

“What success does is provide you with the ability to concentrate on other things that really matter. And that is being able to make a difference, not only in your own life, but in other people's lives.”

~ Oprah Winfrey

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Many us at the Urban Financial Services Coalition (UFSC) have had the pleasure of experiencing the power of Ms. Winfrey's words in the last few months. We invite you to join us if you have not already!

The UFSC, with it's network of collaborative organizations, is a ready-made platform that anyone with just about any circumstances can plug into to make a real difference.

By the way, the payback is huge...

In the month of June, we participated in an excellent Industry Mixer at Maxwells Lounge and Restaurant in Oakland, California. Among the visitors were persons from the Investment/ Securities arena, Banking, Government Regulatory, Other Professional Organization Leaders and Business Owners. There was a lot of networking and exciting contacts were exchanged for information, etc!

Our International organization conducted an exciting International Convention in Kansas City, Mo. in the month of June! There were delegates from across the United States and from Canada and the Caribbean. Additionally, we continue to access our national contacts in the private consulting industry and are providing many valuable services to our members such as national teleconference forums for training and best practices updates. This has allowed our members to gain additional information that they can bring back to their organizations to be more effective.

In July and currently, we are in the midst of a joyful collaborative work in Youth Financial Workshop teaching. We are on track to work with 455 youth in the year 2010! Our volunteers who are participating in personally working with young people include everyone from Securities Analysts to seasoned 35 year International Banking Consultants! With all the negative news in the

media about youth, we are happy to be hearing great responses from our members who are volunteering in touching these young folks!

We hope to see you at our September event and wish you a great rest of the summer!

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