

Anne Vor der Bruegge, Director of Grants and Initiatives

Arlington Community Foundation

Anne Vor der Bruegge leads Arlington Community Foundation's economic mobility initiatives, grantmaking, and other programmatic and policy work. She has 35 years of local nonprofit leadership experience in Washington, DC and Arlington, VA. Prior positions have included Director of Programs at Jubilee Jobs in Washington DC; Director of Healthy Families Arlington, Northern VA Family Service; Director of the Arlington Partnership for Children, Youth and Families; and Coordinator of the Carlin Springs Full Service Community School.

In 2014, Anne joined the Community Foundation to expand its community impact through its leadership initiatives. There, she convenes local government, nonprofits, and the business community to take action to ensure Arlington's lowest income residents are not displaced due to affordability pressures, policy failures and systems barriers. She is leading multiple ACF demonstration pilots including: the Arlington Bridges Out of Poverty systems reform initiative; Shared Prosperity pilots to innovate on deeply affordable housing, childcare, and workforce opportunities, as well as Arlington's Guarantee, providing monthly guaranteed income to 200 vulnerable households. She has also served on the leadership teams for Destination 2027-- Arlington's equity initiative, the Arlington Child Care Initiative and the Community Progress Network. Anne has a Masters in Planning and Community Development from the University of Virginia and is a graduate of Leadership Arlington. She has a long-standing and very personal commitment to those who are discouraged due to poverty, unemployment, and homelessness.