

CCAI's core mission has always been to provide education and training to the industrial finishing industry. That core mission is more important than ever and has led CCAI to establish the CCAI Finishing Education Foundation (CCAIFEF). As a 501(c)(3) tax-exempt charitable organization, the CCAIFEF is uniquely positioned to take finishing education to the next level while working to attract new and younger individuals to our industry.

The CCAIFEF Founding Member Campaign aims to establish a financial foundation upon which our educational programs will be built and expanded.

Founding members of the CCAIFEF share a commitment to supporting the advancement of the industrial finishing and coatings industry. Through the generosity of these donors, CCAIFEF is able to establish and grow crucial education and training programs that benefit our industry today and build a strong foundation for the future.



WHO QUALIFIES?

The Founding Member Campaign is an exclusive, one-time opportunity for donors to support the Foundation and to be forever recognized for their support.

- Individuals, families, corporations, and foundations are invited to participate.
- Donations of \$5,000 or more.

FOUNDING MEMBER DONOR LEVELS

- Champion \$100,000+
- Partner \$50,000-\$99,999
- Patron \$25,000-\$49,999
- Advocate \$10,000-\$24,999
- Supporter \$5,000-\$9,999

HOW ARE DONATIONS USED?

Founding Members provide crucial financial support for invaluable programs that both attract new talent to our industry and provide development opportunities to those who have chosen a career in industrial finishing and coating, including those found on the following pages.

BECOME A FOUNDING MEMBER

To become a Founding Member, contact Sheila LaMothe at 859-356-1030 or by email at sheila@govermgt.com.

FOUNDING MEMBER BENEFITS

As a Founding Member of CCAIFEF, you and/or your company will receive recognition in the following ways:

- Year-round exposure on the CCAI/CCAIFEF websites.
- Listing in the CCAIFEF Annual Report.
- Invitation to special Founding Member events.
- Highlighted in applicable press releases.
- A Founding Member logo for use in marketing materials email signatures, etc.
- Featured on the Founding Members plaque located at CCAI/CCAIFEF headquarters.
- Plaque noting your Founding Member status.
- For FABTECH exhibitors, signage in your booth promoting your Founding Member status.
- Naming rights of CCAIFEF scholarships and programming as available (Champion donors only)







Women in Finishing (WiF) provides personal and professional development for women who have chosen or are pursuing a career in industrial finishing. From the finishing line to executive management, WiF programs assist in the advancement of women in the finishing industry.

WEBINAR SERIES: Designed to address relevant topics that impact both the personal and professional lives of WiF members, the webinar series provides a convenient avenue for education and development that can be shared by all women in an organization.

WIF FORUM: WiF's signature event, the annual FORUM, is a two-day, in-person conference that provides participants with new ways to deal with issues that impact effectiveness, maximize professional impact, build strategies for success, and much more. Finishing technology and trends are also a highlight of the conference and are addressed by expert presenters and shop tours.

NETWORKING EVENTS: WiF hosts a number of networking events throughout the year, enabling members to connect in a relaxed, social atmosphere. WiF receptions are held at FABTECH and the CCAI Annual Meeting.

Donations to WiF are used to support program development and implementation. In addition, WiF funds are used to provide scholarships to enable women to attend the annual FORUM at a reduced rate.





