

Silent Auction Donations

The 2018 Silent Auction, benefitting the Ohio Hotel & Lodging Association Education & Training Fund (ETF), begins Monday, November 19! It will continue through Tuesday, November 20 during OHLA Annual Conference & Gala at the Nationwide Hotel & Conference Center, Lewis Center, Ohio.

The OHLA-ETF is designed to help finance the continuing education of hospitality industry employees for professional development which will benefit both themselves and the member property. This includes classes through community colleges and universities, approved seminars and webinars, as well as certifications through the American Hotel & Lodging Education Institute.

OHIO HOTEL & LODGING ASSOCIATION
2018 CONFERENCE & GALA



Please consider donating to the Auction to help these hospitality employees and current students reach their goals, and help our industry continue to grow successfully.

**We are committed to making the 2018 Silent Auction fabulous, yet affordable.
Go Big and Create Even More Excitement!**

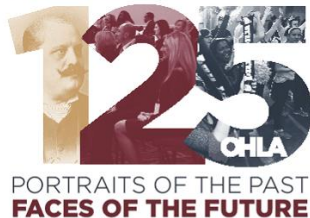
Here are a few suggestions for donations:

- **Enjoy your city! (Regional)**
 - ◆ *Items/certificates for your city*
 - Gear/ Souvenirs featuring your city's logo
 - Tickets to a theme park/zoo/museum
 - Gift Card to a unique, colorful restaurant only *your* city can offer
- **Get outta town! (Travel)**
 - ◆ *Items that make traveling glamorous*
 - Two business class airline tickets
 - One night stay in one of your glitzy suites
 - Gift Certificate or Coupon for a free car rental
- **Sit back and relax! (Salon & Spa)**
 - ◆ *Items to relax and revitalize*
 - Gift certificate to a sensational salon
 - A few pieces of gorgeous hand-made jewelry
 - A gift bag of designer make-up or bath products
- **All fun and games! (Sports & Activities)**
 - ◆ *Items to thrill any sports (or fun) enthusiast*
 - Gift certificate to a sporting goods store to buy gear from the team of their choice
 - Two tickets to a college basketball game or a stadium tour
 - Coupon for a couple's dance class
- **A Night on the Town! (Tickets & Tours)**
 - ◆ *Items for those who want a swanky night out*
 - Two tickets to see your city's opera or orchestra
 - Coupon for a comedy/jazz club or an exclusive bar
 - Gift certificate to a movie theater or concert venue (like Ticketmaster)
- **The Bill's on Us! (Food & Dining)**
 - ◆ *Items to make their mouths water*
 - A coupon for a one-night-only personal chef
 - A top-notch restaurant certificate
 - A gift certificate for a cooking class or wine tasting
 - A month's supply of free steaks, cheese, or wine

Attention Hoteliers: We also gladly accept duplicate hotel donations to be traded for other offers. Offers for trade need to be to us by **September 7th**. Please include the enclosed Auction donation form with your much-appreciated donation.

This year's Silent Auction is Sponsored by





Silent Auction Agreement

Please send your donation NOW so we can post online the great items and offers we will be offering!

All Auction Donations for the 2018 OH&LA Annual Conference & Gala must be received by **November 1, 2018**, WITH THE VALUE CLEARLY MARKED. Please attach a copy of this agreement to the donated item. Your participation is needed to make this a successful fundraiser. As an Auction Donor, your company will be acknowledged through correspondence in our e-Newsletter, various updates online, and by signage at the Annual Conference & Gala.

Please print clearly

STEP 1 --Donated item/service

STEP 2 -- Description of Item/Service

Dates Available: _____

Expiration Date: (Suggested Expiration Date: Fall 2019) _____ **Retail Value:** _____

Restrictions (if any): _____

Item Enclosed **Will mail or drop off by November 1, 2018**

May we combine your gift with other donated items to make a package? **YES** **NO**

Contact Name _____ Title _____

Company Name _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Email _____ Phone _____

Fax _____

Mail this form along with your donation to:
Michele Marcinick, OHLA, 692 N High St., Ste 212, Columbus, OH 43215
or Fax to 614-224-4714
Contact Michele Marcinick with any questions, 614-461-6462, ext. 1, michele@ohla.org
www.OhioLodging.com/conference

Thank you for your support of the OHLA Education & Training Fund