



The Arizona Coalition of Education Foundations (ACEF) is a dynamic statewide network empowering local education foundations to grow, lead, and thrive. Through tailored training, peer collaboration, and the sharing of best practices, ACEF strengthens the impact of both emerging and established foundations—and helps school districts launch new ones with confidence.

Eliminate silos by connecting district foundations statewide and nationally

Share best practices and unique programming so network members learn from each other

Help school districts without foundations establish one

Apply for matching scholarship funds and learn fundraising strategies to support programming

## MEMBERSHIP BENEFITS

### Virtual and In-Person Training and Networking

Connect with leaders across the nation and Arizona to tap into best practices, innovative ideas, and strategies for strengthening your foundation's impact

### Matching Scholarship Funds

Double your scholarship money with matching funds provided by The Doherty Foundation (while funds last)

### Community Asset-Mapping and Fundraising

Access to trained facilitators for methods to increase fundraising and create and establish community connections

### Healthcare Benefits

Opportunity to participate in national group-rate insurance

### Board Development and Strategic Planning

Get roadmaps to launch a strategic planning process and to grow and energize your Board of Directors

### Marketing Resources for Recruitment

Benefit from professionally designed resources to help your district with teacher recruitment and student enrollment

### Members-Only Forum Access

Tap into real-time advice and ideas from Arizona peers

### Recognition and Professional Growth

Boost visibility and leadership skills through access to a wealth of professional development opportunities

### Members-Only Resources

Stay in the know with a members-only Online Resource Library including guides, templates, and toolkits

### NAEF Membership and Perks

Enjoy membership in the National Association of Education Foundations including a wealth of virtual trainings, resources tailored specifically for foundations serving school districts, job-postings, and more



ACEF IS AN INITIATIVE OF THE ARIZONA EDUCATIONAL FOUNDATION

## ARE YOU READY TO AMPLIFY YOUR IMPACT?

Whether you're building a foundation from the ground up or leading a well-established organization, ACEF welcomes you! Together, we'll advance public education in every corner of Arizona.

Join today to access the support your foundation deserves!

### ANNUAL MEMBERSHIP DUES

#### TIER 1: \$200

Annual Foundation Budget: \$50,000 or less  
Includes membership for up to two staff

#### TIER 2: \$250

Annual Foundation Budget: \$50,001–\$75,000  
Includes membership for up to two staff

#### TIER 3: \$350

Annual Foundation Budget: \$75,001–\$150,000  
Includes membership for up to three staff

#### TIER 4: \$450

Annual Foundation Budget: \$150,001–\$250,000  
Includes membership for up to three staff

#### TIER 5: \$650

Annual Foundation Budget: \$250,001–\$500,000  
Includes membership for up to four staff

#### TIER 6: \$850

Annual Foundation Budget: \$500,001+  
Includes membership for up to four staff

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*The Arizona Educational Foundation was founded in 1983 by Carolyn Warner. As Arizona's Superintendent of Public Instruction, she dreamed of a nonprofit that would champion Arizona's education system and recognize the great work of public educators. Today, AEF proudly continues her vision by celebrating excellence and cultivating opportunity in Pre-K through 12th grade public education. Each year AEF's programs touch over 500,000 students, teachers, and administrators in more than 2,000 schools throughout Arizona.*