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Nav Nagra, a dedicated arts sector volunteer, received an exciting opportunity her inbox – a board role with the Vancouver Art/Book Fair. She took the leap into this board position in early 2018, leveraging her passion for the sector together with her writing skills. Now 6 months into her role, Nav shares tips to find a great board role, prepare for your first board meeting, and how to contribute as a new board member.

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Gordon Holley, President and CEO of Humanity Financial Management, brings his expertise as a CPA, CA, and Certified Professional Bookkeeper Fellow to this month's podcast. He provides clarity on how to distinguish between financial governance, financial management, and financial reporting – and why it's important to see the differences. Come away from this podcast with a foundational understanding of each topic, and ideas on how to strengthen each area in your organization!

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[From our Vantage Point Episode 37 - Reconciliation: Urban Indigenous Engagement](#)

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As a non-Indigenous organization, Vantage Point has continued to explore appropriate ways to engage with Reconciliation efforts. Kevin Barlow, CEO of the Metro Vancouver Aboriginal Executive Council (MVAEC), joins us for this month's podcast to discuss the topic of Urban Indigenous Engagement.

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[**From our Vantage Point Episode 36 - Onboarding: Successful Starts for New and Returning Staff**](#)

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Matt Corker, Co-Founder of the Corker Co shares onboarding strategies for both new and returning team members. He shares some great tips that include both straightforward and out of the box approaches! Listen to the full podcast for ideas to integrate at your organization – as well as best practices for the first week of onboarding!

[Read more about From our Vantage Point Episode 36 - Onboarding: Successful Starts for New and Returning Staff](#)
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[**From our Vantage Point Episode 35: BC Societies Act Financial Reporting Requirements**](#)

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For our 35th episode, we delve into the financial reporting requirements under the new BC Societies Act. Maria Turnbull interviews Chris Adams-Brush, Accounting Manager at Enkel, a bookkeeping firm offering high-end bookkeeping services to small and medium-sized organizations.

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[**From our Vantage Point Episode 34: Top Tips for Charitable Receipting**](#)

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With Manning Elliott partners Navroz Janmohamed and Catherine Miller in the studio, our podcast host Maria Turnbull realized just how much she still has to learn about charitable receipting!

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[**From our Vantage Point Episode 32 - Personal Goal-Setting and Self-Awareness**](#)

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This month, Vantage Point's Executive Director, Denise Baker, brings forward examples of her personal self-awareness journey throughout her career. She highlights how self-awareness comes from an understanding of our individual strengths, motivations, and values. Personal goal-setting is a valuable learning process. When we have a deeper sense of self awareness, we can more successfully support ourselves and our teams!

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[From our Vantage Point Episode 31 - Winning Capital Campaigns](#)

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Esther Jang joins us from Global Philanthropic, an international fundraising consultancy, to share recommendations for developing and executing capital campaigns.

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An inspiring pair of performance arts leaders join Maria this month to share reflections from their experience in partnering, as staff and board, to drive Boca del Lupo's evolution.

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[From our Vantage Point Episode 29 - Tips for New Executive Directors: the first 100 days](#)

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This month, we speak with Mark Gifford on how to successfully navigate the first 100 days of an executive director position. Listen in for pro-tips such as: bring baked goods to board meetings! Mark Gifford, Executive Director of Kiwassa Neighbourhood House, shares insights from his long career in the sector and his new adventure in the first 9 months of this role.

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