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Ann Lucas brings a unique blend of talents to her clients in the nonprofit sector, providing more than 25 years of experience in counseling organizations to reach their highest potential.

As Principal of Nonprofit Strategies Ann consults on capital and major gift campaigns, facilitates strategic planning processes, reviews grant making strategies, develops fundraising plans, and delivers presentations on major gifts, strategic planning, board governance, strategic alliances, and building productive teams. Clients include local foundations, community colleges, state-wide associations, and community-based organizations across a broad spectrum of subsectors.

Ann was Vice President of Lester Consulting Group from 2011 to 2017 and was the Executive Director of the Nonprofit Resource Center in Sacramento, California from 2006 to 2011. Prior to moving to California, Ann served as a director at the Mandel Center for Nonprofit Organizations at Case Western Reserve University in Cleveland, Ohio.

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