



Corporate Engagement Prospectus

2025–2026

ENGAGE WITH AGB

Inform, educate, influence, and support a critical audience of board members, presidents, board professionals, and other senior administrators leading colleges, universities, and college- or university-affiliated foundations.

Gain a trusted partner in higher education providing multi-media channels and events to share your thought leadership, offer forward-looking solutions to higher education challenges, help achieve business objectives, and build relevant awareness of your company brand.



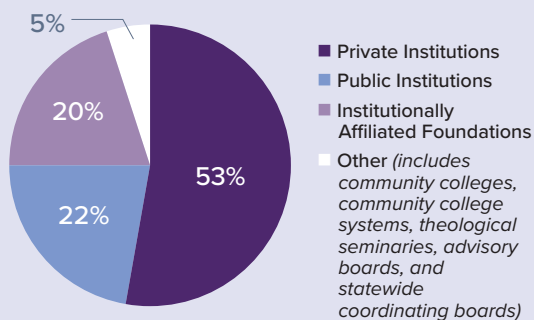
ABOUT AGB

The Organization

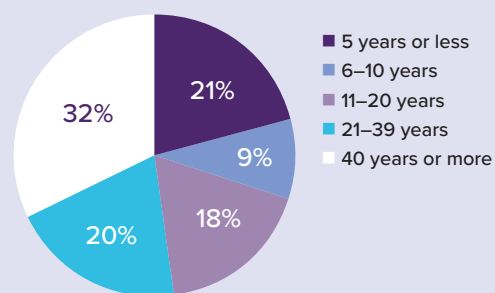
At the Association of Governing Boards of Universities and Colleges (AGB), we believe in the power of higher education to transform lives, strengthen inclusive democracy, and support a thriving society. We believe that strong higher education starts with great governing boards. AGB provides advocacy, leading practices, educational resources, expert support, and renowned programs that advance board excellence for 40,000 AGB members from more than 2,000 institutions and foundations. For more than 100 years, AGB has been the trusted authority for board members, chief executives, board professionals, and key administrators on higher education governance and leadership.

AGB MEMBERSHIP PROFILE

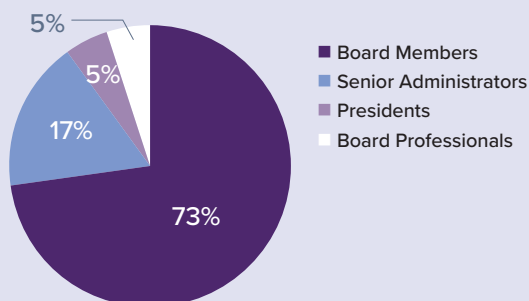
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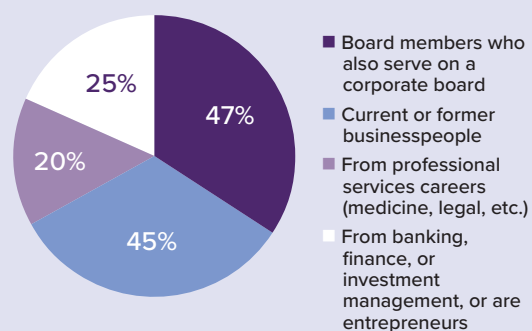
LENGTH OF MEMBERSHIP



ROLES



INDIVIDUAL MEMBER PROFILE



AGB
ADVANCING BOARD EXCELLENCE

THE OPPORTUNITY

AGB is proud of its history of working and partnering with corporations that are providing thought leadership, subject matter expertise, products, and services to higher education. Reading thought leadership pieces from companies is an increasingly important factor in higher education leaders selecting providers to support their strategic initiatives. AGB offers our partners and sponsors multi-media channels and events to share thought leadership. Corporations are powerful, strategic partners with AGB, helping to advance our mission to empower board members to govern with confidence and knowledge.

Engagement Opportunities

AT A GLANCE

Year-Round Engagements

- » Mission Partner
- » Mission Champion
- » Mission Sponsor

Events

- » Foundation Leadership Forum (FLF)
- » Board Professionals Conference (BPC)
- » National Conference on Trusteeship (NCT)

Other Engagement Opportunities

- » *Trusteeship* magazine articles and advertising
- » Webinars
- » Podcasts
- » Blogs
- » Videos
- » Toolkits
- » Reference publications
- » Regional or peer-group meetings
- » Online convenings

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YEAR-ROUND ENGAGEMENTS

Mission Thought Leaders

Mission Partner, Mission Champion, and Mission Sponsor engagements are comprehensive, year-round thought leadership opportunities. They include a robust package of opportunities that provide a cost-effective, high-profile, sustained strategic presence with AGB and its members.

EXCLUSIVE BENEFITS:

- » Premium positioning and visibility across multiple AGB channels and acknowledgment in signage at AGB events and convenings; in AGB executives' remarks, where appropriate; and in select communications with AGB members throughout the year
- » Access to members-only content on [AGB.org](https://www.agb.org)
- » A monthly AGB President/CEO Member Update that goes to all AGB members
- » Subscription to *Trusteeship* magazine (print and digital)
- » Opportunity for multiyear engagement terms of up to three years

ENGAGEMENT OPPORTUNITIES

	Mission Partner	Mission Champion	Mission Sponsor
Rights Fee (Per Year)	Min. \$75,000	Min. \$50,000	Min. \$35,000
Author an article for AGB's award-winning <i>Trusteeship</i> magazine	✓		
Write an advertorial for <i>Trusteeship</i> magazine		✓	*
Present a live webinar	✓ (Two-Part Series)	✓ (Single Webinar)	*
Receive a sponsorship position at AGB's renowned annual conferences <ul style="list-style-type: none"> » Foundation Leadership Forum (FLF) » Board Professionals Conference (BPC) » National Conference on Trusteeship (NCT) 	✓ (All Events)	✓ (Select One Event)	✓ (Select One Event)
Hold a speaking role at AGB's annual conferences	✓	✓	✓
	(To be determined in collaboration with appropriate program director)		
List your company profile on AGB.org year round	✓ (Logo/350-word)	✓ (Logo/250-word)	✓ (Logo/150-word)
Appear in a shared AGB sponsor thank-you ad in <i>Trusteeship</i> magazine	✓	✓	✓
Sponsor a topic area on AGB.org year round	✓	*	*

* Mission Champions and Mission Sponsors may select one of these options to add to their sponsorship based on availability.

Note: The benefits listed for each mission level above may be taken "as is," or AGB can work with you to design an engagement package to meet your specific goals and objectives.

YEAR-ROUND ENGAGEMENTS

Advisory Councils

Mission Partners, Champions, and Sponsors may be considered for sponsorship of an AGB Advisory Council, as available, at an additional fee. The AGB Partnerships Team will provide details upon request.

AGB Advisory Councils are forums for multistakeholder dialogue, including a broad spectrum of college, university, and foundation leaders; subject matter experts; corporate leaders; policymakers; and others. The purpose of AGB Advisory Councils is to learn with and from higher education board members and other leaders, and to inform our entire membership of key issues and leading practices that emerge from the councils' discussions.

EXAMPLES OF COUNCILS INCLUDE:

- » Presidents of colleges and universities
- » CEOs of institutionally related foundations
- » Board leaders of institution or foundation boards
- » Board professionals of institution or foundation boards

The councils convene up to four times per year, one time in person and three times virtually. Partners may contribute to developing the council agenda, have speaking opportunities during some of the convenings, and participate in the council discussions.

2026 EVENT SPONSORSHIP OPPORTUNITIES

At all AGB events, sponsors are partners in the event experience and have exclusive access to event audiences.

- » Sponsors are encouraged to fully participate in event public sessions to interact with attendees and contribute to the conversation about higher education issues.
- » The number of sponsoring companies is limited based on the size of the event.
- » Only sponsoring companies can attend the event.
- » Sponsors are integrated into the program, not relegated to an exhibit hall (there is no exhibit hall).

Foundation Leadership Forum (FLF)

Date: February 1–3, 2026

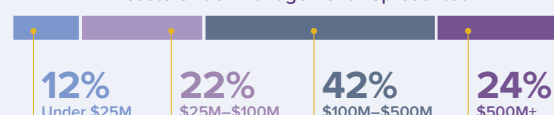
Location: Hilton Bayfront, San Diego, CA

The Forum is the only national convening that brings together board members, chief executives, and other senior staff of college and university foundations along with institution presidents and a distinguished group of industry thought leaders. More than 600 board members and other foundation and institution leaders have attended in recent years. The Forum affords participants a unique opportunity to meet with peers from a broad range of institutions, learn about best practices and emerging issues, and develop strategic priorities to guide the work of their boards and enhance the impact of their foundations.

FLF Attendees by Job Title	Foundation CEO/Executive Director	24%
	Foundation Board Chair	16%
	Foundation Board Member	28%
	Board Professional	11%
	Other Foundation Leadership	21%

\$60,000,000,000

Assets Under Management Represented



FLF SPONSORSHIP

Underwriting Partner: \$25,000

- » The type of speaking opportunity for up to two of your representatives will be determined and developed in collaboration with the Forum Program director. Such sessions would include representatives of member foundations/institutions and/or higher education experts but would not include representatives of other sponsor firms.
- » Premium positioning and visibility in all event channels and other AGB channels.
- » All event sponsor benefits (see [page 9](#))

Contributing Sponsor: \$19,000

- » Joint speaking opportunity for up to two of your representatives. Topic to be determined in collaboration with Forum Program Team. Session would include representatives of other sponsors.
- » Premium positioning and visibility in all event channels and other AGB channels.
- » All event sponsor benefits (see [page 9](#))

Event Sponsor: \$12,000

- » All event sponsor benefits (see [page 9](#))

2026 EVENT SPONSORSHIP OPPORTUNITIES

Board Professionals Conference (BPC)

Date: March 26–28, 2026

Location: Gaylord Rockies Resort & Convention Center, Aurora, CO

This conference is for those in higher education who staff boards of trustees in roles such as board liaison or board secretary, assistant to the president, general counsel, secretary of the college, vice president, and chief of staff. This is a highly influential group of professionals who help shape board meeting agendas and the issues and topics on which boards should focus. Typically, board professionals representing about 350 institutions attend the conference.

BPC Attendees by Job Title

Board Liaison	21%
Director	18%
Chief of Staff	13%
VP/General Counsel	16%
Executive Assistant	14%
Other Senior Administrators	18%

BPC SPONSORSHIP

Underwriting Partner: \$10,000 (Limit 4)

- » Speaking opportunity to be determined in collaboration with the BPC Program Team.
- » Premium positioning and visibility in all event channels and other AGB channels.
- » All event sponsor benefits (see [page 9](#))

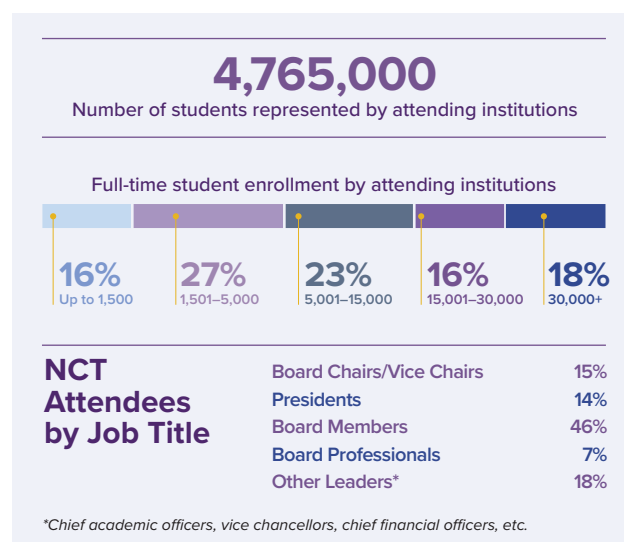
2026 EVENT SPONSORSHIP OPPORTUNITIES

National Conference on Trusteeship (NCT)

Date: March 28–30, 2026

Location: Gaylord Rockies Resort & Convention Center, Aurora, CO

The National Conference is the only national event for trustees, presidents, and other senior leaders of public and private universities and colleges, joined by a distinguished group of industry thought leaders. This is the largest gathering specifically for higher education governing boards, typically convening more than 700 attendees. The conference format is designed to intentionally connect attendees to the people, resources, and ideas needed to address significant governance and leadership challenges.



SPONSORSHIP

Underwriting Partner: \$19,500

- » Concurrent session or workshop speaking opportunity for up to two of your representatives. Topic to be determined and developed in collaboration with the NCT Program Team. Such sessions would include representatives of member institutions and/or higher education experts but would not include representatives of other sponsor firms.
- » Premium positioning and visibility in all event channels and other AGB channels.
- » All event sponsor benefits (see [page 9](#))

Event Sponsor: \$10,000

- » All event sponsor benefits (see [page 9](#))

ADDITIONAL SPONSORSHIP OPPORTUNITIES (ALL EVENTS)

Badge lanyards, conference notebook, Wi-Fi, mobile app, and more. Minimum Event Sponsorship required. Additional fees apply. Ask the Partnerships Team for details.

2026 EVENT SPONSOR BENEFITS

All event underwriting partners, contributing sponsors, and sponsors enjoy the following benefits:

PRE-EVENT

- » List of attendees provided three weeks in advance (includes individual's name, institution, title, and state).
- » Acknowledgment in footers of pre-event emails to potential attendees and/or registered attendees, with hyperlink to company website.
- » Acknowledgment on the event section of the [AGB.org](https://www.agb.org) website to include company logo and name; speaker name, title, bio, and photo (if applicable); and hyperlink to company website.

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- » Complimentary full registrations to the event (Minimum 2; additional based on sponsorship level).
- » Networking opportunities with AGB attendees. Sponsors are invited to fully participate in all public event sessions and contribute to the conversation about higher education issues.
- » Company logo and link to company website from the event website.
- » Company profile, logo, contact information, and link to company website in event app.
- » Acknowledgment during plenary sessions (logo projection and in AGB executive's remarks from the podium).
- » Sponsor acknowledgment and signage in high-traffic areas throughout the meeting space.
- » Display area with signage for sponsor materials at the AGB Hub, the event focal point.

POST-EVENT

- » Final attendee list (includes individual's name, institution, title, and state).
- » Listing in shared recognition ad in the May/June issue of *Trusteeship* magazine, print and digital editions, thanking all AGB underwriters/sponsors; includes company logo and name. Print circulation: 35,000.

OTHER ENGAGEMENT OPPORTUNITIES

Companies can provide thought leadership and subject matter expertise to AGB members through select channels over the course of a year.

Minimum fee: \$10,000

Select options from this list to include in your sponsorship. Limits apply to the types and numbers of options that can be selected. The types and numbers of options selected will determine the final fee. The AGB Partnerships Team will provide details upon request.

TRUSTEESHIP MAGAZINE

The official member publication of AGB. This award-winning magazine consistently ranks as the #1 benefit of membership. Published six times per year in print and digital format. Ads appear in both print and digital editions. Print circulation: 35,000.

- » Advertorial—One page, approximately 750 words
- » Full-Page Advertisement—One issue or multiple issues available. Ads subject to approval by AGB. Other conditions apply.

WEBINAR

One-hour webinar available as a webinar on demand after the event.

PODCAST

A host-guided conversation that is about 20 minutes.

BLOG POST

Approximately 750–1,000 words.

VIDEO

Topic-specific, short-form videos that are less than 15 minutes.

TOOLKIT

Topic-specific collection of resources covering key aspects of the topic.

AGB.ORG WEBSITE

Sponsor a topic section in the AGB Knowledge Center on [AGB.org](https://www.agb.org). Includes company logo and link to company website.

REFERENCE PUBLICATIONS

AGB publications are in-depth treatments of timely topics by authors who are higher education subject matter experts. These are exclusive sponsorships.

OTHER ENGAGEMENT OPPORTUNITIES

REGIONAL AND PEER-GROUP MEETINGS

AGB occasionally plans in-person, topic-specific regional meetings or meetings for institutional or professional peer groups. Topics and locations are to be determined.

ONLINE CONVENINGS

Topic- or role-specific virtual convenings to address critical issues in more depth.

Advertorials, articles, webinars, podcasts, videos, and blog posts must be solutions-focused and cannot have a marketing, advertising, or public relations focus. All content is developed in consultation with AGB staff, edited for style by AGB, and subject to AGB staff approval. Other conditions may apply.

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