



Sponsorship Opportunities

Ponte Cura
The Bridge to Cures

2022





Ponte Cura: The Bridge to Cures

A Celebration of Science & Hope

September 30, 2022 | 6:00- 9:00 p.m. | Paradise Valley

Hosted at a private home in beautiful Paradise Valley, Ponte Cura brings together AZAdvances donors, volunteers, and health innovation champions for an evening under the stars that includes a cocktail reception, an open air concert, and an after party where you can connect with Arizona Health Innovators.

A charity benefit and donor appreciation event supporting the Opportunity Through Entrepreneurship Foundation's AZAdvances initiative, Ponte Cura's eclectic musical experience features performances by virtuoso cellist and 5-String Electric Cellist, Michael Fitzpatrick, and local artists.

“The emotion induced by Michael Fitzpatrick’s music is so powerful, it seems almost verbalized. His sound is Clear Light.”

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Arizona life science entrepreneurs are developing the treatments and cures that people are waiting for.

Innovations that address unmet medical needs travel a difficult path from discovery, to development, to delivery. AZAdvances supports Arizona-based health innovators in building solutions to some of the world’s greatest health challenges by providing the resources they need to succeed and developing our future workforce through internships and scholarships.

With our help, and your support of AZAdvances, life-saving and life-changing medical innovations can be developed here in Arizona for the benefit of patients who need them.

Learn more at AZAdvances.org



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Grant & Sponsorship Opportunities



Concert Patrons

Presenting Sponsor

\$20,000 donation includes onstage introduction, online and event recognition.

Production Sponsor

\$10,000 donation supports costs for staging, lighting and sound systems. Includes online and event recognition.

Music Lovers

> \$1,000 donation includes online and event recognition.

Sips and Nibbles

Cocktail Reception & After Party Sponsors

Libations Sponsor

\$5,000 donation includes online and event recognition.

Small Plates Buffet Sponsor

\$5,000 donation includes online and event recognition.

Dessert Buffet Sponsor

\$5,000 donation includes online and event recognition.

Valet Parking Sponsor

\$3,000 donation includes online and event recognition.

(In-kind donations will be considered.)



The Event Experience

Gift Bags & Raffle Prizes

Ponte Cura is an exclusive experience with 100 guests expected

Do you have an idea on how to make the event even more memorable? Please contact us! (In-kind donations are welcome)



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IMPACT Oriented Donations

All Donations Are Welcome

As a 501c3 public charity, the Opportunity Through Entrepreneurship Foundation (OTEF) welcomes donations at every level. We are appreciative of all gifts we receive and recognize donors, who wish to be acknowledged, on the [AZAdvances Donor Wall](#).

It doesn't matter if your gift is \$5 or \$50 Million.

We appreciate you and your donation matters! AZAdvances.org/Donate

AZAdvances Impact

- **Student Discovery Zones** provide Arizona high school and university students the opportunity to display their science projects, make industry connections, and compete for scholarship prizes. Over 1,000 students have participated in the Student Discovery Zones.
- **Entrepreneurial Education & Mentoring Programs** support skills development and entrepreneurial growth. In partnership with the AZBioPEERS program, these services give health innovators access to industry executives, subject matter experts and more.
- **AZAdvances Health Innovation Spotlights** on **ABC15** and **CW61** help raise public awareness on the value of health innovations. This program has reached over 2 million views since it began in 2019.
- **Seed & Early Stage Investment** in health innovations is in short supply in Arizona and each year we fall farther behind. Once capitalized, the AZAdvances Today Fund address this funding need with mission related investments that will help the companies prepare for Angel and Venture Capital investments in the future.
- **Sustainable Growth for the Future** - We are building the AZAdvances Legacy Fund as an evergreen endowment so that these essential resources will be available in Arizona forever.

How YOUR donations can make an impact today

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| • \$50 Zoom fees for 1 month | • \$100 helps fund Student Prizes |
| • \$250 funds a workshop | • \$500 supports Student outreach |
| • \$750 ABC15 spotlights (1 month) | • \$1,000 supports Scholarships |
| • \$1,500 funds an intern for 1 month | • \$9,000 funds an intern for 6 months |
| • \$6,250 funds all costs of a program coordinator for 1 month | • \$75,000 funds all costs of a program coordinator for 1 year |

Gifts to the AZAdvances Legacy Endowment support all AZAdvances programs in perpetuity! OTEF can accept donations online via PayPal, in crypto currency via The Giving Block, as well as appreciated securities and other assets. Just ask us!

