



NCEDA FALL CONFERENCE 2022 | OCTOBER 3-4 | ASHEVILLE, NC

For more than half a century, the North Carolina Economic Development Association (NCEDA) and its over 800 members have led successful efforts to promote North Carolina as an ideal destination for business investment, serving as the voice for North Carolina's economic development community by providing professional development, networking opportunities, and advocacy to secure the state's economic future.

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During the **2022 Fall Conference in Asheville, NC**, NCEDA will hold a silent auction to benefit certain areas of work.

AREAS OF WORK:



SCHOLARSHIPS FOR ECONOMIC DEVELOPERS

The Foundation funds several professional development scholarships to enhance the knowledge and skills of economic developers. Scholarships are available statewide for a wide range of professional development training and target under-represented people and professionals working in underserved and distressed areas.



AWARENESS & TRAINING PROGRAMS

The Foundation funds scholarships for elected and community leader training, builds relationships with universities, and provides stipends for EDOs to hire interns. Scholarships for elected and community leaders are targeted to under-represented people and leaders representing underserved and distressed areas.



RESEARCH PROGRAMS

The Foundation supports research projects that advance the economic development profession and inform public policy. NCEDA's research agenda is established by the Research Committee each year.

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2022 NCEDA Foundation Silent Auction Donation Form

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The NCEDA Foundation will hold a silent auction during the **2022 NCEDA Fall Conference** scheduled for **October 3-4 in Asheville**. Proceeds will benefit professional development scholarships for economic developers, awareness & training programs, and research programs.

Your silent auction donation will help us continue with our professional advancement efforts. Thank you for your generosity!

NAME: _____

YOUR ORGANIZATION: _____

PHONE: _____ **EMAIL:** _____

ESTIMATED VALUE: *(value should be no less than \$50)* _____

BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF ITEM:

DONATED BY: *(if different from organization listed above – include contact name, organization and mailing address)*

- Please submit completed form and a photo of your donated item(s) to torsha@nceda.org by **Friday, September 9**.
- Bring donated items to the Fall Conference and deliver to the NCEDA registration desk.
- If you are unable to attend the conference, or have any questions, contact Torsha Eubanks (888.246.2332 / torsha@nceda.org).

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