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CHICAGO LOOP ALLIANCE FOUNDATION'S

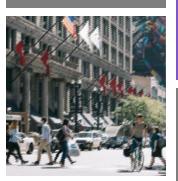
# **2019 ILLUMINATION GALA**

# ABOUT CHICAGO LOOP ALLIANCE

Chicago Loop Alliance creates, manages and promotes highperforming urban experiences, attracting people and investment to Chicago's Loop neighborhood.





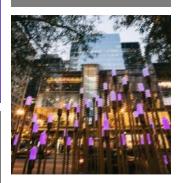


# PROJECTS & PROGRAMS

Four program areas provide overall structure and direction for Chicago Loop Alliance.

- Enhanced Services
- Planning & Advocacy
- Placemaking & Management
- Economic Development









#### CHICAGO LOOP ALLIANCE FOUNDATION

The Chicago Loop Alliance Foundation is a 501(c)(3) affiliate organization that pushes the limits of what a downtown can be for its residents, workers and visitors.

The Foundation seeks to enrich the Loop's public spaces through artistic expression and free cultural programing. By building a connection between people and the places they share, the Foundation creates an environment that fosters creativity, enhances the Loop's appeal to the people, and celebrates the Downtown as everybody's neighborhood.



#### **ILLUMINATION GALA**

The Annual Illumination Gala gathers more than 500 supporters for a celebration of the Loop's rich cultural amenities and its continued transformation due to the work of the Chicago Loop Alliance Foundation and its partners.

The Gala offers an evening of dinner, drinks and live entertainment while raising funds to support the Foundation's artistic and cultural projects and programs.

# **AUDIENCE**

Over 500 business, civic and cultural leaders attend the Gala. Nearly all Members of CLA's Board of Directors participate either with sponsorships, tables, or tickets. Attendees work in the Loop and reside in the city of Chicago. They range in age from 25 – 65.

The majority of attendees are Executive level decision makers and leaders within their organizations. Many hold Community Affairs, Business Development and Marketing titles.







# 2018 SPONSORS & TABLES

#### **SPONSORS**

Pressure Washing Systems BrightView Landscaping GEMS World Academy Chicago Bannerville USA

#### **VIP TABLESPONSORS**

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#### **TABLE SPONSORS**

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# PAST SPONSORS

















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## WHY SPONSOR?

Align Your Brand with CLA

As an Illumination Gala Sponsor, you will gain prominent recognition among customers in the central business district, associate your brand with a positive civic cause, and reach a desirable audience of Chicago Loop Alliance Members and key stakeholders in the Loop.









# ALL SPONSORS RECEIVE:

Recognition in event invitation

Distribution: 1,500 print and 7,000 email

Logo recognition in event program

Distribution: 500+ print

On-site logo recognition, including recognition from podium, decor and on-screen logo placement during program

Invitation to Welcome Reception

Reserved table seating and invitation to VIP After-Party

*Value:* \$5,500

Inclusion in all press materials and outreach for event

Logo recognition in CLA's Annual Report

Distribution: 3,000







# Sponsorship Opportunities

Chicago Loop Alliance Foundation is excited to work with your organization to design a pricing structure, benefits and programming that suits your individual corporate and community interests.

PRESENTING SPONSOR: \$30,000 (SOLD)

COCKTAIL RECEPTION SPONSOR: \$10,000

DESSERT SPONSOR: \$10,000

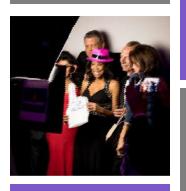
ENTERTAINMENT SPONSOR: \$7,500

VIP AFTER-PARTY SPONSOR: \$7,500

PROGRAM SPONSOR: \$5,000















#### **COCKTAIL RECEPTION SPONSOR \$10,000**

- Exclusive recognition as Chicago Loop Alliance Foundation 15th Annual Gala Cocktail Reception Sponsor
- Logo recognition in event invitation and designation as the Cocktail Reception Sponsor
- Logo recognition in event program and designation as the Cocktail Reception Sponsor
- On-site logo recognition, including recognition from podium, decor and on-screen logo placement during program
- Invitation to sponsor Welcome Reception for you and ten (10) guests
- Reserved table seating and invitation to VIP After-Party for ten (10) guests (value: \$5,500)
- Opportunity to incorporate branding into décor elements at the Cocktail Reception
- Dedicated e-blast to CLA's member list (distribution: 700+)
- Logo recognition in CLA's Annual Report









## DESSERT SPONSOR \$10,000

- Exclusive recognition as Chicago Loop Alliance Foundation 15th Annual Gala Dessert Reception Sponsor
- Logo recognition in event invitation and designation as Dessert Reception Sponsor
- On-site logo recognition, including recognition from podium, decor and on-screen logo placement during program
- Invitation to sponsor Welcome Reception for ten (10) guests
- Reserved table seating and invitation to VIP After-Party for ten (10) guests (value: \$5,500)
- Opportunity to incorporate branding into dessert presentation
- Dedicated e-blast to CLA's member list (distribution: 700)
- Logo recognition in CLA's Annual Report









### ENTERTAINMENT SPONSOR \$7,500

- Exclusive recognition as Chicago Loop Alliance Foundation 15th Annual Gala Entertainment Sponsor
- Logo recognition in event invitation and designation as the Entertainment Sponsor
- Logo recognition in event program and designation as the Entertainment Sponsor
- On-site logo recognition, including recognition from podium, decor and on-screen logo placement during program
- Invitation to sponsor Welcome Reception for you and ten (10) guests
- Reserved table seating and invitation to VIP After-Party for ten (10) guests (value: \$5,500)
- Opportunity to incorporate branding into event programing, décor and performances
- Dedicated e-blast to CLA's member list (distribution: 700)
- Logo recognition in CLA's Annual Report









### VIP AFTER PARTY SPONSOR \$7,500

- Exclusive recognition as Chicago Loop Alliance Foundation 15th Annual Gala VIP After Party Sponsor
- Logo recognition in event invitation and designation as VIP After Party Sponsor
- On-site logo recognition, including recognition from podium, decor and on-screen logo placement during program
- Invitation to sponsor Welcome Reception for you and ten (10) guests
- Reserved table seating and invitation to VIP After-Party for ten (10) guests (value: \$5,500)
- Logo recognition on signage at VIP After-Party
- Dedicated e-blast to CLA's member list (distribution: 700)
- Logo recognition in CLA's Annual Report









#### PROGRAM SPONSOR \$5,000

- Exclusive recognition as Chicago Loop Alliance Foundation 15th Annual Gala Program Sponsor
- Full page, color ad in event program and designation as Program Sponsor (distribution: 500 print to gala attendees)
- On-site logo recognition, including recognition from podium and on-screen logo placement during program
- Invitation to sponsor Welcome Reception for two (2) guests
- Reserved seating and invite to VIP After-Party for for two (2) guests (value: \$1,100)
- Logo recognition in CLA's Annual Report (distribution: 3,000)

#### **OTHER OPPORTUNITES**

#### TABLE + VIP AFTER PARTY | \$5,500

- Preferred table seating for ten guests
- Name recognition on Gala invitation\*
- Logo recognition in the Gala program book and Annual Report\*
- Entry for ten guests to VIP After-Party

#### TABLE | \$3,750

- Reserved table seating for ten guests
- · Name recognition on Gala invitation\*
- Name recognition in the Gala program book and Annual Report\*

#### TICKET + VIP AFTER PARTY | \$550

- Preferred table seating for one guest
- Entry for one guest to the VIP After-Party

#### **TICKET | \$375**

· Preferred table seating for one guest

#### PROGRAM BOOK ADVERTISEMENT | \$500

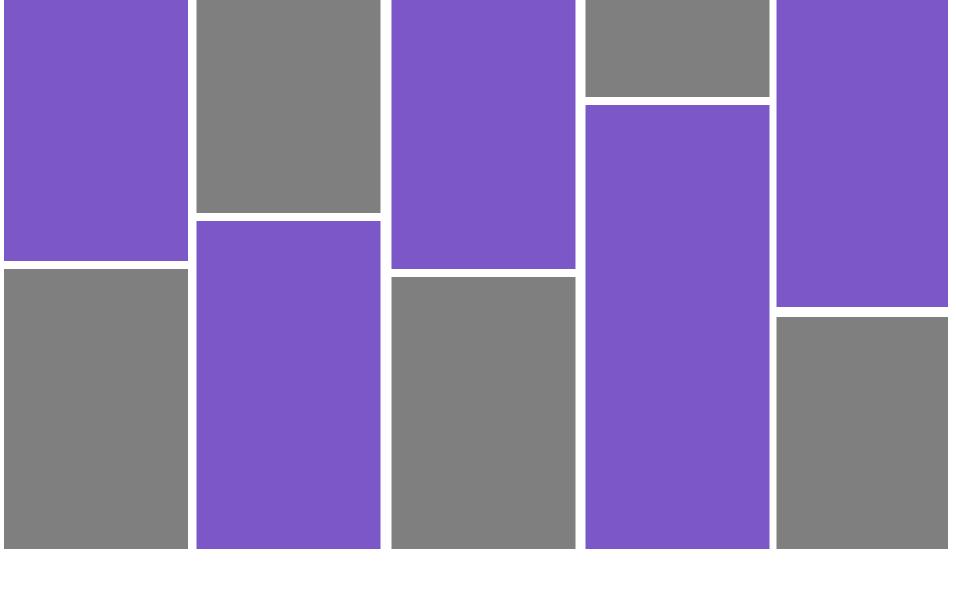
• Black and white, ½ page ad in the Gala Program Book Distribution: 500 Gala Attendees







<sup>\*</sup>Your reservation form must be submitted by Friday, June 21 to be included in the invitation.



# WE ARE EXCITED TO ANNOUNCE



6,30-11,00PM
HILTOTI CHICAGO
720 SOUTH MICHIGATI AVETIUE
INVITATION TO FOLLOW

PRESENTING SPONSOR





The Chicago Loop Alliance Foundation, a 501 (c)(3) corporation, develops, supports, and promotes artistic, cultural, and public events that benefit businesses, individuals, and stakeholders within areas served by Chicago Loop Alliance including Special Service Area 1-2015.