



Annual Alumni Gathering and Awards Reception Corporate Sponsorship Proposal

SSP International invites you to partner with us!

For over six decades, SSP International's *Summer Science Program* has been a global leader in cultivating the brightest minds in STEM. Committed to fostering an inclusive community, SSPI maintains a need-blind admissions process and ensures that financial barriers never stand in the way of participation.

Since 1959, SSPI has nurtured exceptional students in key disciplines that align with workforce needs across diverse industries, including: **Technology, Aerospace, Pharmaceuticals, Biotechnology, Healthcare, Finance, Environmental Sustainability, and more.**

Participants engage in immersive, cutting-edge research across multiple disciplines, including: **Astrophysics, Biochemistry, Bacterial Genomics, Synthetic Chemistry.**

SSPI alumni—now a global network of over 3,700 innovators—are shaping industries, research, and technological advancements worldwide.

Your investment helps welcome the world's brightest young minds—exceptional students selected for their talent, curiosity, and determination to tackle real-world challenges. As a sponsor, you empower the next generation of scientists and leaders, ensuring that financial barriers never hinder groundbreaking potential.

SSPI's Scientific Focus and Industry Alignment

SSPI offers hands-on research experiences in cutting-edge disciplines, equipping students with the skills and knowledge to drive innovation in key industries.

- **Astrophysics** – Students determine the orbits of near-Earth asteroids by capturing and analyzing original astronomical data.
 - **Industry Relevance:** Aerospace, space exploration, defense, and data analytics.
- **Biochemistry** – Participants research fungal crop pathogens, focusing on the design and analysis of fungal inhibitor compounds.
 - **Industry Relevance:** Biotechnology, pharmaceuticals, agriculture, and healthcare innovation.
- **Bacterial Genomics** – Students investigate the evolution of antibiotic resistance through hands-on genomic research.
 - **Industry Relevance:** Genomics, precision medicine, diagnostics, and healthcare.
- **Synthetic Chemistry** – Participants develop novel macrocyclic catalysts through multistep organic synthesis and compound characterization.
 - **Industry Relevance:** Green chemistry, materials science, sustainable manufacturing, and industrial R&D.

Event Overview

Bringing together over 125 SSP alumni and friends from diverse generations, industries, and regions, this event attracts scientists, engineers, tech innovators, industry leaders, and policymakers. Highlights include networking opportunities, keynote presentations, SSP updates, and an exclusive awards ceremony. To expand access to STEM education, local students will be invited to engage with industry professionals, connect with mentors, and explore potential career pathways, ensuring that bright minds from all backgrounds are empowered to drive future advancements in science, technology, and innovation.



Sponsorship Opportunities

Align your brand with a program that prepares the next generation of STEM leaders. SSP alumni are innovators, thought leaders, problem-solvers, and trailblazers shaping the future of a dynamic and forward-thinking workforce.

Platinum Sponsor: \$40,000

- Keynote introduction or speaking opportunity to highlight your organization's leadership in STEM industries.
- VIP table for 10 at the event.
- Sponsorship of a student table, covering attendance, transportation, and meals for 10 local students.
- Prominent logo placement on all event materials (digital and print).
- Opportunity to distribute branded materials or host an event session.
- Dedicated sponsor table for recruitment and engagement.
- Social media features and inclusion in the event press release.
- Opportunity to provide branded giveaways.

Gold Sponsor: \$20,000

- Recognition during opening remarks.
- VIP table for 10 at the event.
- Sponsorship of attendance for 6 local students.
- Logo featured on event signage and program.
- Opportunity to distribute branded materials or host an event session.
- Acknowledgment on SSP's social media channels.
- Opportunity to provide branded giveaways.

Silver Sponsor: \$10,000

- Table for 10 at the event.
- Sponsorship of attendance for 4 local students.
- Logo placement on the event program and select materials.
- Verbal acknowledgment during the event.
- Option to sponsor a specific event element (e.g., session, cocktail hour).
- Opportunity to provide branded giveaways.

Bronze Sponsor: \$5,000

- Four VIP tickets to the event.
- Sponsorship of attendance for 2 local students.
- Name listed in the event program and on SSP's website.
- Opportunity to provide branded giveaways.



Why Sponsor SSPI?

Global Reach and Impact

SSPI attracts highly motivated students from diverse international backgrounds. By training the next generation in cutting-edge science, SSPI plays a vital role in building a globally informed workforce ready to drive innovation.

Equity in STEM Education

Committed to breaking geographic and economic barriers, SSPI ensures that bright, curious, and talented students have access to our renowned, life-changing Summer Science Program. Through the **SSP Connect Mentorship Program**, we provide personalized guidance to help students navigate the college admissions process, giving them the support they need to pursue higher education and careers in STEM.

By supporting SSPI, funders invest in a global network of innovators united by a shared passion for discovery.

Next Steps

We would love to explore how your organization can partner with SSPI for this impactful event. For more information or to confirm your sponsorship, please contact us at donations@ssp.org or visit www.ssp.org.

Join Us

Celebrate the extraordinary legacy of SSP alumni and their contributions to global scientific innovation—while investing in the next generation poised to tackle the world's most pressing challenges.

Your support will not only ensure the success of our **Annual Alumni Gathering and Awards Reception** but also help cultivate the future leaders of your industry.

