

# PARTNER BENEFITS

## Bronze (\$500)

- Invitation to exclusive donor events during the year.
- 2 tickets to each concert at Pick-Staiger Hall.

## Silver (\$1000)

- Invitation to exclusive donor events during the year.
- 4 tickets to each concert at Pick-Staiger Hall.
- Recognition as Merit Scholarship sponsor

## Gold (\$2500)

- Invitation to exclusive donor events during the year.
- 4 tickets to each concert at Pick-Staiger Hall.
- Recognition as Young Music Scholar Sponsor

## Platinum (\$5000)

- Invitation to exclusive donor events during the year.
- 4 tickets to each concert at Pick-Staiger Hall.
- Recognition as Concert Sponsor
- Invited to Special Fundraising events that will take place at Fall, Winter or Spring Concert

## Diamond (\$10,000)

- Invitation to exclusive donor events during the year.
- 4 tickets to each concert at Pick-Staiger Hall.
- Recognition as Program Sponsor
- Dinner with Program Music Director

"I started MYA because we witnessed a man with talents not being fully utilized. We saw our children play with passion which transferred into all areas of their lives. I started the organization not only for my daughter but for all Chicago area children to have the opportunity for an inspirational musical experience."



**Mike Papierniak,**  
Founding Board President (1993-2000)



"I recognized that Allan was, by the force of his personality, the leading force of the youth music industry. He inspired so many children to appreciate the power that music has to make the world a better place."

**Richard Sugar,**  
President Emeritus (2000-2004)

"There's no question that MYAC is a place where young people can grow musically and personally. All 3 of my children participated in MYAC, and have made great friends."



**Tom Sharp,**  
Current Treasurer and  
Past President (2004-2015)



"MYAC students are growing up in very turbulent and often difficult times. Our programs provide them with opportunities to see first-hand how the power of music can be a resilient safe haven for learning and artistic expression. With every MYAC rehearsal and concert, it is plain to see that the future of music is in very good hands."

**Dale Rudy,**  
Immediate Past Chairman (2015-2019)

"I first became involved in MYAC when my daughter joined the choral program. The quality of music education is outstanding but what really stood out for me was "everything else" — it is a second home, a place to learn about the value of hard work and discipline and a place to celebrate the beauty of music!"



**Kelly Corley,**  
Chairman of the Board (2019-current)

MYAC holds the Platinum Seal of Transparency from Guidestar, their highest level of recognition for financial and organizational transparency.



**Growing Stronger Together**

MIDWEST YOUNG ARTISTS  
CONSERVATORY

# PARTNER WITH US



# YOU MAKE THE MYAC EXPERIENCE POSSIBLE!



For 30 years your belief in our mission **“to build a home with the power of music to enrich the lives of our students and their communities”** has made it possible for MYAC to be a life changing experience for thousands of youth and their families.

## Your belief in us has:

- Brought beauty into the lives of students and their families.
- Encouraged students to follow their dreams and believe in themselves.
- Encouraged all of us to work to make the world a better place.
- Provided us the opportunity to be a compass of positive core values of work ethic, responsibility, reliability, cooperation and ethical, as well as moral values.
- Kept us making music and meeting during COVID when all other organizations shut down.
- Made it possible for students to come together to realize their potential to make music while building friendships with other students from all ethnic, racial and financial backgrounds.
- Provided scholarships and aid to students.
- Made it possible for our students to perform in world-class settings like Symphony Center, Millennium Park, Lyric Opera, Ravinia main stage and Bennett Gordon Hall, Pick Staiger, Harris Theater and many world-class stages in Europe, China and Korea.
- Taken hundreds of students and parents on tours as ambassadors to other countries and to learn more about those cultures.
- Provided educational and fun experiences on a weekly basis.
- Made it possible for MYAC to develop into a solid, financially stable organization well suited to live on well into the future and serve more students and families.

Our **30<sup>th</sup> year celebration** is a major milestone and your support will be an investment in the future of youth, the arts and our community/society.

For more information on realizing MYAC's mission or partner benefits, please contact Karen Dennis at [KarenDennis@mya.org](mailto:KarenDennis@mya.org) or **847-926-9898**, ext. 304.



## YOUR PARTNERSHIP

### Partner Circle Gift Amount:

- \$10,000
- \$5,000
- \$2,500
- Monthly gift of \$\_\_\_\_\_
- \$1,000
- \$500
- Other amount \$\_\_\_\_\_

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- My employer matches contributions.

Company Name: \_\_\_\_\_

- I wish to donate through my DAF, IRA, or stocks/securities.

- Leave your legacy! Please send me information about including MYAC in my will or estate plan.

- Please invoice me for my partner donation.

Notes regarding this gift  
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