

CREATING A CLASS OF DISTINCTION

ILPEX 
Recognition Program

Donation and Sponsorship Opportunities



"Through our engagement with the ILPEX Recognition Program, we developed a focus on strategic planning and employee engagement, which allowed our organization to survive - and grow! - during recent tough economic times."

Brenda Yarnell, former President and CEO, United Cerebral Palsy Land of Lincoln

Our core purpose is to
**foster long-term economic and
workforce competitiveness of
organizations in Illinois.**

This is why we have the
ILPEX Recognition Program
- to guide and celebrate
Illinois organizations, as well as
current and future leaders, as they
become part of a class of distinction.

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ALIGN YOUR BRAND AS A LEADER IN ENTERPRISE EXCELLENCE AND CONTINUOUS QUALITY IMPROVEMENT.

As you demonstrate your commitment to seeing Illinois organizations succeed, the ILPEX Recognition Program can contribute to long-term sustainability and enhance the competitive position of Illinois.

The ILPEX Recognition Program uses the Baldrige Excellence Framework, an internationally recognized model, to drive improvement and innovation.

As a result, the **ILPEX Recognition Program** provides the path for:

- ▶ promotion of standards of enterprise excellence that foster economic and workforce competitiveness in Illinois
- ▶ organizations to set themselves apart and to be recognized as a class of distinction

Organizations and their leaders who embrace the **Baldrige Excellence Framework** are able to:

- ▶ build their capabilities to respond to an ever-changing competitive landscape
- ▶ gain impartial expert feedback to understand strengths and opportunities
- ▶ benchmark against other high-performing organizations
- ▶ celebrate their progress through a recognition process and awards ceremony





Advance Your Business

Financial contributions to the ILPEX Recognition Program offers you:

- ▶ Direct access to quality-minded organizations and their leaders – from healthcare, manufacturing, education and service industries
- ▶ Brand awareness and recognition
- ▶ Networking to build relationships and business prospects
- ▶ New insights into the needs of Illinois organizations
- ▶ Recognition as an integral part of ILPEX Recognition Program events

DONATIONS

Your tax deductible donation will:

- ▶ Enable the ILPEX Recognition Program to guide Illinois organizations to higher levels of performance
- ▶ Provide high quality and low cost professional development experiences for leaders across all industries
- ▶ Promote a culture of continuous improvement and innovation in Illinois
- ▶ Support the pursuit of enterprise excellence by organizations across Illinois

SPONSORSHIP LEVELS

Becoming a Sponsor of the ILPEX Recognition Program is an effective way to align your brand as a supporter of quality and excellence in Illinois.

	PARTNER IN EXCELLENCE: \$50,000	CHAMPION OF EXCELLENCE: \$25,000	INFLUENCER OF EXCELLENCE: \$15,000	ADVOCATE FOR EXCELLENCE: \$10,000	ASSOCIATE FOR EXCELLENCE: \$5,000
Name inclusion in event title	● ILPEX Awards for Excellence Ceremony presented by [COMPANY]	● ILPEX Awards for Excellence Reception presented by [COMPANY]	● The Conference on Enterprise Excellence presented by [COMPANY]	● The Conference on Enterprise Excellence Lunch presented by [COMPANY]	● The Conference on Enterprise Excellence Networking Break presented by [COMPANY]
Company ad in ILPEX Awards for Excellence program	● Inside front cover, full page, color	● Full page, color	● Half page, color	● Quarter page, color	● Quarter page, black & white
Complimentary Conference on Enterprise Excellence registration	● 10 registrations	● 8 registrations	● 5 registrations	● 2 registrations	● 2 registrations
Complimentary ILPEX Examiner training	● 6 seats	● 4 seats	● 3 seats	● 2 seats	● 2 seats
Recognition of support in event signage, programs and ILPEX quarterly eNewsletter	●	●	●	●	●
Premier ILPEX Award Ceremony seating & table signs	● 20 seats	● 20 seats	● 10 seats	● 5 seats	
Logo featured on ILPEX Recognition Program website	●	●	●	●	
Pre-Awards Ceremony celebration invitation	●	●	●		
Educational content in ILPEX eNewsletter	●	●	●		
Social media recognition	●	●	●		
Complimentary Interest in Excellence application	●	●			
Profiles in Excellence article feature	●	●			
Keynote speaker opportunity	● ILPEX Awards for Excellence Ceremony				
Press release recognition of financial support	●				
	\$50,000	\$25,000	\$15,000	\$10,000	\$5,000

ADDITIONAL SPONSORSHIP OPPORTUNITIES

SUPPORTER OF EXCELLENCE: \$1,000

Recognition of support through Conference on Enterprise Excellence and ILPEX Awards for Excellence Ceremony event signage, programs and ILPEX eNewsletter

TABLE VENDOR DISPLAY: \$1,000

Draped 6-foot table outside the Conference on Enterprise Excellence and the ILPEX Awards for Excellence Ceremony

IN-KIND CONTRIBUTIONS

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**Eliminate
the financial
barrier**

Your financial support enables organizations and their leaders - no matter their industry or size - to actively participate in the ILPEX Recognition Program.

ILPEX Join a Class of Distinction

Recognition Program

DONATION

I choose to support the ILPEX Recognition Program in the amount of \$ _____

Yes, I will sponsor the ILPEX Awards for Excellence and Conference on Enterprise Excellence.

- PARTNER.....\$50,000
- CHAMPION.....\$25,000
- INFLUENCER.....\$15,000
- ADVOCATE.....\$10,000
- ASSOCIATE.....\$5,000
- SUPPORTER.....\$1,000
- TABLE VENDOR DISPLAY.....\$1,000
- TABLE RESERVATION FOR 10 - ILPEX AWARDS CEREMONY.....\$1,799
- INDIVIDUAL RESERVATION(S) - ILPEX AWARDS CEREMONY.....\$199
- INDIVIDUAL REGISTRATION(S) - CONFERENCE ON ENTERPRISE EXCELLENCE.....\$129

Signature: _____

(By signing, I commit to pay the amount indicated above)

Please make checks payable to: IMEC

Please charge my (circle one): American Express Discover Mastercard Visa

Card number: _____ Expiration date: ____/____ Security Code: _____

Name as it appears on the card: _____ Signature: _____

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Company: _____

Address: _____

City/State/Zip: _____

Phone: _____ Fax: _____ Email: _____

Contact Name (for questions and seating): _____

Contact Phone: _____ Contact Email: _____

How should we list your contribution in printed materials? (Example: John Doe, XYZ Company)

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