

## Past AFP Chicago Philanthropy Award Recipients

### Benjamin Franklin Award

|      |                                   |      |                          |      |                         |
|------|-----------------------------------|------|--------------------------|------|-------------------------|
| 2024 | Tom Wick                          | 2008 | Edith H. Falk            | 1991 | Willard E. White        |
| 2023 | Greg Cameron                      | 2007 | Mary Jane Drews          | 1990 | Jimmie R. Alford, CFRE  |
| 2022 | Kate Bousum, CFRE                 | 2005 | Jamie Phillippe, CFRE    | 1989 | Clyde P. Watkins, CFRE  |
| 2021 | Maree G. Bullock                  | 2004 | Jonathon Heintzelman     | 1988 | Larry R. Ter Molen      |
| 2020 | Sherre Jennings Cullen, CFRE      | 2003 | W. Joseph Gartner, CFRE  | 1987 | Marian J. Gifford, CFRE |
| 2019 | Christine Zrinsky                 | 2002 | Maria Mangual            | 1986 | Thomas R. Sanders       |
| 2018 | Mary Ladish Selander              | 2001 | Marilyn Benuska, CFRE    | 1985 | William Z. Cline        |
| 2017 | Elizabeth J. Hughes               | 2000 | Mark A. Dennis, Jr.      | 1984 | Thomas G. Sanberg, CFRE |
| 2016 | Michelle M. Sherburn. PCC, ELI-MP | 1999 | Christine O'Neill Singer | 1983 | Richard P. Trenbeth     |
| 2015 | Diane M. McKeever                 | 1998 | G. Dennis Conroy, CFRE   | 1982 | Charles R. Feldstein    |
| 2014 | Christopher Jabin                 | 1997 | Farrell L. Frestress     | 1981 | Sheldon Garber          |
| 2013 | Penelepe Hunt                     | 1996 | William D. Fissingner    | 1980 | Edgar T. Britton        |
| 2012 | Charles L. Katzenmeyer            | 1995 | Randy Holgate            | 1979 | Thomas Dunworth         |
| 2011 | Francine Friedman, CFRE           | 1994 | George Engdahl, CFRE     | 1978 | Margaret L. Eves        |
| 2010 | Dorothy Speidel                   | 1993 | Deborah Strauss, CFRE    | 1977 | George M. Rudolph       |
| 2009 | Betty Bergstrom, CFRE             | 1992 | Herbert E. Newman        |      |                         |

### Distinguished Philanthropist Award

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|------|--|------|--------------------------------|------|---|
| 2024 | Susan and Bob Wislow                             | 2009 | Richard H. Driehaus            | 1993 | Charles C. Haffner III                    |
| 2023 | Joan & Paul Rubschlager                          | 2008 | Bruce & Diana Rauner           | 1992 | Jerome H. Stone                           |
| 2022 | Walter & Shirley Massey                          | 2007 | The Sasser Family              | 1991 | Jack and Dollie Galter                    |
| 2021 | Denise & Gary Gardner                            | 2006 | Ann Lurie                      | 1990 | The Searle Charitable Trust/Searle Family |
| 2020 | Helen Zell                                       | 2005 | Lois & Harrison Steans Family  | 1989 | Lucia Woods Lindley                       |
| 2019 | Alexandra C. and John D. Nichols                 | 2004 | Patricia & Vincent Foglia      | 1988 | Jessie V. & W. Clement Stone              |
| 2018 | Kenneth C. Griffin                               | 2003 | Hope Abelson                   | 1987 | Lehman Foundation                         |
| 2017 | Col (IL) Jennifer N. Pritzker, IL ARNG (Retired) | 2002 | Jim and Kay Mabie              | 1986 | The Regenstein Foundation                 |
| 2016 | Kimball & Karen Anderson                         | 2001 | Dorothy C. & Egon J. Menker    | 1985 | The Crown Family                          |
| 2015 | Thomas M. Owens                                  | 2000 | Marian Pawlick                 | 1984 | A. N. Pritzker                            |
| 2014 | Dick & Susan Kiphart                             | 1999 | The Siragusa Foundation        | 1983 | Marion M. Lloyd                           |
| 2013 | John & Rita Canning                              | 1998 | Mr. & Mrs. Patrick G. Ryan     | 1982 | Irving B. Harris                          |
| 2012 | Diane Gustafson Hill                             | 1997 | Sidney L. Port                 | 1981 | Dr. and Mrs. Edwin J. DeCosta             |
| 2011 | The Duchossois Family                            | 1996 | Joseph P. & Jeanne M. Sullivan | 1980 | Gaylord Donnelley                         |
| 2010 | Mike and Pat Koldyke                             | 1995 | Barbara Levy Kipper            | 1979 | Mr. and Mrs. Foster G. McGaw              |
|      |  | 1994 | Susan and Lewis Manilow        |      |   |

### Emerging Philanthropist

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|------|-----------------------|------|--------------|------|---------------------------------|
| 2023 | Kelsey Malnati Howell | 2020 | Chanel Coney | 2018 | Anthony Rizzo Family Foundation |
| 2022 | Ellen-Blair Chube     | 2019 | Dan Weishar  | 2013 | Kerry and Sarah Wood            |
| 2021 | David J. Koo          |      |              |      |                                 |

### Executive Leader Award

|      |                      |      |                      |      |                          |
|------|----------------------|------|----------------------|------|--------------------------|
| 2024 | Michael O'Grady      | 2007 | Lester N. Coney      | 1991 | George D. Kennedy        |
| 2022 | Eric S. Smith        | 2006 | Denis & Sondra Healy | 1990 | Newton N. Minow          |
| 2021 | Scott C. Swanson     | 2005 | Ronald Gidwitz       | 1989 | Arthur R. Velasquez, Jr. |
| 2020 | Adela Cepeda         | 2004 | Edward A. Brennan    | 1988 | John H. Bryan, Jr.       |
| 2019 | George S. Wright     | 2003 | Pam Strobel          | 1987 | Edward G. Gardner        |
| 2018 | Ilene Gordon         | 2002 | Richard L. Thomas    | 1986 | James J. O'Connor        |
| 2017 | Greg Brown           | 2001 | Deborah L. DeHaas    | 1985 | Marshall Field V         |
| 2016 | Jesse H. Ruiz        | 2000 | James R. Donnelley   | 1984 | James J. Brice           |
| 2015 | William A. Rudnick   | 1999 | W. James Farrell     | 1983 | Donald S. Perkins        |
| 2014 | Bob Arthur           | 1998 | William Osborn       | 1982 | James F. Bere            |
| 2013 | Allan Muchin         | 1997 | Christie Hefner      | 1981 | Frederick G. Jaicks      |
| 2012 | Frederick H. Waddell | 1996 | John H. Costello     | 1980 | Robert Leys              |
| 2011 | Carol Lavin Bernick  | 1995 | John W. Rogers, Jr.  | 1979 | John T. Trutter          |
| 2010 | John W. Rowe         | 1994 | Edgar D. Jannotta    | 1978 | William Ingram           |
| 2009 | Frank M. Clark       | 1993 | Frank W. Considine   | 1977 | E. Stanley Enlund        |
| 2008 | Edward M. Liddy      | 1992 | Andrew J. McKenna    |      |                          |

### Founders Award

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|------|-------------------------------|------|-------------------------|------|-----------------|
| 2024 | Donald A. Campbell, Jr., CFRE | 2001 | Arthur W. Murray        | 1984 | Edgar D. Powell |
| 2016 | The Chicago Community Trust   | 1999 | Bruce Newman            | 1980 | L. Aumund Andre |
| 2012 | Marshall Field V              | 1994 | Donors Forum of Chicago |      |                 |
| 2008 | Sandra P. Guthman             | 1987 | Eleanor P. Peterson     |      |                 |

### Special Award

2024 Jill Zimmerman and Kate Maehr  
2021 Chicago Community COVID-19 Response Fund (Chicago Community Trust & United Way of Metro Chicago)  
2014 The late Jimmie R. Alford  
1996 Smith Barney Chicago Mercantile Foundation  
1994 The late Arthur Rubloff

### Professional Grantor Award

|                          |                                |                        |
|--------------------------|--------------------------------|------------------------|
| 2024 Michelle Morales    | 2009 Mary Ann Mallahan         | 1994 Nikki Stein       |
| 2023 Deborah E. Bennett  | 2008 Eileen A. Sweeney         | 1993 Joanne C. Ford    |
| 2022 Ellie Forman        | 2007 Kassie Davis              | 1992 Marj Lundy        |
| 2021 Donald A. Cooke     | 2006 Anne Roosevelt            | 1991 Sunny Fischer     |
| 2020 Evette M. Cardona   | 2005 M. Catherine Crowley Ryan | 1990 Jean Rudd         |
| 2019 Christine O'Reilly  | 2004 Richard Turner            | 1989 Iris J. Krieg     |
| 2018 Julie Chavez        | 2003 Merri Ex                  | 1988 Nicholas Goodban  |
| 2017 James D. Parsons    | 2002 Amina J. Dickerson        | 1987 Craig Kennedy     |
| 2016 Steve Solomon       | 2001 Alice Cottingham          | 1986 Ellen J. Benjamin |
| 2015 Rosemary Matzl      | 2000 Rebecca Stimson           | 1985 Handy L. Lindsey  |
| 2014 Francia Harrington  | 1999 Marilyn Hennessy          | 1984 Nadine Van Sant   |
| 2013 Bradford L. Ballast | 1998 Sarah Solotaroff          | 1983 William N. Clark  |
| 2012 Ellen Alberding     | 1997 Jill Darrow               | 1982 Lizabeth G. Sode  |
| 2011 Deborah Liverett    | 1996 Diane M. Smith            |                        |
| 2010 David Pesqueira     | 1995 Joyce Grant               |                        |

### Outstanding Community Leader Award

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|----------------------------------|-----------------------------------|-----------------------|
| 2024 Ayesha Jaco, MAM            | 2012 Bernarda Wong                | 2000 Margaret Smith   |
| 2023 Pastor Corey B. Brooks      | 2011 Joseph Podlasek              | 1999 Jessie Woods     |
| 2022 Brenda Battle               | 2010 Lisa Nigro                   | 1998 Marca Bristo     |
| 2021 Dr. Omar Lateef             | 2009 Rev. Michael M. Boland       | 1997 Sokoni Karanja   |
| 2020 Ricardo Estrada             | 2008 Suellen G. Long              | 1996 Patty C. Crowley |
| 2019 Liz Thompson                | 2007 Michael C. Cook              | 1995 Thomas Tunney    |
| 2018 Joy Aruguete                | 2006 Jerome H. Stone              | 1994 Rafael Ravelo    |
| 2017 Mike and Mariann Stanton    | 2005 Henry Tews                   | 1993 Mary Nelson      |
| 2016 Diane Latiker               | 2004 Gabrielle Lyon & Paul Sereno | 1992 Agaliece Miller  |
| 2015 Raul I. Raymundo            | 2003 Ada Addington                | 1991 Irene Johnson    |
| 2014 Valerie S. Lies             | 2002 Rutha E. Gibson              |                       |
| 2013 Grant Achatz & Nick Kokonas | 2001 Kompha Seth                  |                       |

### Outstanding Volunteer Award

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|-----------------------------------|------------------------------------|------------------------------------|
| 2024 Barbara Morton, PhD          | 2007 Lawrence Howe                 | 1991 Judith S. Block               |
| 2023 Jennifer Guzman              | 2006 Don Jackson                   | 1990 M.P. "Pete" Venema            |
| 2021 Robert Rizzo                 | 2005 Robert Reusché                | 1989 Natalie G. Heineman           |
| 2020 Claudia Winkler              | 2004 Judy Keller                   | 1988 Marjorie Craig Benton         |
| 2019 Richard W. Hutson            | 2003 Caryn Platt Tatelli, AM, LCSW | 1987 Joan W. Harris                |
| 2018 Michael Matters Foundation   | 2002 Joseph A. DiCara, MD, MPH     | 1986 Norman Ross                   |
| 2017 Toni Sandor Smith            | 2001 Eugene "Gene" Morris          | 1985 Mrs. Charles J. Runner        |
| 2016 Susan Staehely               | 2000 Robert "Bud" Lifton           | 1984 Betty Reneker                 |
| 2015 Captain James A. Lovell, Jr. | 1999 Ann Barzel                    | 1983 Reverend Dr. Kenneth B. Smith |
| 2014 Charles B. Lawless           | 1998 Mrs. James (Ellen) O'Connor   | 1982 Mrs. Louis L. Perlman         |
| 2013 Bob Lee                      | 1997 Nancy Klimley                 | 1981 Junia Hedberg                 |
| 2012 Elizabeth Luxem              | 1996 Chuck Hogren                  | 1980 Stanley M. Freehling          |
| 2011 Lois Zoller                  | 1995 O. Robert Nottelmann          | 1979 Honorable Michael J. Howlett  |
| 2010 Linda I. Celesia             | 1994 Andrew Thomson, M.D.          | 1978 Mrs. Malcolm N. Smith         |
| 2009 Donna LaPietra & Bill Kurtis | 1993 Katherine S. Mayer            |                                    |
| 2008 Audrey Tuggle                | 1992 Sidney Epstein                |                                    |

### Outstanding Youth in Philanthropy Award

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|------|--|------|--|------|---|
| 2024 | Latin School of Chicago<br>Student Philanthropy Initiative                           | 2017 | Brennan O'Connell-Miller and<br>Katherine Young          | 2011 | Consolidated High School Dist. #230       |
| 2023 | Ava Gresser  | 2016 | Swiftly Foundation Board of Directors                    | 2010 | Students of Glenbrook South HS            |
| 2021 | Ravi & Rohan Mahajan and Oak<br>Park-River Forest Community<br>Foundation Foundation | 2015 | Dylan Full   | 2009 | Athlete's CARE                            |
| 2020 | Felix Castillo   | 2014 | Students of the Chicago Academy<br>For the Arts          | 2008 | Elizabeth Abello                          |
| 2018 | Jahkil Jackson   | 2013 | Nathan Pautsch   | 2007 | Northwestern University Dance<br>Marathon |
|      |  | 2012 | Homeless Experts Living Life's<br>Obstacles (H.E.L.L.O.) | 2006 | Wheaton Academy Zambia Project            |

### President's Award

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|------|----------------------------------|------|--------------------------------|------|------------------------------|
| 2020 | John Huebler, CFRE               | 2003 | Barbara Ellen Talisman         | 1990 | Abbie J. von Schlegell, CFRE |
| 2019 | Jacquelyn M. Bonavia, CFRE       | 2002 | Jay Frey, CFRE                 | 1989 | Joan Goldstein, CFRE         |
| 2018 | Judy T. Lindsey, CFRE            | 2001 | Elizabeth Fallon Quilter, CFRE | 1988 | Betty Bergstrom, CFRE        |
| 2017 | Michelle M. Sherbun, PCC, ELI-MP | 2000 | Michael Godnick                | 1987 | Wendy Fisher, CFRE           |
| 2016 | Grant Gilbert, CFRE              | 1999 | Heather T. Hutchison, CFRE     | 1986 | Sally Ver Schave-Iberg, CFRE |
| 2013 | Alexander F. Pope, CFRE          | 1998 | Jamie Phillippe, CFRE          | 1985 | Susan Church                 |
| 2011 | Marilyn Benuska, CFRE            | 1997 | Diane M. McKeever, Ph.D., CFRE | 1984 | Dorothy Holmes Darby, CFRE   |
| 2009 | Marilyn Foster Kirk, CFRE        | 1995 | Talmadge D. Betts, CFRE        | 1983 | Richard L. Heiss, CFRE       |
| 2008 | Jill Koski, CFRE                 | 1994 | Paul P. Pribbenow, Ph.D., CFRE | 1981 | Vernon J. Dockery, CFRE      |
| 2007 | Doug Diefenbach                  | 1993 | Tamara L. Nelson, CFRE         | 1980 | Nike B. Whitcomb, CFRE       |
| 2006 | Juan Calixto, CFRE               | 1992 | Sandra C. Danforth, CFRE       | 1979 | C. Wilson Schroeder, CFRE    |
| 2005 | Cynthia L. Schmidt, CFRE         | 1991 | Edith H. Falk, CFRE            | 1978 | Donald A. Campbell, Jr. CFRE |