

VIDENCE-BASED RESEARCH ON CHARITABLE GIVING

Want to try a new fundraising method? Do you need proof a fundraising technique works?

SUBMITAN IDEA TO SPIS IDEA CONTEST Win up to \$5,000 for your idea!

The Science of Philanthropy Initiative (SPI) is a research and outreach initiative based out of the University of Chicago. SPI partners with philanthropic organizations to understand why people give and how to improve fundraising techniques.

# What is the SPI Idea Contest?

The SPI Idea Contest is a competition for charitable organizations to submit fundraising ideas that can be tested by SPI researchers. SPI is looking for ideas that will further the science of philanthropy and change the way development professionals fundraise.

### Why you should enter:

- 1<sup>st</sup> prize: \$5,000
- 2<sup>nd</sup> prize: \$1,500
- 3<sup>rd</sup> prize: \$500
- Publicity on SPI materials
- Possible partnership with SPI to test your idea

## How to enter:

Fill out a brief entry form about your organization, your fundraising idea and the rationale behind it at <u>SPIhub.org/contest</u>

## Who can enter?

Anyone from a 501(c)(3) nonprofit organization who is involved with fundraising activities.

## When should you enter?

Competition closes at 11:59 PM CST on June 14, 2013

## Learn more about SPI at <u>SPIhub.org</u>

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