



**The Educational and Charitable Foundation**  
Corporate Partners Program

*Empowering our community for a brighter tomorrow through education, service and global partnerships.*

**The Educational and Charitable Foundation (ECF)** provides academic achievement programs and scholarships, advances culture and civic engagement, enhances economic empowerment and promotes health, wellness and social welfare throughout Fairfax County and Northern Virginia communities through its partnerships and strategic alliances.

**ECF partners with numerous organizations to empower our community for a brighter tomorrow through education, service and philanthropy.**

For 20 years, the Educational and Charitable Foundation has offered transformative and sustainable programs in Northern Virginia. Through our network of community partnerships, we have supported numerous strategic initiatives and programs, including the American Cancer Society Relay for Life, Stop Hunger Now, Food for Others, Women Giving Back, and the Rev. Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. Day of National Service which included Sunday Supper, Snack Pack Donation, Transitional Housing, and Homeless Outreach.



ECF Scholarships provide an opportunity and make a real difference in the lives of our student recipients, their families, and our nation as our recipients take the knowledge they gain and put it to use in countless communities and industries.

The Educational and Charitable Foundation, a federally designated 501(c)3 organization, was established in 2001 by the Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority, Incorporated®, Lambda Kappa Omega (LKO) Chapter.



## The Legacy Scholarship Campaign

The Educational and Charitable Foundation can help companies achieve their philanthropic goals through sponsorship and other corporate social responsibility initiatives.

In support of its mission to provide scholarships to college-bound students, ECF has established the Legacy Scholarship Campaign. Through the Legacy Scholarship Campaign Corporate Program, donors can create a lasting legacy of giving through a named scholarship that will be awarded annually or in perpetuity.

-  Invest in an unrestricted \$2,000 scholarship or \$5,000 restricted scholarship (Minimum investment and specify institution or course of study)
-  Establish a Memorandum of Agreement, including payment schedule

### **Legacy Campaign corporate partner benefits include:**

-  Supporting a student pursuing a course of study that is important to your company
-  Receiving updates on the scholarship recipient's progress

- Receiving a 100% tax deductible acknowledgement
- Participating in the ECF scholarship and enrichment programs
- Tickets and branding visibility at the premier event, ECF Book Signing and Scholarship Announcement Ceremony

For more information on how you can make a difference through the Legacy Scholarship Campaign, contact us at [ecfvicepresident@ec-foundation.org](mailto:ecfvicepresident@ec-foundation.org).



**ECF Scholar**

*"I know you have blessed many students by giving them a chance to reach their educational goals. This scholarship will do the same for me. I have worked hard to get to this point in my dream of being an engineer. I am incredibly grateful for your support and help with this scholarship. Thank you."*

**Kenneth H. Clark, III**  
North Carolina A&T University, Mechanical Engineering

## ECF Community Investment & Impact Program

Community Investment & Impact Program encourages partnerships and investments to assist Virginia Fairfax County, Loudoun County or Prince William County organizations for a specific education, human service or social justice programs or projects. ECF Community Investment and Impact Program grants are awarded without regard to gender, race, creed, age, sexual orientation, ethnicity, or disability.

ECF's Community Investment & Impact Program supports programmatic resources and services in four strategic areas of focus:

- Academic Achievement & STEM Enrichment
- Economic Empowerment & Global Impact
- Culture Engagement
- Health, Wellness and Social Welfare

Our team welcomes the opportunity to work with community partners to develop sponsorship packages that meet community needs, while ensuring the interests of our corporate partners. Initiatives can be developed for joint volunteer and service project opportunities. Additionally, corporate partners have visibility opportunities through joint public awareness and social media campaigns and event speaking engagements, including ECF's signature event, the Annual Book Signing and Scholarship Announcement Ceremony. A minimum investment of \$2,000 and a Memorandum of Agreement are required to participate in the Community Investment & Impact Program.

Contact us to learn more about the benefits of corporate sponsorship at [ecfvicepresident@ec-foundation.org](mailto:ecfvicepresident@ec-foundation.org).

### 2022 CORPORATE GIVING LEVELS

Ivy League Up to \$99	Mention in Presidents Report
Emerald League \$100-\$499	Mention in Presidents Report and ECF website
Pink Diamonds \$500-\$999	Mention in Presidents Report, website and program/event specific promotions
Pearl Society \$1000+	Mention in Presidents Report, website and program/event specific promotion Preferred Seating at an ECF Signature Event
President's Circle \$5,000	Mention in Presidents Report, website and program/event promotion(s) Preferred Seating at an ECF Signature Event Speaker at the ECF Book Signing and Scholarship Celebration

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