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Central Arts Alliance Welcomes La Nise Hagan as New Board Chair

The Central Alliance Board of Directors has announced the appointment of La Nise Hagan as its new Board Chair

Phoenix, AZ — March 12, 2025 —Central Arts Alliance is pleased to announce the appointment of La Nise Hagan as the new Board Chair of Phoenix Center for the Arts. With a distinguished career in human resources leadership and a lifelong passion for the arts, La Nise brings a strategic vision and deep commitment to fostering inclusive and dynamic creative spaces.

As a Chief Human Resources Officer, La Nise has played a pivotal role in scaling HR organizations and driving transformational change within both major corporations and nonprofit organizations. Her expertise in building inclusive workplace cultures and inspiring teams makes her a valuable leader in advancing Phoenix Center for the Arts' mission.

Often referred to as the 'glue' that maintains order amid chaos, La Nise has the leadership ability and gravitas to advance initiatives in turbulent times, combined with the cultural agility to respond quickly to changing economic and political landscapes.

"I am honored to step into this role and support Phoenix Center for the Arts in its mission to make the arts accessible to all," said La Nise Hagan. *"Art has the power to transform lives, and I am excited to contribute to an organization that fosters creativity and community."*

As she begins her tenure as Board Chair, La Nise is eager to champion initiatives that expand arts programming, enhance community engagement, and strengthen the Center's impact throughout Phoenix.

Please join us in welcoming La Nise Hagan to Phoenix Center for the Arts!

For media inquiries or to learn more about Phoenix Center for the Arts' mission and upcoming initiatives, please contact Jasmine Dawson.

About Phoenix Center for the Arts:

Phoenix Center for the Arts provides arts and culture opportunities for all through education, programming, and advocacy. The Center strives to be the premier provider of arts and cultural experiences that improve, stimulate, and unite the communities we serve.