MISSION
To connect, cultivate, inspire, and engage the Next Generation of philanthropic leaders in Houston.

PURPOSE
Throughout this year-long program, you will develop a deeper understanding of your philanthropic journey and identity as well as learn from peers and community leaders about philanthropic trends and possibilities. Participants will have a chance to engage with others in a supportive and private community. You will leave with new tools, resources, and a network to help shape your giving and community leadership.

WHAT IS INVOLVED?

COURSE SCHEDULE

Six 2-hour virtual weekly courses beginning February 2021. Exact dates and times to be determined based on participants' availability.

Course content includes hearing from local experts, donors, and Next Gen alumni. Interactive virtual courses focus on:

- Crafting your philanthropic story and identity
- Reviewing roles of nonprofits and theories of change
- Understanding the philanthropic landscape - locally and nationally
- Working with a team of professional advisors
- Evaluating nonprofits - financials and beyond
- Developing or refining your Board and community leadership skills

NEXT GEN GIVING CIRCLE

Participants join other Next Gen alumni to participate in the Next Gen Giving Circle where you will learn about important issues facing the community, further your strategic grant-making knowledge and impact, and learn from your peers.

PHILANTHROPIC ADVISING

Two one-hour advising sessions with a GHCF philanthropic advisor where you will create your personalized learning agenda and giving plan.

GHCF DONOR EDUCATION & PROGRAMMING

Invitation to attend GHCF donor events with local and national speakers. Events and programming vary each year.

NEXT GEN ALUMNI NETWORK

Upon completion of the Institute, participants become members of the Next Gen alumni network, with now over 120 members. Membership in the Next Gen alumni network is included for three years after completing the Institute.
WHO SHOULD BE INVOLVED?

Ideal candidates:
• Desire to develop skills and knowledge around strategic philanthropy and community leadership
• Are engaged in philanthropic giving (some past participants are involved with a donor advised fund or family foundation).

HOW TO PARTICIPATE OR LEARN MORE

Interested individuals should email or call Annie Hurwitz (ahurwitz@ghcf.org/713-333-4615) to schedule a call to learn more or to nominate a candidate. Class size is limited to 15 participants.

PROGRAM FEE

The current fee for the program is $2,500 plus $650 for Next Gen Giving Circle participation. This includes three years of alumni membership and a $500 grant to a local nonprofit organization through the giving circle. A 10% discount given if two or more members of the same family enroll together.

For more information and to check current class schedule and availability contact Annie Hurwitz, ahurwitz@ghcf.org or 713-333-4615.

NEXT GEN ALUMNI