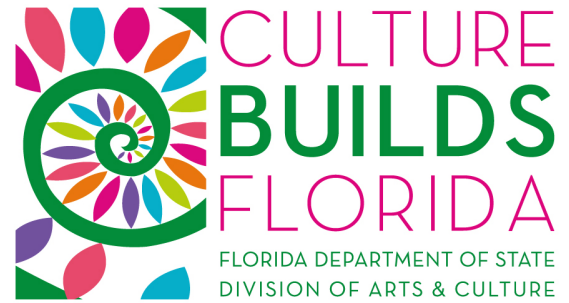


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Panelist Bios



Sarah Cole **Hillsborough County**

- CEO, Glazer Children's Museum, Tampa, Florida
- Previously, Vice President of Guest Experience, Adler Planetarium; Adjunct Instructor, Kent State University; Director of Visitor Experience – Natural History, Carnegie Museums of Pittsburgh; and Director of Education, Glazer Children's Museum
- M.A., Museum Studies, Indiana University-Purdue University and B.S., Biology, Butler University

Daryl DeBerry **Pinellas County**

- Retired Museum Professional
- Previously, Development Director, Museum of Fine Arts, St. Pete; Major Gifts Officer, Bayfront Health Foundation; Director of Development, Great Explorations Children's Museum; and Director Admissions and Communications, Canterbury School

Joan Friedman **St. Lucie County**

- Executive Director, Heathcote Botanical Gardens, Fort Pierce, Florida
- Previously, Development Director, Boys & Girls Club of St. Lucie County and Project Director, CHI Health, Project Director, Tobacco Prevention, Nebraska
- Raised over \$1.5 million in state and federal funds throughout her career
- University of Massachusetts Amherst, Tobacco Treatment Specialist Training Program and certification from Grant Writing USA

Vinnie Luisi
Pinellas County

- Executive Director, Dunedin Museum, Dunedin, Florida
- Previously, Supervisor of the Nassau County Museum System, Curator, Tampa Bay History Museum
- Member of County Preservation Task Force and currently committee member, Past- President of the Florida Association of Museums, member of the Dunedin Historic Preservation task committee, and member of the Arts and Cultural Committee of Dunedin and served as the City Historian for over 15 years.
- Published several books on the History of Pinellas County, History of Dunedin, Railroad History of Pinellas County, Baseball in Tampa Bay, and the New York Yankees the first 25 years.
- M.A., Museum Studies, University of Denver and B.A., State University in Oneonta and Cooperstown, New York

Hunter O'Hanian
Broward County

- Executive Director, Stonewall National Museum and Archives, Fort Lauderdale, Florida
- Previously, Vice President of Institutional Advancement, Massachusetts College of Art and Design; Executive Director and Chief Executive Officer, College Art Association; founding Director, Leslie-Lohman Museum of Gay and Lesbian Art; President, Anderson Ranch Arts Center; and Director, Fine Arts Work Center in Provincetown
- J.D., Suffolk University Law School and B.A., Political Science and Studio Arts, Boston College

Hillary Spencer
Manatee County

- Chief Executive Officer, The Bishop Museum of Science and Nature, Bradenton, Florida
- Previously, Adjunct Faculty, Brooklyn College; Chief Executive Officer and President, The Children's Museum of the Upstate; Director, Nomad Exhibitions; and Assistant Director, Global Business Development and Director, Traveling Exhibitions Operations, American Museum of Natural History
- Treasurer and Board Member, International Committee for Exhibition Exchange, International Council of Museums
- Ed.D., Educational Leadership, Xavier University of Louisiana; M.A., Art History, Brooklyn College; B.A., Art and Art History, Agnes Scott College; Museum Leadership Institute, NextGen 2016 Executive Education Program

Michael Zaidman
Broward County

- Senior Corporate Archivist, JM Family Enterprises, Deerfield Beach, Florida
- Previously, Senior Archival Administrator, The Jim Moran Foundation; Curator, Loxahatchee River Historical Society; and Director & Curator, National Museum of Roller Skating
- M.F.A., Museum Studies and B.F.A., Graphic Design, University of Nebraska-Lincoln