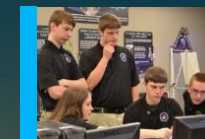




***STELLARXPLORERS***

**SPONSORSHIP  
OPPORTUNITIES**

**INSPIRE, ENCOURAGE,  
AND PROMOTE THE  
TECHNICAL WORKFORCE  
OF THE FUTURE THROUGH  
AN EXCITING & ENGAGING  
COMPETITION**



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*StellarXplorers* is the National High School Space Challenge with the vision to inspire students to pursue careers in STEM through a challenging competition. The Program offers a hands-on series of events that challenges the teams to engage their critical thinking, problem solving, teamwork, and leadership skills. *StellarXplorers* includes an academic / education component as a curriculum supplement. Competition employs computer simulations for system design and performance assessment within space, power, weight, and budgetary constraints. Teams participate in a series of rounds to qualify for quarter- and semi-final rounds. The top ten teams nationally are invited to the National Finals in April.

**Presenting Sponsorship** – Presenting Sponsor is the highest level of sponsorship for the *StellarXplorers* Program. It distinguishes the Sponsor to Industry and Community leadership as a responsible corporate citizen, leading the way in promoting STEM education. In addition to enjoying all the benefits of an Interstellar Sponsor, the Presenting Sponsor will be featured most prominently in promotional material and in-person events, uniquely recognized as the principal sponsor, and provided more direct access to the talented students that may someday be its future workforce.

**Individual Team Associates** (\$2,000) – Organizations are encouraged to partner and sponsor a local high school-aged group to participate in *StellarXplorers*. Engaging a local team ensures the team will remain (and do better) in the competition, while the interaction allows mentors to share their experience and enthusiasm for STEM, as well as enhancing their company’s community relations. Associates will have their logos posted on the *StellarXplorers* web site and acknowledged in the Finals program and AFA annual report.

There are many benefits to sponsoring *StellarXplorers* and continuing the rapid growth and reach of this exciting and engaging competition.

	Interstellar (\$100K+)	StellarPlatinum (\$50K+)	StellarGold (20K+)	StellarSilver (\$5K+)
Logo on Promotional Material	√	√	√	√
Citation in Finals Program	√	√	√	√
Citation, Press Releases	√	√	√	√
Logo / Link on website	√	√	√	√
Logo on Banners & T-shirts	√	√	√	√
Ticket(s) to Banquet	4	3	2	1
STLX coin/pin sets	10	5	2	
AFA Community Partnership	√	√	√	
Banquet Table Sponsor	√	√	√	
Ad, National Finals Program		Full Page	Half Pg	
Corporate Banner at Banquet	√	√		
Featured Speaker at Banquet	√	√		
Ad: AF Magazine's Daily Report (1 mo)	√	√		
Sponsor Competition Round		Five Available		
Technology included in Round	√			
Appointment to Finals Judging	√			
AFA Web Page Rotator	√			
Seat on Program Advisory Board	√			