Funds Distribution Report

Recipient Organization: Greater Seattle Business Association Scholarship Fund

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Organization's General Goals:

Established in 1981, GSBA is Washington State's LGBTQ and allied chamber of commerce representing over 1,300 small business, corporate, and nonprofit members who share the values of promoting equality and diversity in the workplace.

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Date of Award: 2018 Q3

Level: \$5,001 to \$7,500

For more information, please read the attached report from Greater Seattle Business Association Scholarship Fund.



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Report on the Tulalip Tribes Charitable Contribution for the GSBA Scholarship Fund Leadership Immersion Weekend.

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On August 8, 44 GSBA Scholars gathered at IslandWood on Bainbridge Island for the annual Scholarship Leadership Immersion Weekend. This weekend a provided an opportunity for scholars to build and strengthen their cohort and learn valuable information on a variety of subjects including financial literacy, leading with emotional intelligence, salaries & negotiations, and starting a business. Scholars also heard from community leaders and gained a sense of their own paths to leadership.

In the 2019 GSBA scholars cohort there are 50 students, pursuing a variety of degrees around the country. 6 students were not able to attend due to internships or other studies. GSBA covered travel expenses and accommodations and expenses for all scholars who were able to attend this 3 day leadership training.

This year's scholar's cohort diversity numbers:

- Students of Color 72% (36)
- Trans 46% (23)
- 1st Generation 52% (26)
- From a rural area 42% (21)
- Majoring in STEM 44% (22)
- Average GPA 3.42 (4.0 Scale)

GSBA scholars have an average graduation rate of 91% and for scholars receiving 3-4 years of support this rate is 98%.

After the Leadership Immersion Weekend scholars reported:

"Went on emotional and political journeys not ever forgotten and we built relationships that from nowhere in the world we could stand to let go. I had the honor of seeing some of you at your most vulnerable and most gorgeous and for that, I thank you. I love every single one of ya'll I met this weekend. 3 days felt much longer and it was such a reward to meet you. To grow with you; laugh, talk and digest our upcoming futures. We are family."

Thanks to the support of the Tulalip Charitable Contributions, GSBA is able to go beyond the tuition dollars to offer ongoing support and training for our scholars and to help fulfill our mission to "To Invest in the education of a diverse group of Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual, Transgender, Queer and Allied students

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who have the capacity and vision to be the next generation of leaders working to create a better world for all."

Thank you,

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