SPONSORSHIP PROSPECTUS

CONNECTING, EMPOWERING AND MENTORING WOMEN IN AUTO CARE
SPONSORSHIP

You Can’t Afford NOT to Sponsor. Here’s Why:

1) **Show your female employees you believe in them**
   - Sponsoring the Women in Auto Care Community demonstrates your organization believe in the success of a gender diverse workplace. It signals your company values the recruitment, development and retention of women in the automotive industry.
   - Your company demonstrates support for your female employees and female customers.

2) **Support scholarship and mentoring program that strengthen the industry**
   - Your support provides scholarships for young women and students looking to start and continue careers in the automotive industry
   - You provide support for a mentoring program that helps to recruit, retain and support women in the auto care industry.
   - You help Women in Auto Care provide professional development tools and educational conferences to support and advance women in the aftermarket.

3) **Generate brand awareness to a diverse and growing audience**
   - Our conference attendees and members include technicians, shop owners, engineers, and professionals in human resources, business management, marketing, sales, product management, manufacturing, distribution, wholesale, retail, consulting and the industry associations. In short, our community has representation throughout the automotive supply chain.
   - Your company will receive recognition through Women in Auto Care communications and signs.

The Stats... Your Customers and Vehicle Owners

- The majority of your target customers (67%) are women.
- Women are major influencers on the auto care industry, spending over $200 billion on repairs and mechanical services.
- Ninety-two percent of women pass along information to a friend. Join us in the effort to support the future of the auto care industry and those that influence it the most.

Our message is reaching a larger group every year!
Conference attendance has grown 40% over the past six years.

**We Need Your Support!**

**ONLY 7.2% OF FORTUNE 500 CEOs ARE WOMEN**

**22% OF C-SUITE EXECUTIVES ARE WOMEN**

Women make up 48% of entry-level employees, but their share dips to 38% at the manager level and continues to decrease the higher up you look.

**WOMEN ARE LESS LIKELY TO HAVE ACCESS TO SENIOR LEADERS**

Companies in the MSCI World Index with strong female leadership generated a return on equity of 10.1% per year versus 7.4% for those without.
WHO WE ARE

The Women in Auto Care organization is dedicated to the advancement, education and empowerment of women within the auto care industry. Women in Auto Care is dedicated to providing opportunities, education and career leadership to women in the auto care industry through conferences, networking, scholarships, education, data, awards and more.

Annual Women’s Leadership Conference
Focused on professional development, offering several educational and networking opportunities
- Accredited by Northwood University since 2012—offering continuing education unit (CEU) credits

Scholarship Program
Women in Auto Care grants scholarships to deserving high school and post-secondary female students

Awards
Women in Auto Care administers and sanctions awards at the Women in Auto Care awards ceremony at the AAPEX show in Las Vegas
- Women of the Year awards
- The Automotive Communication Awards

Mentor Program
Women in Auto Care curates mentor relationships based on individual goals, fit and experiences

Having a program that encourages networking, mentoring, recruitment and recognition is vital to fueling the passion of individuals from all walks of life to enter or continue a career in the auto care industry. That’s why we’re proud to sponsor and enable new connections, empowerment and mentorship of women in auto care.

TERI THOMAS
Senior Marketing Manager
National Accounts, Interstate Batteries
HOW YOUR SPONSORSHIP DOLLARS HELP US

Scholarships
Every year, Women in Auto Care awards multiple scholarships for high school and post-secondary female students that are looking at a career in the auto care industry.

GROWN FROM AWARDING $2K TO $100K PER YEAR

Educational Conferences
Women in Auto Care organizes and hosts an annual leadership conference. This conference provides attendees with dynamic speakers and workshops including personal and professional development tools and updates on industry trends. All attendees are eligible to receive continuing education units (CEU) credits toward their Automotive Aftermarket Professional (AAP) or Master Automotive Aftermarket Professional (MAAP) professional designations.

MAP OF 2019 WIAC SCHOLARSHIP WINNERS BY STATE

DISTRIBUTED $450K+ OVER 15 YEARS

ESTABLISHED IN 2004
### ANNUAL SPONSORSHIP OPPORTUNITIES

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- **Ability to select a coffee break at one Women in Auto Care conference for additional recognition as a sponsor ($1,500 value)**

- **$5,000 scholarship in sponsor’s name, recognition through Auto Care press release ($5,000 value)**
  
  *Note: Women in Auto Care Committee selects award recipient*

- **Two invitations to the Women in Auto Care luncheon at AAPEX ($100 value)**

- **Ability to provide and send any company logoed materials (ex., pens, notepads) for distribution to attendees at the Women in Auto Care conference ($1,000 value)**

- **Ability to use Women in Auto Care supporter logo on your communications and marketing materials for 365-day window of sponsorship**

- **Recognition ribbon (“Women in Auto Care [LEVEL] Sponsor”) for your employees at all Auto Care-organized conferences including Auto Care Leadership Days, Women in Auto Care Leadership Conferences, AAPEX, etc.**

- **Recognition of support on Women in Auto Care page of the Auto Care Association website**

- **Recognition in the Women in Auto Care Events within the Auto Care Events app**

- **Company logo displayed at Women in Auto Care leadership conferences falling within the 365 days of sponsorship**

- **AAPEX: Recognition at Women in Auto Care reception through signage inside and outside**

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# CONFERENCE SPONSORSHIP OPPORTUNITIES

## ITEMS

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<td>Opportunity to have the hotel room keys which are distributed to all attendees customized with your company’s name, logo or artwork.</td>
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<td>Opportunity to sponsor the conference internet accessible in the general session room. The internet sponsor will receive recognition in the conference agenda, be referenced throughout the conference when noting the internet, and will also have the opportunity to name the network ID and password for attendees’ access.</td>
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<td>Opportunity to have a pre-approved vendor supplied gift distributed to all attendees at the registration desk (sponsor responsible for production of item). Limited to five companies.</td>
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<td>Opportunity to have your artwork (i.e., company name, logo or ad) created and displayed on one set of elevator doors housed on the main meeting room level.</td>
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<td><strong>BORROW A BATTERY</strong></td>
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<td>Opportunity to sponsor 10 mobile battery chargers for attendees to “check out” from the registration desk and charge their mobile devices during the general sessions. Sponsor’s logo will be displayed with the battery and with all advertisements of this charging opportunity. Only batteries are provided. Attendees must have their own specific cords.</td>
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NAPA is dedicated to driving the appeal, fostering education, allotting training resources, and providing mentorship for women both currently in – or contemplating a career in – automotive repair. Working with industry partners toward achieving that goal helps solidify the strength of our industry and our future success.

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**RYAN FLANAGAN**

*NAPA AutoCare Program Manager*  
*Communications*
CONFERENCE SPONSORSHIP OPPORTUNITIES

EVENTS

WELCOME LUNCH | $2,000
This lunch kicks off the conference for all attendees with focus on welcoming new Women in Auto Care members and first-time conference attendees. Sponsor will receive recognition in the conference agenda and on event signage, as well as up to five minutes of podium time to address the audience.

COFFEE BREAKS | $1,500
Held mid-morning and mid-afternoon, these events provides refreshments for all attendees during a general session break. Sponsor will receive recognition in the conference agenda and on event signage.

- Option to include branded cookies +$1,200
- Option to include branded napkins +$500
- Day 1 afternoon
- Day 2 morning
- Day 2 afternoon

SPONSOR A SPEAKER | $2,000
Support Women in Auto Care with access the best talent and educators for our attendees. Chose from list of conference speakers or recommend your own! Speaker selection defers to Women in Auto Care Committee. Recommendations and suggestions are welcome and always considered.

DAY 2 BREAKFAST | $1,500
Held on the second day of the conference, companies have an opportunity to sponsor this continental breakfast. Sponsor will receive recognition in the conference agenda and on event signage.

DAY 2 LUNCH | $2,000
This luncheon will feature an industry speaker and allow for attendees to network. Sponsor will be given 3 minutes of podium time to welcome the attendees and introduce the speaker. Sponsor will also receive recognition in the conference agenda and on event signage.

OPENING NETWORKING HAPPY HOUR | $2,000
Held in the evening on Tuesday, the event sponsor will provide a beer and wine reception for all conference attendees. Sponsor will receive recognition in the conference agenda and on event signage.

CASINO NIGHT FUNDRAISING SPONSOR | $5,000
The fundraising dinner hosts for casino night will receive recognition in pre- and post- conference materials, on-site signage, company logo on napkin and “casino bucks,” and the opportunity to help craft and name the signature dinner drink.

CLOSING RECEPTION | $2,000
Held on Thursday evening, this event provides a beer and reception for all conference attendees. Sponsor will receive recognition in conference materials and event signage.

It’s great to be involved in a community that cares so much about not only fostering the future of our industry, but also helping to increase diversity in the aftermarket. The participants within Women in Auto Care are truly current and future leaders enabling the auto care industry to thrive.

CINDY FRASCA
Chief Operating Officer, Kukui
Thank you for your support of Women in Auto Care.

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PHOTO FORM

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