



“I’m a huge believer that EDUCATING GIRLS is, if not a silver bullet, at least a bronze bullet—the best leverage we have for fighting poverty. So we’re delighted to be a part of this.”

~Nicholas D. Kristof, *New York Times* journalist and author of *Half the Sky*

## SPONSORS

### IGNITER

#### \$5,000

- Invitation to the pre-event reception to meet Nick Kristof (4:30-5:30pm)
- A signed copy of his new book, *A Path Appears*, for each ticket
- A photo with Nick Kristof
- Inclusion on printed invitation (if commitment received by October 8)
- Special appreciation from the podium during the event welcome
- Inclusion in event program as a “Presenting Sponsor/IGNITER
- Inclusion as a “Presenting Sponsor/IGNITER” in GEC media, event collateral and on event signage
- Prominent digital acknowledgment in looping PowerPoint on big screen during reception
- **6 Tickets for VIP seating**
- A Full Page printed ad in program with Logo/Identity/Message
- Acknowledgement in GEC e-newsletters for one year
- Appreciation for your support through GEC social media such as Facebook and Twitter

### CATALYST

#### \$2,500

- Invitation to the pre-event reception to meet Nick Kristof (4:30-5:30pm)
- A signed copy of his new book, *A Path Appears*, for each ticket
- Inclusion in event program as a Sponsor/CATALYST
- Inclusion as a Sponsor/CATALYST in GEC media, event collateral and on event signage
- Prominent digital acknowledgment in looping PowerPoint on big screen during reception
- **4 Tickets for VIP seating**
- A Half Page printed ad in program with Logo/Identity/Message
- Acknowledgement in GEC e-newsletters before and after the event
- Appreciation for your support through GEC social media such as Facebook and Twitter

### STORY TELLER

#### \$1,000

- Invitation to the pre-event reception with Nick Kristof (4:30-5:30pm)
- A signed copy of his new book, *A Path Appears*, for each ticket
- Inclusion in event program as a Sponsor/STORY TELLER
- Digital acknowledgment in looping PowerPoint on big screen during reception
- **2 Tickets for VIP seating**
- A Quarter Page printed ad in program with Logo/Identity/Message
- Appreciation for your support through GEC social media such as Facebook and Twitter

# PATRONS

## \$500

### Advocate

- Invitation to the pre-event reception with Nick Kristof (4:30-5:30pm)
- **2 Tickets for VIP seating**
- A signed copy of his new book, *A Path Appears*, for each ticket
- Advocates will be prominently listed in a special section of our printed program

## \$250

### Special Friends

- Invitation to the pre-event reception with Nick Kristof (4:30-5:30pm)
- **1 Ticket for VIP seating**
- A copy of his new book, *A Path Appears*
- Special Friends will be listed in our printed program

“My father doesn’t want to pay my school fees. He wants to sell me for a cow. He only sees me as a source of income. A boarding school for girls? That would be very good”

~ a girl from Kitenga Village, Tanzania

### Additional Information:

- Pre-reception, with wine, beer and hors d’oeuvres, begins at 4:30 pm
- General Admission tickets are \$125 and include a copy of *A Path Appears* and wine reception beginning at 5:30 pm
- General Admission tickets go on sale October 1<sup>st</sup>
- Sponsor and Patron Payment can be made online at [www.GirlsEdCollaborative.org](http://www.GirlsEdCollaborative.org) - Or by mail:  
Girls Education Collaborative, Innovation Suites, Innovation Center, 640 Ellicott St., Buffalo, New York 14203

### Printed Event Program

Interested in an advertisement, personal message or dedication to be included in the event program? Specs available upon request.

Full  
\$350

Half  
\$ 250

Quarter  
\$150