

2025 SCIENTIST OF THE YEAR CELEBRATION

HONORING DR. ROB KNIGHT
at THE CONRAD in LA JOLLA

APRIL 13, 2025 | 4:00-8:00 PM

SPONSORSHIP & UNDERWRITING OPPORTUNITIES

We invite you to invest in America's future by supporting our young scientists so that we may keep America competitive on the global stage. Your support helps ARCS provide financial awards to our Scholars, who are paving the way for new discoveries that will lead to scientific progress, global STEM competitiveness, and advances in national security.

WHY BE A SPONSOR?

100% of your donation goes toward Scholar Awards in support of our 2025-2026 Scholars.

<input type="checkbox"/> STEM Transformer	\$40,000	<input type="checkbox"/> STEM Propeller	5,000
<input type="checkbox"/> STEM Accelerator	30,000	<input type="checkbox"/> STEM Advocate	2,500
<input type="checkbox"/> STEM Energizer	20,000	<input type="checkbox"/> STEM Supporter	1,000
<input type="checkbox"/> STEM Motivator	10,000		

WHY BE AN UNDERWRITER?

Your 100% tax deductible donation helps to offset the total cost of the event, which maximizes the amount raised for our Scholars. Any excess underwriting funds will be contributed to the 2025-2026 Scholar Fund.

<input type="checkbox"/> COCKTAILS Underwriter	\$2,500 (2 available)
<input type="checkbox"/> DESSERT Underwriter	2,500
<input type="checkbox"/> PROGRAM Underwriter	2,500
<input type="checkbox"/> VALET Underwriter	1,500
<input type="checkbox"/> TABLE DECORATION Underwriter	1,000
<input type="checkbox"/> MUSIC Underwriter	1,000
<input type="checkbox"/> FOURSOME SCHOLAR TICKET Underwriter	1,000 (12 available)
<input type="checkbox"/> SCHOLAR POSTER SESSION Underwriter	1,000

To discuss your interest in specific sponsorship or underwriting opportunities, or to answer any questions, please contact Cathie Atkins 619-990-3321 or Pam Werner 858-361-0041.

Sponsorships and donations may be paid for by check or credit card. Checks should be made payable to ARCS Foundation Inc., San Diego Chapter and mailed together with this completed form to: ARCS Foundation San Diego Chapter, Attn: Christine Diaz, 207 West D Street, Encinitas, CA 92024

BUSINESS NAME: **CONTACT NAME:**

CONTACT PHONE: **CONTACT EMAIL:**

Credit card sponsorships may be submitted online at san-diego.arcsfoundation.org/currentevents

SPONSORSHIP OPPORTUNITIES

STEM Transformer:

\$40,000

Recognition (Name & Logo) as STEM Transformer on:

- o Event Invitation as Title Sponsors
- o Event Program and Presentation
- o Event Promotional Materials
- o ARCS Website with hyperlink to your company or organization website

VIP Reception Table

8 tickets to the celebration with preferred front row seating at the presentation

Your sponsorship will fund four (4) 2025-2026 ARCS Scholars

STEM Accelerator:

\$30,000

Recognition (Name & Logo) as STEM Accelerator on:

- o Event Program and Presentation
- o Event Promotional Materials
- o ARCS Website with hyperlink to your company or organization website

VIP Reception Table

6 tickets to attend the celebration with preferred seating at the presentation

Your sponsorship will fund three (3) 2025-2026 ARCS Scholars

STEM Energizer:

\$20,000

Recognition (Name & Logo) as STEM Energizer on:

- o Event Program and Presentation
- o Event Promotional Materials
- o ARCS Website with hyperlink to your company or organization website

4 tickets to attend the celebration

Your sponsorship will fund two (2) 2025-2026 ARCS Scholars

STEM Motivator:

\$10,000

Recognition (Name & Logo) as STEM Motivator on:

- o Event Program and Presentation
- o Event Promotional Materials
- o ARCS Website with hyperlink to your company or organization website

2 tickets to attend the celebration

Your sponsorship will fund one (1) 2025-2026 ARCS Scholar

STEM Propeller:

\$5,000

Recognition (Name & Logo) as STEM Propeller on:

- Event Program and Presentation
- Event Promotional Materials
- ARCS Website with hyperlink to your company or organization website

2 tickets to attend the celebration

Your sponsorship will contribute to the 2025-2026 Scholar Fund

STEM Advocate:

\$2,500

Recognition (Name & Logo) as STEM Advocate on:

- Event Program and Presentation & ARCS Website
- Event Promotional Materials

2 tickets to attend the celebration

Your sponsorship will contribute to the 2025-2026 Scholar Fund

STEM Supporter:

\$1,000

Recognition (Name & Logo) as STEM Supporter on:

- Event Program and Presentation & ARCS Website
- Event Promotional Materials

Your sponsorship will contribute to the 2025-2026 Scholar Fund

EVENT UNDERWRITING OPPORTUNITIES

Cocktails:

\$2,500 (2 available)

Recognition (Name & Logo) as Cocktails Underwriter on:

- Event Program and Signage & ARCS Website
- Event Promotional Materials

2 tickets to attend the celebration

Dessert:

\$2,500

Recognition (Name & Logo) as Dessert Underwriter on:

- Event Program and Signage & ARCS Website
- Event Promotional Materials

2 tickets to attend the celebration

A background image of various pink and yellow flowers, including what appear to be Banksia and similar native plants, with a soft, bokeh-like effect.

Program:

\$2,500

Recognition (Name & Logo) as **Program Underwriter** on:

- o Event Program and Signage & ARCS Website
- o Event Promotional Materials

2 tickets to attend the celebration

Valet:

\$1,500

Recognition (Name & Logo) as **Valet Underwriter** on:

- o Event Program and Signage & ARCS Website
- o Event Promotional Materials

Table Decoration:

\$1,000

Recognition (Name & Logo) as **Table Decoration Underwriter** on:

- o Event Program and Signage & ARCS Website
- o Event Promotional Materials

Music:

\$1,000

Recognition (Name & Logo) as **Music Underwriter** on:

- o Event Program and Signage & ARCS Website
- o Event Promotional Materials

Foursome Scholar Ticket:

\$1,000 (12 available)

Recognition (Name & Logo) as **Foursome Scholar Ticket Underwriter** on:

- o Event Program and Signage & ARCS Website
- o Event Promotional Materials

Scholar Poster Session:

\$1,000

Recognition (Name & Logo) as **Scholar Poster Underwriter** on:

- o Event Program and Signage & ARCS Website
- o Event Promotional Materials

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