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Annual Conference

2026 SPONSORSHIP OPPORTUNITIES
SAN DIEGO, CALIFORNIA
OCTOBER 20 - 22, 2026



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About Arts Schools Network

Arts Schools Network (ASN) is a nonprofit membership organization dedicated to advancing specialized arts schools and programs. Our network of schools, districts, and organizations supports high-quality education in visual arts, music, theater, dance, and media arts. ASN provides professional development, leadership support, national recognition programs, and opportunities to collaborate, share ideas, and support one another. Together, we strengthen arts-focused learning environments and champion the value of arts education.

About the Conference

ASN's Fall Conference brings together arts educators, administrators, and arts education champions from across the United States and around the world. The 2026 conference will take place October 20–22 in San Diego, with workshops, professional development, performances, networking, and tours. The theme, *Borderless Creativity: Arts Bridging Cultures*, highlights how the arts foster dialogue and collaboration across cultures and communities. In partnership with our host, San Diego School of Creative and Performing Arts, the ASN team is planning a dynamic conference that showcases San Diego's rich culture, dynamic schools and vibrant institutions.

Why Sponsor ASN's 2026 Borderless Creativity Conference

Become a sponsor and showcase your brand to a highly engaged community of arts education leaders and advocates. With multiple sponsorship levels available, you can align your support with your marketing goals while gaining meaningful visibility. Your partnership helps make this beloved conference possible and strengthens Arts Schools Network's role as a leading voice in arts education. Join us in connecting, inspiring, and elevating the arts education community.



Reach

Connect with 300+ arts leaders and decision-makers from arts schools, conservatories, school districts, and higher education—professionals who shape programs, budgets, and long-term strategy in arts education.



Past Conferences

Past conferences have been hosted by premier arts schools all around the country including Sarasota, Washington DC, Birmingham, Las Vegas, Chicago, Jacksonville, Orange County, Minneapolis, and Dallas. Each year we offer a jam-packed schedule of breakout sessions covering a range of topics and live performances. Our keynote speakers have included luminaries such as dance legend Debbie Allen, poet/playwright Bryonn Bain, author/activist Tyler Merritt, former White House Photographer Peter Sousa, and Equal Justice Initiative Founder Bryan Stevenson.



300+

ESTIMATED NUMBER OF CONFERENCE ATTENDEES

We anticipate more than 300+ arts education leaders, arts directors, arts teachers, and arts advocates to attend our annual conference. These attendees represent 100+ institutions focused on arts education each year.

Choose Your Sponsorship Level

Choose your sponsorship level and join the prestigious Arts Schools Network annual conference. Your support not only benefits your company but also contributes to the success of this leading event in arts education.

ASN SPONSORSHIP BENEFITS	PRESENTER LEVEL \$20,000	PRODUCER LEVEL \$10,000	DIRECTOR LEVEL \$5,000	ARTIST LEVEL \$2,500
Complimentary conference passes (\$495 value per pass)	Eight Passes (\$3,960 value)	Four passes (\$1,980 value)	Two passes (\$990 value)	One pass (\$495 value)
Ad placement in national digital conference program	Full Page (\$900 value)	Full Page (\$900 value)	Half Page (\$550 value)	Quarter Page (\$425 value)
Complimentary one year ASN membership for organization (\$420 value)	✓	✓	✓	✓
Invitation to have a table at the vendor fair on Tuesday, Oct 20, 2026	✓	✓	✓	✓
Invitation to provide company-branded swag bag items	✓	✓	✓	✓
Logo/name placement on conference event app	✓	✓	✓	✓
Banner advertisement on conference app	✓	✓	✓	✓
Stage recognition throughout the conference	✓	✓	✓	✓
Invitation to table at the special "Sips and Sandals Reception" for all attendees	✓	✓	✓	✓
Organizational name & logo placement on key conference materials	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • event logo • primary event signage • press release • digital program • website • e-promos • social media 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • primary event signage • press release • digital program • website • e-promos • social media 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • digital program • website • e-promos • social media 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • digital program • website • e-promos • social media
Post-Conference recognition/thank you on ASN website	Six (6) Months	Four (4) Months	Two (2) Months	One (1) Month
Monthly post-conference logo placement in ASN e-blasts	Six (6) Months	Four (4) Months	Two (2) Months	One (1) Month
Invitation to speak and to welcome attendees on stage at a general session	Stage time: 5 min	Stage time: 3 min	Stage time: 2 min	
Post Conference list of (opt-in) conference attendees and email contacts	✓	✓		
Photo opportunity with keynote speaker (if possible)	✓	✓		
Homepage ad placement on ASN website for one year	✓	✓		
Option to join one of ASN's monthly Leadership Circle meetings to discuss your company and opportunities for arts schools to explore with you	✓	✓		
Recognized as award sponsor and presented with a Partnership Award	✓			
Invitation to provide a 2-3 minute company promo video to be shown during general session	✓			

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Contact Us

Thank you for considering an Arts Schools Network sponsorship opportunity. We are excited about the opportunity to bring together arts lovers and create a memorable experience for all.

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DEADLINE TO BE INCLUDED IN PRINT MATERIALS: SEPTEMBER 3, 2026