### **2021 HIGHER EDUCATION SUMMIT**

## **PROSPECTUS**

## REFOCUS

2021 Higher Education Summit

NOVEMBER 28 - 29, 2021 SHERATON CENTRE TORONTO





# Now in its 33<sup>rd</sup> year, the Higher Education Summit is one of North America's premier conferences on post-secondary education.

Colleges Ontario's annual conference, the Higher Education Summit, offers your organization the right opportunities to maximize your investment.

More than 400 decision-makers and education leaders from across the province attend the conference each year. These delegates represent the significant buying power of Ontario colleges – nearly \$4 billion in 2019 – and are a qualified audience for your marketing spend. The event culminates with the Premier's Awards gala for outstanding college graduates, which attracts more than 800 attendees for a celebration that honours graduates who have had a significant impact in Ontario and beyond.



You are the most vital element of the Higher Education Summit.



Sponsorship of this marquee event helps us bring key thinkers from around the world to Ontario to promote new ideas and stimulate important discussions about the future of higher learning.

For exhibitors, it is an opportunity to showcase their most innovative products, services and technologies to post-secondary leaders and other influencers from across Canada.

To make the best use of your marketing investment, Colleges Ontario has developed high-impact sponsorship packages to maximize visibility with key decision-makers. Details on these sponsorship opportunities are contained in this prospectus.

To our returning partners, we thank you for your continued support. To those of you joining this conference for the first time, I look forward to meeting you. Colleges Ontario will help you make the most of your investment.

Sincerely,

Linda Franklin

President & CEO, Colleges Ontario

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### **About the Higher Education Summit**

The Higher Education Summit, Colleges Ontario's annual conference, attracts more than 400 participants including:

- College leaders (presidents, board chairs, board members, vice-presidents and senior administrators)
- Government representatives
- Education partners
- A wide array of business, industry and public sector organizations

These leaders from across Ontario will meet to discuss policy, strategy and issues in post-secondary education, as well as innovative ways of doing business in a more competitive economic climate.

Now in its 33<sup>rd</sup> year, the annual conference will feature an exciting array of activities:

- Featured speakers addressing a wide range of topics
- Exhibit hall, showcasing the latest technologies and trends
- A networking reception, lunch and breaks in the exhibit hall
- Pre-conference sessions that deliver professional development to post-secondary leaders

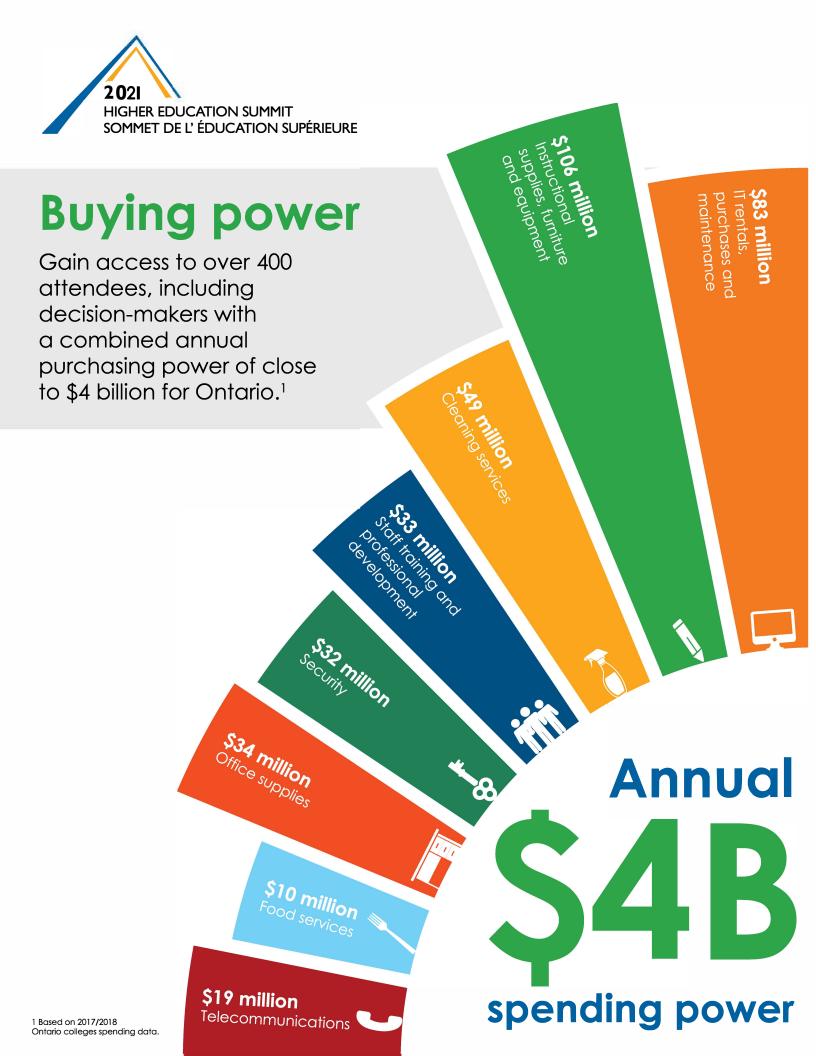
For more information about the Higher Education Summit, please visit www.highereducationsummit.ca.

### About Colleges Ontario

Colleges Ontario is the advocacy voice for the province's 24 public colleges. The colleges offer 900 programs each year that prepare students for a wide range of careers, including careers in IT, advertising, health care, game development, animation, biotechnology, and much more.

Ontario's colleges are leaders in innovation, ensuring graduates have the professional and technical expertise to succeed in the rapidly evolving new economy. As the voice of the 24 colleges, Colleges Ontario uses research, communications and marketing initiatives to ensure government leaders, decision-makers and the public are aware of the essential role college graduates play – and will continue to play – in the province's long-term success.

For more information about Colleges Ontario, please visit www.collegesontario.org.





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# Reasons to sponsor the 2021 Higher Education Summit:

**Excellent exposure:** This is a must-attend event for post-secondary influencers. The Higher Education Summit provides opportunities to build and enhance your image with college system leaders. **Approximately 400 delegates attend the conference each year.** 

**Exhibit opportunity:** Increase awareness and showcase your products and services to hundreds of qualified delegates.

**Attract new clients:** The agenda is designed to promote and encourage one-on-one interaction with potential leads.

**Engage industry leaders:** It's never been more important to start a conversation and network face to face. This networking opportunity is key to aligning your brand with the mandates of Ontario's colleges. Realize ROI via your participation at the summit.

For more information, please contact: Loretta Piattelli Sponsorship, advertising and exhibit sales (647) 258-7684 piattelli@collegesontario.org

This event is the ideal learning ground for post-secondary leaders in Canada – there's nothing else like it.



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## **Sponsorship**

The Higher Education Summit is an opportunity to meet your organization's marketing objectives. Whether your goals include promotion and awareness, lead/sales generation, product/service positioning, networking or advancement of corporate responsibility goals, we work together to help you meet your needs.

#### All sponsors will receive the following primary benefits package:

- 1. Verbal acknowledgment by the presiding chair of the event, thanking your organization
- 2. Sponsorship recognized on signage, screens and advertising, including an email teaser campaign, social media and on the conference app. Sponsorship materials need to be confirmed and submitted to Colleges Ontario by **Nov. 12, 2021**
- 3. Company logo on the official website for an entire year following the event
- 4. Company logo with website link on the official website's sponsor page
- 5. Your company's branded item (no paper) placed in all delegate bags (400 pieces required)
- 6. "Sponsor" designation ribbon on your company delegates' registration badges

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Diamond Sponsor (1 available)	\$20,000	
Platinum Sponsor (2 available)	\$20,000	
Registration and Mobile App Sponsor (1 available)	\$15,000	
Gold Speaker Sponsor (3 available)	\$15,000	
Monday Dinner Sponsor	\$15,000	
Monday Lunch Sponsor (1 available)	\$15,000	
Sunday Welcome Reception Sponsor (1 available)	\$10,000	
Silver Speaker Sponsor (2 available)	\$10,000	
Delegate Bag Sponsor (1 avaga le LD\$10,000		
Wi-Fi Sponsor (1 available)	\$8,000	

Charging Station Sponsor (NOT availab	ole) <b>\$8,000</b>
Hotel Key Cards Sponsor (1 available)	\$7,500
Monday Breakfast Sponsor (1 available)	\$7,000
Coffee/Tea Sponsor* (1 available)	\$7,000
Hydration Station Sponsor* (1 available)	\$7,000
*Discounted price for both refreshment sponsorship	\$10,000
Bronze Sponsor	\$5,000
Networking Break Sponsor (2 available)	\$4,000
Exhibitor	\$3,390
Delegate bag insert (add-on)	\$2,000



# Diamond Sponsor – Opening keynote speaker \$30,000 (1 available)

Whenever and wherever the event is promoted, your organization will be featured as the lead sponsor to get the highest possible visibility. In addition to the primary benefit package detailed on page 6, your sponsorship includes the following:

#### **Exclusive opening keynote speaker sponsorship**

- Remarks (2 min.) delivered to conference delegates at the opening on Monday, Nov. 29 (audience of approximately 400)
- keynote speaker introduction onstage (Nov. 29)
- Photo with featured speaker (subject to availability)
- One (1) dedicated email blast approved and sent from Colleges Ontario on behalf of the sponsor. Sponsor to provide content

#### Logo and company recognition

- Largest and most prominent company logo spotlight (gobo) on ballroom wall
- Tent card featuring your company logo and message placed on each table (50)
- Company name and logo at the entrance of the ballroom, on-screen at the opening of the summit and during the keynote session
- Company brochures and promo items (approved by sponsor) at plenary session tables
- Company name posted with title of the sponsored session on app and official website programs, as well as on email teasers and social media<sup>1</sup>
- 50-word company description and company logo with website link on the official website's sponsors page

#### **Conference exposure**

- Prominent 8'x 20' exhibit space (location of choice)
- Registrations:
  - Ten (10) Higher Education Summit registration
  - Including Sunday welcome reception, Monday lunch and networking dinner
  - Five (5) exhibit personnel passes to sessions

#### 2021 Keynote speaker



Masai Ujiri
President and Vice-Chairman,
Toronto Raptors, Founder,
Giants of Africa



Moderator: Tyrone Edwards Anchor of *etalk* 

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup>To be included in materials, all graphic materials and your company's completed ad must be submitted by November 12, 2021







## Platinum Sponsor – Lunch and closing speakers \$20,000

(2 available)

The platinum sponsor of the Higher Education Summit has the privilege of visibility at lunch and the closing of the conference! Your organization will have the exposure of a logo backdrop and the opportunity for greetings at the beginning of the plenary session in the ballroom. In addition to the primary benefit package detailed on page 6, your sponsorship includes the following:

#### One of two opening plenary speaker sponsorships

- Remarks (1 min.) delivered onstage to conference delegates at the opening of the presentation on Monday (audience of approximately 400)
- Featured speaker introduction onstage
- Photo with plenary speaker on the main stage
- Presence at speaker's book-signing event
- Opportunity to provide branded bookmarks for distribution at book signing (if available)

#### Logo and company recognition

- Company logo spotlight (gobo) on ballroom wall during the two days
- Company name and logo at the entrance of the ballroom, on-screen at the opening of the sponsored plenary session
- Company brochures placed at tables during sponsored session
- Company name posted with title of the sponsored session in the app and official website programs as well as on email teasers and social media<sup>1</sup>
- 50-word company description and company logo with website link on the official website

- Prominent 10' x 8' exhibit space (location of choice)
- Registrations:
  - Ten (10) Higher Education Summit registrations including Sunday welcome reception, Monday lunch and networking dinner
  - Five (5) exhibit personnel passes to sessions



Craig Foster
Filmmaker, naturalist,
2021 Academy Award
recipient for My Octopus
Teacher



**Tanya Talaga**Award-winning Anishinaabe journalist, bestselling author

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## Registration (\$10,000) and Mobile App Sponsor (\$10,000) \$15,000 for both

(1 available)







Our registration sponsorship category has always been popular. This year, we are taking it to a whole new level. With the addition of our mobile app, you will enjoy the recognition and support on-site at the registration area AND on the conference app! The app offers attendees an interactive way to connect to all aspects of the event and to each other. It is highly anticipated for this year's summit, putting your company brand at the centre of the action for the entire conference.

The sponsorship offers you exposure during the online registration process, on-site at the registration area, and on the app's splash page, throughout the app, plus visibility for a full-screen ad! Visibility for this valuable sponsorship lasts throughout the duration of the summit.

In addition to the primary benefit package detailed on page 6, your sponsorship includes the following:

#### **Exclusive registration sponsorship**

- Company logo incorporated in the design of the two pillar wraps and registration front decals and displayed for the entire conference
- Company logo on the confirmation email sent to each attendee after his/her registration is completed
- Opportunity to provide branded welcome gifts (no paper) to attendees at the registration desk
- Opportunity for two company representatives to greet attendees in front of the registration area during peak times

#### Logo and company recognition

- Your company name and logo prominently placed in the registration area
- Full-screen ad on mobile app, plus splash page logo recognition, as well as throughout the app
- 50-word company description and logo on the official website

- One (1) 10' x 8' exhibit space
- Registrations:
  - Ten (10) Higher Education Summit registrations, including Sunday welcome reception, Monday lunch and networking dinner
  - Five (5) exhibit personnel passes to sessions



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## Gold Sponsor – Plenary speaker \$15,000

(3 available)

Plenary session sponsorship is available on Monday at the summit and is an opportunity for high exposure for your company with the full attendance of conference delegates. Your company will have the stage in the largest session hall for high-profile speakers.<sup>2</sup> In addition to the primary benefit package detailed on page 6, your sponsorship includes the following:

#### **Exclusive plenary speaker sponsorships**

• Delivery of remarks (1 min.) and the introduction of the plenary speaker onstage (audience of approximately 400)



**Chantal Hébert**National affairs columnist at the Toronto Star



## Excellent and thought-provoking speakers are at the centre of this conference.



#### Logo and company recognition

- Company name and logo at the entrance of the ballroom, on-screen at the opening of the sponsored plenary session
- Company name posted with title of the sponsored session on official website and app programs as well as on email teasers
- 50-word company description and company logo with website link on the official website

#### **Conference exposure**

- One (1) 10'x 8' exhibit space
- Registrations:
  - Five (5) Higher Education Summit registrations, including Sunday welcome reception, Monday lunch and networking dinner
  - Three (3) exhibit personnel passes to sessions

Sessions are assigned on a "first-sponsored, first-assigned" basis once the program becomes final.



**Martin Ford**Futurist, author

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### Elevator Wrap Sponsor – NEW! \$15,000 \* Not available in 2021 (3 available)

Elevate your message. Captivate your audience. Elevators within the Sheraton Centre Toronto Hotel can be wrapped with your custom message, giving you broad brand exposure to both the summit delegates and other guests of the hotel. These attractive, professionally produced graphics (provided by sponsor) are central to the hotel guests' environment and get full exposure as guests await the elevator to their rooms. Thanks to technological advancements and an increasing ownership of smart devices, people can act instantly on advertising messages, making this opportunity even more relevant. It's the perfect solution to reach these busy audiences while they are on the move. In addition to the primary benefit package detailed on page 6, your sponsorship includes the following:

#### Logo and company recognition

50-word company description with linked logo on the official website

- One (1) 10'x 8' exhibit space
- Registrations:
  - Five (5) Higher Education Summit registrations, including Sunday reception, Monday lunch and dinner
  - Three (3) exhibit personnel passes to sessions





Sample

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### Monday Lunch Sponsor Theme: Garden Party \$15,000

(1 available)

What better welcome to the conference than a welcome to the garden party! Our vibrant garden will provide a comfortable setting for sponsors to mingle and interact with all the delegates safely in one room. It's time to reconnect and bring warm thoughts of summer days to the conference.

Just like a picnic, we will have plenty of different comfort foods and favourites to explore while staying in one location – our exhibit hall!

In addition to the primary benefit package detailed on page 6, your sponsorship includes the following:

#### **Exclusive kickoff lunch sponsorship activation**

- Two-minute welcome address during the function
- Entrance arch signage into exhibit hall
- Each person receives a foldable carrying lunch basket with sponsor branded message

#### Logo and company recognition

- Projected sponsor logo on the walls in the exhibit hall
- 50-word company description and company logo with link on the conference's website

- One (1) 10'x 8' exhibit space
- Registrations:
  - Five (5) Higher Education Summit registrations, including Sunday welcome reception, Monday lunch and networking dinner
  - Three (3) exhibit personnel passes to sessions

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## Monday Networking Dinner Sponsor Theme: Bon Voyage

\$15,000

(1 available)

Our journey to a far away destination begins at the entrance of the grand ballroom foyer. Guests receive a company branded passport holder containing ta ravel ticket to a special destination soon to be discovered. A dinner party that transports you to cities with so many culinary directions and festivities.

In addition to the primary benefit package detailed on page 6, your sponsorship includes the following:

#### **Exclusive evening reception sponsorship activation**

- Two-minute welcome address during the function
- Decor-affixed company logo
- Branded signature beverage

#### Logo and company recognition

- Projected sponsor logo on the walls in the exhibit hall
- Each delegate receives a sponsor company branded passport holder
- 50-word company description and company logo with link on the conference's website

- One (1) 10'x 8' exhibit space
- Registrations:
  - Five (5) Higher Education Summit registrations, including Sunday welcome reception, Monday lunch and dinner
  - Three (3) exhibit personnel passes to sessions

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### Silver Sponsor – Sessions \$10,000 (2 available)





**Steve Paikin,** host of The Agenda

In addition to the primary benefit package detailed on page 6, your sponsorship includes the following: Exclusive sponsorship of one of the following two sessions (of your choice):

Sunday: Two (2) Governance sessions, Facilitator: Lyn McDonell

### Monday: The Life and Legacy of Ontario Premier Bill Davis, speaker: Steve Paikin

Eponsor provides wellome remarks and introduces the session and speaker

Company may display own materials (brochures and/or company promo items) during session time

#### Logo and company recognition

- Company name and logo at the entrance and on-screen in session room
- Company name posted with title of the sponsored session on app and official website
- 50-word company description and company logo with website link on the official website

#### **Conference exposure**

- One (1) 10' x 8' exhibit space
- Registrations:
  - Two (2) Higher Education Summit registrations
  - Two (2) exhibit personnel passes to sessions



Lyn McDonell, Chartered Director (C. Dir), Certified Management Consultant and a Fellow of CMC-Ontario.

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Sessions are assigned on "first-sponsored, first-assigned" basis once the program becomes final.





### Delegate Bag Sponsor \$10,000

(1 available)

Make a strong impression at the Higher Education Summit. Each delegate will receive a delegate bag branded with your company logo. A great way to advertise - this bag with your logo will be used and seen throughout the two-day event and after the conference. In addition to the primary benefit package detailed on page 6, your sponsorship includes the following:

#### **Exclusive delegate bag sponsorship**

 Company name and logo printed on the official Higher Education Summit bag (400)

## Logo and company recognition

 Company name posted with title of the sponsored session on app and official website program



#### **Conference exposure**

- One (1) 10' x 8' exhibit space
- Registrations:
  - Two (2) Higher Education Summit registrations, including Sunday welcome reception, Monday lunch and networking dinner
  - Two (2) exhibit personnel passes to sessions

### Wi-Fi Sponsor \$8,000

(1 available)

Gain great visibility and get everyone connected as the official Higher Education Summit Wi-Fi sponsor. Make valuable connections with this opportunity to build your brand by providing Wi-Fi access to all attendees throughout the event. In addition to the primary benefit package detailed on page 6, your sponsorship includes the following:

#### **Exclusive Wi-Fi sponsorship**

- Your corporate name used as the password on the splash page to access Wi-Fi
- Wi-Fi code signage with your company logo

#### Logo and company recognition

- Company-branded Wi-Fi access information listed on the screen
- Logo on the display sponsor page, to be showcased onsite at the event

- One (1) 10' x 8' exhibit space
- Registrations:
  - Two (2) Higher Education Summit registrations, including Sunday pre-conference welcome reception, Monday luncheon and networking dinner
  - Two (2) exhibit personnel passes to sessions



Sample

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# Pre-conference Welcome Reception Sponsor – NEW! \$10,000, Theme: "Everything Old is New Again" (1 available)

The private welcome reception will be held in the Pinnacle room on the 43<sup>rd</sup> floor of the Sheraton Centre Toronto Hotel on **Sunday**, **November 28 from 3 p.m. to 4:30 p.m.** 

The reception will captivate your guests, the college board members and senior staff (90 +) with the beautiful view of the city.

An assortment of appetizers, small plates, non-alcoholic and alcoholic beverages will be served.

#### **Exclusive welcome reception sponsorship**

- Sponsors will have the title to this event
- Ten (10) complimentary passes to the welcome reception
- Display your banner in the reception room
- Sponsor promoted throughout the Saturday sessions (good governance and board chairs/vice-chairs sessions), during the private welcome reception, in conference materials and at the venue
- Sponsor logo will be displayed on the screens for high visability leading up to the reception and during the conference
- Add your company brochure in the delegates' session folder (100)\*
- Distribute your promo items (sponsor provided) to the senior-level college attendees at the Sunday sessions

BONUS: Confirm your sponsorship by October 22 and your sponsored reception will be posted on the College Centre website.

#### Logo and company recognition

- Company name and logo at the entrance and in the room
- Company name posted with title of the sponsored session on app and official website program

- Registrations:
  - Ten (10) guest passes to the Saturday welcome reception following the sessions
  - Two (2) Higher Education Summit registrations, including Monday lunch and networking dinner









### Charging Station Sponsor \$8,000 \*Not available in 2021 (1 available)

Charging stations for mobile devices are now essential to a successful conference. The branded charging stations can be placed throughout the conference area. Guests can come charge their devices, chat and make real connections with other guests. Sponsors get their logo and customized message on these very useful tools that are used by almost everyone – they are valuable marketing tools for the sponsor and a beneficial value-add for everyone at the event. In addition to the primary benefit package detailed on page 6, your sponsorship includes the following:

#### **Exclusive branded charging station sponsorship**

- Branded access cards, printed and dropped in delegate bags to use with devices
- Two (2) company-branded cell phone charging stations that can be grouped together or can be used in various locations at the event for more impact
  - Each charging station is able to accommodate 18 devices at one time

#### Logo and company recognition

 Logo on the display sponsor page, to be showcased on-site at the event

- One (1) 10' x 8' exhibit space
- Registrations:
  - One (1) Higher Education Summit registration, including Sunday welcome reception, Monday lunch and networking dinner
  - Two (2) exhibit personnel passes



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### Hotel Key Cards Sponsor – NEW! \$7,500

(1 available)

A popular sponsorship opportunity, branded room key cards are distributed to all summit registrants staying at the hotel. Increase the brand recognition of your organization by placing your company name/logo on each room key. Every time the guest enters his or her room, the guest is reminded of your company. Give visitors vital information at their fingertips—right on their hotel key cards. Include your booth number, a marketing message or a special offer. Key cards are seen an average of five to eight times a day and are a powerful marketing tool. In addition to the primary benefit package detailed on page 6, your sponsorship includes the following:



#### **Exclusive branded key card sponsorship**

• Custom company-branded room key cards distributed to all summit registrants staying at the hotel (graphics provided by sponsor)

#### Logo and company recognition

Company logo with website link on the official website and app

- One (1) 10' x 8' exhibit space
- Registrations:
  - One (1) Higher Education Summit registration, including Sunday welcome reception, Monday lunch and networking dinner
  - Two (2) exhibit personnel passes to sessions

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## Monday Breakfast Sponsor \$7,000

(1 available)

Breakfast is the most important meal of the day, so what better way to introduce your brand by getting attendees to think about your organization first thing in the morning! This unique breakfast opportunity is designed to drive traffic into the exhibit hall. Breakfast stations will be placed close to your company booth for added exposure. In addition to the primary benefit package detailed on page 6, your sponsorship includes the following:

#### **Exclusive breakfast sponsorship**

- Customized signage on breakfast tables (attendance 400)
- Customized signage in breakfast area
- Opportunity to provide company giveaways at the breakfast
- Opportunity to place collateral material and signage in this area during breakfast

#### Logo and company recognition

Company logo with website link on the official website

#### **Conference exposure**

- One (1) 10' x 8' exhibit space
- Registrations:
  - One (1) Higher Education Summit registration, including Sunday welcome reception, Monday lunch and networking dinner
  - Two (2) exhibit personnel passes



There are lots of opportunities for networking and meeting new people in the college environment.



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Coffee/Tea Station Sponsor (1 available)
Hydration Station Sponsor (1 available)
\$7,000 each
\$10,000 for both



One thing our delegates have in common is that they love coffee and staying hydrated. Stations are placed in the exhibit hall and are available throughout the day (except the Monday dinner). The station is designed to drive traffic into the exhibit hall and to your booth. In addition to the primary benefit package detailed on page 6, your sponsorship includes the following:

#### Exclusive coffee/tea or hydration station sponsorship

- Logo on coffee and tea dispenser or on hydration-station dispensers of naturally flavoured water, available throughout the day
- Station will be placed close to your booth in the exhibit hall



Purchase both sponsorships (coffee/tea and hydration station) at the special price of \$10,000 and receive two (2) tickets to the Higher Education Summit, plus custom-branded water cups.

#### Logo and company recognition

Company logo with website link on the official website

- One (1) 10' x 8' exhibit space
- Registrations:
   One (1) Higher Education Summit registration, including Sunday welcome reception, lunch and networking dinner
- Two (2) exhibit personnel passes to sessions



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### Bronze Sponsor \$5,000

#### (unlimited availability)

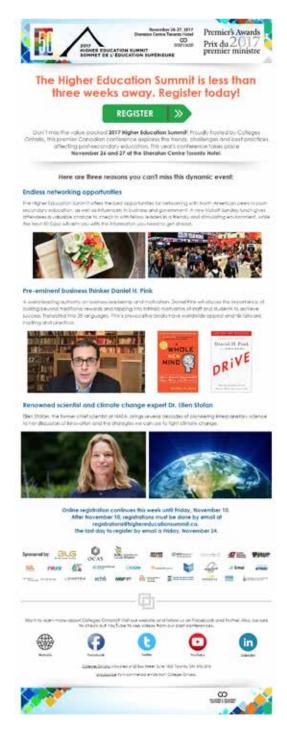
Enjoy the benefits of being a sponsor and an exhibitor at the summit. **Bronze sponsors** will receive the following primary benefits package:

#### Logo and company recognition

- Verbal acknowledgment by the presiding chair, thanking your company
- Sponsorship recognized on all signage and social media (email teasers)<sup>1</sup>
- Company logo on the official website sponsor page for an entire year following the event
- Company logo with website link on the official website's sponsor page

- Your company branded item (no paper) placed in all delegate tote bags (600 pieces required)
- One (1) 10' x 8' exhibit space
- Registrations:
  - One (1) Higher Education Summit registration, including Sunday welcome reception, Monday lunch and networking dinner
  - One (1) exhibit personnel pass to sessions





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### Networking Break Sponsor \$4,000

(2 shared sponsorships available)

Gain increased exposure with delegates by sponsoring the networking breaks. Each break takes place outside the main conference room. Company signage is visible during this casual time when delegates mingle. The networking breaks take place on Monday in the morning and afternoon.

#### Exclusive networking break sponsorship (2 shared)<sup>1</sup>

- Signage displayed in the conference foyer before and during the break
- Signage with corporate logo displayed in food and serving areas
- Moderator of the session preceding the break will thank the networking break sponsor
- Opportunity for promotional material availability and/or giveaways to conference delegates



Great energy and activities; lots of good food, too.

#### **Conference exposure**

- Company logo on the official website sponsor page for an entire year following the event
- Registrations:
  - One (1) Higher Education Summit registration, including lunch (not included: Sunday welcome reception, Monday dinner, exhibit space and placement of promo item in delegate bag)

# Additional Opportunity Inserts for Delegate Bags \$2,000

Make sure that every attendee has your company's information. Have your promotional item placed in the conference tote bag distributed to each conference registrant.

It's a highly effective way to guide attendees to your booth in the exhibit hall. Simply provide us with the promotional item and we will insert it into each delegate bag and distribute the bags to all the delegates.

Note: This is not considered a sponsorship opportunity — none of the primary benefits listed on page 6 apply to this opportunity.

Quantity required: 400 inserts

<sup>1</sup>To be included in materials, your sponsorship must be submitted by Nov. 12, 2021.



### **EXHIBITS**



Launch new products and services. Create demand by demonstrating your latest innovations and speaking face to face with the hard-to-reach decision-makers that the Higher Education Summit attracts.

Our main focus is driving attendees to your booth and into the exhibit hall. We design exhibit hall giveaways and prizes that are unique and exciting for conference participants. We are also bringing the delegates right in the exhibit hall for all breaks, the speakers' book signings, the Monday breakfast and themed lunch.

For more information, please contact:

Loretta Piattelli Sponsorship, advertising and exhibit sales (647) 258-7684 piattelli@collegesontario.org







### Exhibitors will enjoy these benefits (and many more):

- Exhibit space 8' x 10'
- One (1) draped and skirted table (6' x 30") and two (2) chairs
- One (1) electrical outlet provided
- One (1) wireless internet connection
- Two (2) badges for exhibit personnel
- One (1) Higher Education Summit registration
- Exhibitor listing on the official website, with a link to your company website that will remain posted online for an entire year
- Exhibitor listing on the official conference app



#### **PLUS**

#### ..on Monday!

- Garden party lunch
- Networking dinner

The themed lunch and dinner provide perfect networking opportunities for delegates and exhibitors. Please visit the Higher Education Summit website to view the details.



Really well-chosen exhibitors. Most were very relevant to my interests. I spent more time speaking with them and learned more than I ever have at an event like this.

#### NEW! - The digital exhibitor passport

A creative way to encourage traffic to your booth and engage visitors while discussing your company's products and services.

Using their conference mobile app, participants will visit your booth and use their phones to take a scan of a provided QR code. At the close of the conference, the much-awaited prize draw (value \$500) takes place. The eligibility to win is based on participants having visited as many of our exhibitors as possible.

#### Company listing on website

Your company listing with a link will remain posted on the conference's official website for the entire year following the event, to ensure that people who want to find you can do so.

#### Free registration to all educational sessions

Network while learning by attending – free of charge – all presentations offered during Monday of the event.

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### **EXHIBITS**

### **Key Information**

#### Venue

Sheraton Centre Toronto Hotel 123 Queen Street West Toronto, Ontario

#### **Show hours**

Monday, November 29 7 a.m. to 4 p.m.

#### Move in

Sunday, November 28 3 pm. to 7 p.m.

#### Move out

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## Rate - Exhibit space \$3,000 (\$30/sq. ft.)

For each 8'x10' exhibit space



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#### **Show Floor Traffic Builders**

#### **Exclusive hours**

Dedicated exhibit hours provide delegates ample opportunities to meet with you to learn about your products and services.

#### **Food functions**

To increase traffic, the breakfast, networking breaks and lunch on the Monday of the event are situated within the exhibit hall. Be sure to use this time to network with delegates while they are on the floor.

#### **Draws and giveaways**

Drive traffic to your booth and gather important attendee leads. Donate a prize and participate on stage during the draw in the exhibit hall. Delegates will be sure to visit your exhibit space to learn about the products or services you are showcasing in return for a chance to win. Notify us if you would like your donated prize to be entered in the draw. Your donated draw prize worth \$500 or more will be featured on the conference website, app and program. Confirmation needed by Nov. 12, 2021.









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