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Creating Change Through Community

2024 Annual Tribute Luncheon Keynote Speaker

Princess Sarah Culberson

Princess Sarah Culberson is a global philanthropist with an extraordinary journey of adoption, war and forgiveness that has captured audiences and media outlets worldwide. She co-wrote the story of reuniting with her birth father in the book "A Princess Found: An American Family, an African Chiefdom, and the Daughter Who Connected Them All," which is being turned into a live-action movie with Disney.

Princess Sarah is a humanitarian with a focus on education, technology, public health and empowerment for women and girls. She is the President and Co-founder of Sierra Leone Rising, a non-profit making a global impact by providing clean drinking water, sanitary pads for girls, medical attention, resources to build schools and more throughout Sierra Leone.

Recognized for her significant contributions, Princess Sarah has been honored with the prestigious Trumpet Impact Award.



*The **Annual Tribute Luncheon** and the **Leadership Symposium** are WFGM's signature events that assemble more than 2,000 city leaders, business executives, public and private foundations, and non-profits from the Memphis community to celebrate *Creating Change through Community*. All proceeds directly support the overarching goal of our *Vision 2025*—to increase investment and reduce poverty in five Memphis neighborhoods by 2025.*

Annual Tribute Luncheon

Thursday, April 25, 2024

Renasant Convention Center | 11:30 a.m. – 1 p.m.

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Leadership Symposium

Friday, April 12, 2024

Virtual | 10 a.m. – 1 p.m.

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Sierra Leone Princess. Humanitarian. Author.

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Since 1996, the Women's Foundation for a Greater Memphis has been uniting the community in helping to break the cycle of poverty—making Memphis a better place for all.

MISSION | To encourage philanthropy and foster leadership among women and support programs that enable women and children to reach their full potential.

VISION | To be an agent of change committed to a community of well-being and prosperity, where women live in sufficiency, strength and safety, sharing their leadership and empowering their children.

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Past Speakers of the Annual Tribute Luncheon Include:



Essence Atkins
Actress, Advocate and Storyteller



Amelia Rose Earhart
Around-the-world Pilot, Former News Anchor and Reporter



Holly Robinson Peete
Actress, Author, Talk Show Host, Activist and Philanthropist



Terri Carmichael Jackson
Executive Director, Women's National Basketball Players Association



Robin Meade
Former Host of HLN's Morning Express



Debbie Allen
Actress, Dancer, Choreographer and Director

Top Reasons to Sponsor the Annual Tribute Luncheon and Leadership Symposium

1. Demonstrate **community leadership** and commitment to building a better future for Memphis.
2. Network with some of the best and brightest business and philanthropic leaders in the Memphis community.
3. Help **build opportunities** so that women and their families can reach their full potential.

Established in 1995,
WFGM has awarded over
\$35 million to 594 programs
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185 local nonprofits,
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Mail: Women's Foundation for a Greater Memphis
One Commerce Square, 40 S. Main St., #2280, Memphis, TN 38103
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Thank you for supporting the Women's Foundation for a Greater Memphis.



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	Crystal \$25,000	Diamond \$15,000	Platinum \$10,000	Gold \$5,000	Silver \$2,500	Table Host \$1,500
Logo on All Advertising	X	X				
Online Advertising Your logo and link to your website included on wfgm.org	X	X	X			
Logo on Invitation Your logo on the Annual Tribute Luncheon invitation	X	X	X	X		
Email Promotions Your name/logo included in promotional e-blasts to more than 6,000	X	X	X	X	X	
Number of Seats and Tables for the Annual Tribute Luncheon on April 25	30 Three tables with preferred seating	20 Two tables with preferred seating	20 Two tables with preferred seating	10 One table with preferred seating	10 One table	10 One table
Virtual Leadership Symposium Access to view the panel discussions	X	X	X	X	X	X
Recognition during Events During program, verbal recognition of your company's sponsorship	X	X	X			
Private VIP Reception with 2024 keynote speaker, WFGM leadership and sponsors	X	X	X	X		
On-Screen Slideshow Your logo displayed in looping, on-screen slideshow	X	X	X	X	X	
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Program Ad Deadline Friday, April 5	Two-page 7.5" x 10" (x2)	Full-page 7.5" x 10"	Full-page 7.5" x 10"	Half-page 7.5" x 4.75"	Quarter-page 3.5" x 4.75"	Listing
Follow-Up Correspondence Your company name listed in post-event email, website and social media	X	X	X	X	X	