## Region O Council for the Advancement of Minorities in Engineering





Dear Community Leaders,

ROCAME... Region 'O' Council for the Advancement of Minorities in Engineering is celebrating its 40<sup>th</sup> year of service to students and the community on **Saturday, November 16, 2019** at 6:00 p.m. in the Burney Center located on the campus of UNC Wilmington. Since it's inception, the ROCAME organization has successfully promoted the field of science, technology, engineering, and math to thousands of minority students in New Hanover, Brunswick, Pender, and Columbus Counties.

#### **Our Mission:**

To establish the sound foundation for a viable and accountable program to encourage minority youths to enter the fields of engineering, math, science, and technology.

#### How the mission is fulfilled:

- Students in grades 6-12 participate in school-based ROCAME clubs, visit college campuses, participate in community service projects, interact with industry mentors, etc.
- The organization hosts the annual ROCAME Science and Technology Jamboree where students compete in areas including math, robotics, computer science, physics, and mechanical engineering. This past school year over 200 middle and high school students participated in the event.
- Annually, two outstanding students are recognized as Middle School Student of the Year and High School Student of the Year. They receive an IPad or other technology in recognition of their academic and extracurricular accomplishments.
- Two \$1,000 scholarships are awarded annually to outstanding students who have enrolled in 4 year colleges and universities. Our award winners in previous years have attended and demonstrated success at almost all North Carolina universities and colleges.

#### How can you help?

In order to make ROCAME's 40<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Celebration a success and help the organization gather the resources to provide continued opportunities for students, we need your financial support of the ROCAME organization. See the next page for sponsorship opportunities. All donations will be acknowledged and donors exceeding \$100 will be listed in the anniversary

souvenir booklet and marketing materials. Thank you for supporting our efforts to promote the fields of science, technology, engineering and mathematics.

The ROCAME Board of Directors Tony E. Carter, President

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## Event Sponsor

Investment \$4000 (2 available)

- Full page color advertisement with prominent placement in the Souvenir Booklet
- Table of 8 at the event
- Recognition by the Master of Ceremonies during the event
- Recognition in event posters, flyers, table signage and visual presentations
- Table in the main entrance with the organization's promotional materials
- Sponsor of the 2020 ROCAME Scholarship award in the amount of \$1500 and a representative of your organization will have a seat on the selection committee.

## Award Sponsor

Investment \$2000 (2 available)

- Half-page color advertisement in the Souvenir Booklet
- Table of 8 at the event
- Recognition by the Master of Ceremonies during the event
- Recognition in event posters, flyers, table signage and visual presentations
- ♦ Sponsors ROCAME Middle School Student of the Year Award organization's name listed on the award
- Sponsors ROCAME High School Student of the Year Award organization's name listed on the award

## Table Sponsor

Investment \$1000 (10 available)

- One-quarter page color advertisement in the Souvenir Booklet
- 4 seats for your organization at the event
- Recognition by the Master of Ceremonies during the event
- Recognition in Souvenir Booklet, table signage and visual presentations
- Sponsors 4 student/advisor seats at your table

## Student Sponsor

Investment \$500 (10 available)

- Donors sponsor 10 student seats for the event
- Receives 1/8th ad space in Souvenir Booklet and during the event

#### Donor

Investment \$100-\$500

◆ Donors receive recognition during the event and listed in the Souvenir Booklet

#### Friends of ROCAME

Investment varies

Contributions will fund student tickets to the event and future ROCAME activities

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#### SPONSORSHIP AGREEMENT

**ROCAME 40th Anniversary Celebration** 

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Saturday November 16, 2019 - 6:00 p.m.	Burney Center	- UNC Wilmington

Name of Company/Organization Please print your name exactly as you w		
Contact Name:		
Address:		
Phone Number:		
Email Address:		
Sponsorship opportunities:		
Event Sponsor - \$4000	Award Sponsor - \$2000	
Table Sponsor - \$1000	Student Sponsor - \$500	
Donor \$	Friend of ROCAME \$	
Total Contribution		
Deadlines and Techn	nical Requirements	
Submit your completed agreement (with paymen souvenir booklet must be camera-ready and submanded).  Email ads to: info@rocame.org	nitted via email in jpeg format by October 31,	
Make your check or money order payable to ROC visit the organization's website to make your onli www.rocame.org/support.html		
The undersigned agrees to purchase sponsorship Booklet and agrees to pay for said space. The RO refuse advertisements not compatible with ROCA	CAME Board of Directors reserve the right to	
Signature of Sponsor	Date:	
Signature of ROCAME Representative		

# A GLIMPSE OF ROCAME Through the Eyes of Students and a ROCAME Board Member





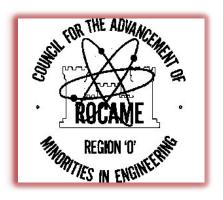
As a high school student, I participated in ROCAME to become more educated in STEM subjects to help me pursue a career in a technical field. My career goal is to be a marine biologist. Thank you ROCAME for the opportunities. **Julia Vasquez**, 2019 ROCAME Scholar - Pender County

Being a member of ROCAME throughout my middle and high school years exposed me to connections, opportunities, and perspectives that may have otherwise not allotted to me. Because of ROCAME I was able to tour several colleges and universities. The increased exposure provided by ROCAME to subject matter related to Engineering, inevitably lead to my decision to major in Architectural Engineering at North Carolina A&T State University. I graduated in 2016 and am currently a Project Engineer for Barton Malow. Thank you ROCAME. Patrick Hayes, New Hanover County





I participated in ROCAME as a student in middle and high school, was selected as a ROCAME Scholar in 2003 and began to volunteer with ROCAME while in college to educate young minorities about the opportunities in engineering. I graduated for North Carolina A&T State University and earned a degree in Civil Engineering. Currently, I am a lead civil engineer with the Corps of Engineers and proud to serve the community and the ROCAME Board. Thank you ROCAME. **Tamara Murphy**, P.E., New Hanover County



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