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Champions for Learning Board of Directors

Board Member Key Characteristics

The following characteristics and qualities are key traits we look for when identifying and electing new member to the Champions for Learning Board of Directors:

Organizational Support

- Passion for the Champions for Learning (CFL) mission to serve as a catalyst for educational success.
- Willingness to enhance CFL public image by being a visible ambassador to the community.
- Ability to meet or exceed Board giving requirements on an annual basis.

Governance

- Be familiar with and help ensure adherence to the CFL bylaws and policies.

Leadership

- Strategic thinking and planning skills
- Experience and interest in fundraising and financial investment and/or endowment management, or other professional skills (legal, managerial, public speaking, etc) aligned with Board goals and needs.
- Collaborative style that is supportive and objective but is also willing to express their own opinion.
- Desire and/or experience in chairing and serving on committees.
- Desire and ability to identify and recruit potential Board members who can make significant contributions to the board.

Meeting Requirements

- Ability to prioritize time and resources to attend and participate in Board and committee meetings. Serve on at least one Board standing committee.