEER EXPERIENCE: Lois served as the President of Jewish Communal Professionals of Southern California and continues to serve on its Executive Committee. She has also been involved with the Board of her Home Owners Association.

EXAMPLES OF ESC CLIENTS: Wells Fargo Executive Directors Leadership Institute (Student Debt Crisis)

INTERESTS: Politics, adult Jewish education, reading, cooking, the beach, travel