



2025 Matriots Speaker Series

In 2025, the Matriots Education Fund (MEF) will launch our first Matriots Speaker Series, a four-part series designed to engage our audience around the unique barriers women face when considering either a run for public office or supporting a candidate for public office. Many of these challenges are prompted by the intersection of gender and race, family role, income level, education, or lived experience. **The 2025 Matriots Speaker Series will shed a light on these unique barriers and offer skill-building opportunities and first steps towards overcoming these challenges.**

Each session in our Speaker Series will feature an expert panel with knowledge around the subject matter and navigating the space through either being an elected official or a supporting community member. Experts will share their unique perspectives and ideas, with time allotted for audience questions and general networking.

The themes for the four-part 2025 Matriots Speaker Series are:

1. Finance
2. Race
3. Identity Intersection
4. Embracing (Y)Our Power

Today, we invite you to join the Matriots Education Fund (MEF) as a 2025 Matriots Speaker Series event sponsor. Your support and partnership, will allow us to reach a broader audience and provide a deeper and more engaging experience.

Matriots event sponsors receive comprehensive exposure to our internal and external audiences through our communications and social media. We regularly partner with other community-facing organizations to extend our reach. Among other benefits, our sponsors will receive:

- Inclusion in event signage and materials;
- Name or logo featured on event registration, press releases, and website;
- Verbal acknowledgement at the event;
- Networking opportunities with local community leaders and engaged citizens at the event;
- And more as defined in the sponsor benefits table.

To confirm your event sponsorship, please reach out to Sara Brintnall, Director of Development and Operational Strategies at sara@matriotsohio.com. To learn more about MEF, please visit our website: <https://matriotseducationfund.org/>.



2025 Matriots Speaker Series Sponsorship Opportunities

| SPONSOR BENEFITS | SERIES SPONSOR \$16,000 Sponsor The Full Series | PRESENTING SPONSOR \$4,000 Sponsor One Part |
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| Number Available | 1 | 4 |
| Logo or Name on Event Materials & Across Social Media | ✓ | ✓ |
| Premier Seating | ✓ | ✓ |
| 4 Tickets to 2025 Matriots Speaker Series | ✓ | ✓ |

About The Matriots Education Fund

The Matriots Education Fund (MEF) is a non-partisan Ohio-focused 501c(3) nonprofit founded with one goal in mind: increase the number of women involved in all aspects of Ohio’s political system. The MEF supports this mission by educating women about the political process and encouraging women to run for office. Our team works diligently towards the ambitious goal of equal representation for women across all levels of government in the State of Ohio.