



latino empowerment outreach network

PLEASE JOIN US

FOR THE LEON AWARDS GALA

Presented by
Latino Empowerment Outreach Network – LEON
Honoring Outstanding Hispanic Leaders & Supporters in Ohio

Our organization is pleased once again to host the LEON Awards Gala on **Friday, October 11, 2013 at the Hilton Columbus Downtown**, 401 North High Street, Columbus, Ohio, 43215. We know it takes many leaders to build inclusive communities and our event will recognize both – our leaders and those friends who promote collaboration, service and empowerment among the Hispanic/Latino communities throughout Ohio.

Furthermore, LEON is honored to include as part of our Awards Gala the presentation of the Distinguished Hispanic Ohioan Awards, a recognition presented by the Ohio Commission on Hispanic/Latino Affairs to honor the accomplishments of Hispanic/Latino people of Ohio. This recognition falls in line with a number of the statutory directives of the Commission: to develop, coordinate and assist other private organizations that serve Spanish-speaking people, as well as to secure appropriate recognition of the accomplishments and contributions of Spanish-speaking people to this state. R.C. 121.32 (B) and (D). The awards recognize individuals, military service men and women, and organizations of the Hispanic/Latino community for their contributions to the people and State of Ohio.

The LEON Awards gala will draw Hispanic community leaders and supporters, legislators, and distinguished state government officials. This gala will provide an excellent opportunity to network among these groups and to highlight initiatives your organization and company may have which reach out to Hispanics and diverse communities.

We hope you will consider supporting the event through your attendance and as a sponsor. Several sponsorship packages are enclosed for your review. LEON is an approved 501c3 organization and is eligible to receive tax-deductible contributions.

If you have any questions about the Gala or your organization's participation, please contact us at gala@leongroup.org or 614-728-8344. If you have questions about finance-related matters, please contact Melissa Cardenas at treasurer@leongroup.org or 740-777-6296. The deadline for sponsorship submissions is **September 16, 2013**.

Sincerely,

Lourdes Barroso de Padilla
President
Latino Empowerment Outreach Network – LEON
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Sponsorship Opportunities

2013

The LEON Awards Gala
Columbus, Ohio

Deadline for sponsorship submissions: September 16, 2013

<p><i>El Dorado Sponsor - \$10,000</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ Recognition in official Gala program book, invitations and pre-event marketing materials▪ Special mention throughout event and pre-event program▪ Full-page ad in printed program▪ Opportunity to give welcome remarks during Gala program▪ 10 Gala registrations (one table)▪ 10 tickets for Awardees Reception (prior to awards dinner)▪ Exclusive corporate table branding in reception area	<p><i>El Líder Sponsor - \$5,000</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ Recognition in official Gala program book▪ Special mention throughout event and pre-event slideshow▪ Half-page ad in printed program▪ 10 Gala tickets (one table)▪ 10 tickets for Awardees Reception (prior to awards dinner)▪ Exclusive corporate table branding in reception area
<p><i>La Familia Sponsor - \$3,500</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ Host of artistic presentations during Gala▪ Special mention during awards presentation and pre-event slideshow▪ Half-page ad in printed program▪ 10 Gala tickets (one table)▪ 10 tickets for Awardees Reception (prior to awards dinner)▪ Exclusive corporate table branding in reception area	<p><i>Dinner Table Sponsor - \$1,250</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ Special mention as table sponsor during program▪ Quarter page ad in printed program▪ 10 Gala tickets (one table)▪ 5 tickets for Awardees Reception (prior to awards dinner)▪ Corporate table in reception area
<p><i>Program Sponsor - \$500</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ Business card size (1/8 page) ad in printed program▪ 4 Gala tickets	<p><i>Individual Tickets</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ \$70.00 per ticket

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Please select a sponsorship level.

El Dorado - \$10,000	El Lider – \$5,000	La Familia – \$3,500
Table Sponsor - \$1,250	Program Sponsor - \$500	Other (Donation) \$

Please provide contact information.

Organization or Business Name			
Contact Name		Contact Title	
Organization or Business Address			
Contact Email		Contact Phone	

Recognition: How would you like to be listed in recognition areas?

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Please list the representatives attending each event.

Awardees Reception	Gala	Name	Title	Email	Phone

Please select a form of payment.

Check	Please send checks payable to: Latino Empowerment Outreach Network - LEON PO Box 16215, Columbus, Ohio 43216
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