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ProgressNow Colorado has hosted several IVLP groups, particularly ones focused on NGO management. They are Colorado's largest multi-issue education and advocacy organization. PNC has members in every county in the state and can localize issues to mobilize citizens and generate media. They have built an email list that exceeds 4 million people and have generated thousands of news stories in local, state, and national press. They also push for the use of social technologies and new media.

“ProgressNow Colorado has had a long and fruitful relationship with World Denver in the five years that I've been Executive Director. I've had the opportunity to meet with delegations from Asia, South America and Europe, and have always found the conversations exhilarating, interesting, and eye-opening. In fact, I still keep in touch with a few of the visitors I met through World Denver about authoritarianism, drug laws and treatment and recovery, and international LGBTQIA+ rights to this day. The free exchange of ideas is a bedrock democratic value, and having had the opportunity to meet so many interesting and accomplished individuals through this unique program has enriched my life and our experiences as a nonprofit organization in Colorado.”

**- IAN SILVERII,
EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR**