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***STEM of Spirits:
The Science of Food & Drink***

Friday, April 21, 2023, 6–9PM
at the PAST Innovation Lab:
1003 Kinnear Road, Columbus

Want to help transform students' lives through real-world learning experiences?

Sponsor student scholarships for Summer STEM Programs!

STEM of Spirits is PAST's premier annual fundraising event that supports student scholarships for **Summer STEM Programs**. Please join us on **Friday, April 21, 6–9PM** for fun that includes connecting with friends, tasting local foods and beverages, and learning from local partners about their craft. You'll also have an opportunity to engage in STEM activities and explore PAST's Innovation Lab. *This event is for guests 21+.*



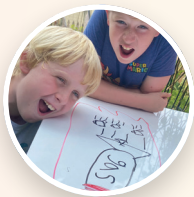
Partner with PAST to sponsor student scholarships for Summer STEM Programs!

Summer STEM Programs are among PAST's most life-changing learning experiences. Why make an investment to help cover the cost of student participation? Consider the impact of programs in 2022, which:

- Included 30 partners and 71 teachers, who led 56 programs that affected 10,000 K–12 students across 17 Ohio locations.
- Deployed expert practitioners who helped students mitigate learning loss and develop important life-skills skills that are valued by business and industry and taught in relevant, real-world settings across multiple content areas.
- Bridged the gap between education and industry, enabling students to build a "STEM identity" (i.e., helping students see themselves in STEM careers — *students cannot be what they cannot see*) early in life and ultimately prepare for success after high school.



Meet three students who have benefited from PAST's Summer STEM Programs:



"I was surprised how much fun STEM could be — and that I was really having fun AND learning!"

Laken, Middle School Student & PAST Summer Program Participant



"In the CAD & 3D Printing camps, I'd see students delightfully playing together with their 3D printed creations and excitedly making new ones."

Audrey, High School Student & PAST Summer Program Intern



"I've brought a lot of what I learned at PAST Camps with me to Michigan, specifically the importance and science/math behind food consumption."

Christian, High School Grad & Previous PAST Summer Program Participant

How many students can you support?

Become a sponsor by committing to one of the following investment levels:

| Level | Amount | Impact | Recognition |
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| Transformer | \$25,000 | Supports attendance of 100 students in Summer STEM Programs. | 10 tickets to STEM of Spirits; name and logo on all signage; name and logo on all letterhead and correspondence; recognition during event and opportunity to offer comments; pre- and post-event social media; name listed in credit roll and website; recognition on PAST's permanent innovators wall. |
| Innovator | \$10,000 | Supports attendance of 40 students in Summer STEM Programs. | Eight tickets to STEM of Spirits; name and logo on all signage; recognition during event; pre-and post-event social media; name listed in credit roll and website; recognition on PAST's permanent innovators wall. |
| Co-Designer | \$5,000 | Supports attendance of 20 students in Summer STEM Programs. | Six tickets to STEM of Spirits; name on select signage; name and logo on photo backdrop; name listed in credit roll and website; social media recognition. |
| Maker | \$1,000 | Supports attendance of four students in Summer STEM Programs. | Four tickets to STEM of Spirits; name included in credit roll and website; mentioned in social media post. |

Become a sponsor today and directly affect a student's future. To become a sponsor, please contact Lori Trent at ltrent@pastfoundation.org.

The PAST Foundation is an innovative, mission-driven, non-profit organization that leads in designing and implementing transformative learning opportunities, with a priority focus on preparing students for their futures in STEM education and career identity. The PAST Foundation's mission is *linking learning to life*. It does this by spreading and scaling relevant, transdisciplinary, problem- and work-based learning experiences for **students** and job-embedded, industry-enhanced professional learning opportunities for **educators**.

