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LEADERSHIP
HOWARD COUNTY

A NIGHT OF

Illuminating Leadership

Honoring 2023 Key Leader Zack Shariff and the recipients of the Best Class Ever Award, Emerging Leader Award and the Corporate Community Impact Award

NOVEMBER 16, 2023

5:30 TO 8:30 P.M.

Howard Community College



Beginning in 1985, Howard County's leaders dreamed of creating an organization to equip aspiring participants with the tools to build a vibrant community. Leadership Howard County (LHC) was the fulfillment of that dream - and with the 37 classes that have completed the program since then, it's clear that our community has been built on the strength of this model.

- Nearly 1,550 graduates have completed the Premier program, completing 96 community impact projects.
- 1,100 high school students have graduated from Leadership U, spearheading 152 community service projects.
- LHC alumni have volunteered more than 80,000 hours of support to Howard County nonprofits, equal to an investment of more than \$2 million in our community.

Building on the 2022 celebratory event: *A Night of Illuminating Leadership*, we are thrilled to announce LHC will host the annual event on **Thursday, November 16, 2023**. The evening will celebrate inspirational leadership and highlight a titan in our business community and a hero of service for so many anchor institutions in Howard County. Please join us as we celebrate the LHC **2023 Key Leader, Zack Shariff, LP '12**.

Join LHC alumni, colleagues and community leaders at HCC's Horowitz Center for an enchanting evening that celebrates Zack's illustrious service and impact. We will also announce a new LHC **Corporate Community Impact Award**, recognizing a company whose investment and influence is strengthening our community, and an **Emerging Leader Award** that will recognize a recent Leadership graduate who is highly engaged and emerging as a strong community advocate, as well as this year's winner of the **Best Class Ever!** Guests will enjoy a sumptuous social hour, followed by a program that will entertain and inspire.

This evening supports our crucial goal to financially sustain LHC's programming into the future and provide valuable and inspiring programs to all community leaders. Sponsorship opportunities also support the financial assistance LHC provides to nonprofit leaders, small businesses and qualified high school students, ensuring the program remains affordable and reflective of the diversity in our community. Your support will help ensure that Leadership Howard County has a bright future, one that will continue to inspire and empower leaders to take their place among the stars!

For more information, contact Event Chair, [Louann Magi-Shariff, LP '14](#). Thank you in advance for your support. We hope you will join us on **November 16**.

ILLUMINATING LEADERSHIP LEGACY SPONSORSHIP OPPORTUNITIES

Platinum Planetary Level - \$5,000

- 12 tickets
- Company/individual recognized during the event program and listed (with logo and link) on the event webpage and in social media (to include a special company profile posted on LHC's social media).
- Reserved premium program seating.

Gold Sun Level - \$3,000

- 8 tickets
- Company/individual recognized during the event program and listed (with logo and link) on the event webpage and in social media (to include a special company profile posted on LHC's social media).
- Reserved program seating.

Silver "Moon" Level - \$1,500

- 4 tickets
- Company/individual recognized during the event program and listed (with logo and link) on the event webpage and in social media.
- Reserved program seating.

Bronze "Earth" Level - \$500

- 2 tickets
- Company/individual recognized during the event program and listed (with logo) on the event webpage and in social media.