



5th Anniversary Gala & Awards

Sponsorship Package

Delta Hotel Toronto
Saturday, September 27th
6:00 PM - 11:00 PM



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About Us

The Ase Community Foundation for Black Canadians with Disabilities is proud to be Canada's first National charitable organization to build knowledge and awareness at the intersection of Blackness, disability, and gender; by and for Black disabled people. We honour and build on the work and wisdom of our ancestors and leaders, and embrace our collective journey of resistance and liberation. Over the past five years, our work is grounded in the principles of Black Disability Justice, Black feminism, and decolonization—challenging ableism and anti-Black racism while amplifying the voices and leadership of Black disabled communities across the country.

As visionaries and trailblazers, we are also proud to be the FIRST in Canada.:

**FIRST**

National Black disability-led organization in Canada (B3+)

Black Accessibility Knowledge Hub (The Black Hub)

National Black Disability Coalition (NBDC)

Culturally affirming, accessible, and national safe space for Black disabled people .

Black Disabled Civil Society to present at the United Nations

We invite you to join us in celebrating this powerful milestone at our **5th Anniversary Gala on September 27, 2025, at the Marriott Delta Hotel in Toronto**. This unforgettable evening will bring together community, change-makers, advocates, and allies to celebrate our collective progress and raise critical funds to advance our mission.

Be part of this transformative night of reflection, recognition, and community.

Vision



We envision Black people with disabilities fully engaged and thriving within an equitable society that embraces our unique talents and empowers our success.

Mission



We disrupt disparities at the intersection of Blackness, disability, and gender, driving cultural shifts through advocacy, research, community programs, and knowledge mobilization.

“Black disabled people thrive on a path they design”

Meet Our Team



Liza Arnason

Founder & Chair,
Board of Directors



Jheanelle Anderson

Vice Chair
Board of Directors



Bernard Akuoko

Partnership Director
Board of Directors



Aronke Emmanuel

Director



Affrica Spence

Community Coordinator



Fola Bakare

Community Animator



Amanda Ingabire

Manager

Impact Report

Since 2020, the ASE Community Foundation has emerged as a national catalyst for systemic change—hosting seminars, events and research engaging more than 3,800 participants from every province and territory. This reflects both our expansive national reach and the vital importance of our mission

Our commitment to education and empowerment is equally strong:

- We've delivered **45+** transformative learning sessions,
- Grown a readership of **1,947+** engaged newsletter subscribers,
- Forged 50+ national partnerships, and
- Trained over **50** Black Disabled Youth Fellows, cultivating the next generation of change makers.

With an astonishing **3000%** growth in engagement since our founding, our momentum is undeniable—and we're just getting started.

Key Impact Metrics - 5 Years

Social Media



8000+

Cumulative followers
across Instagram,
Linkedin, Youtube.

Members



3000+

Community members
across intersectional
identities, participating
in services, programs &
events.

Event

participants



3,800+

Building knowledge,
awareness, &
community.

National & Global Representation



Across all National
provinces & territories
Global disability
communities

Workshops



45+

Skills development &
self advocacy

Partnerships



60+

Collaborations across sectors;
disability, Black community,
education, health & wellbeing,
entrepreneurship, employment
& research

Engagement Growth



3000%

growth since 2020

Events



80+

events, with an
average of 16
events/year.

Youth Staff & Fellows



100+

EmpowHERed Kandake
& youth employment
programs



Sponsorship Package

■ Title Sponsor – \$15,000 (1 available)

- Premier logo placement on all event materials, press, and website
 - Speaking opportunity during event program
 - Logo on red carpet step & repeat and media wall
 - 2 VIP tables (16 guests) with premium seating
 - Full-page ad in event program
 - Branded signage at event entrance
 - Recognition on social media and press release
- \$15,000**

■ Gold Sponsorship Package

- Logo featured on digital and printed promotional material
 - 1 VIP table (8 guests) with priority seating
 - Half-page ad in event program
 - Logo featured during dinner slideshow
 - Speaking opportunity during event program
- \$10,000**

■ Silver Sponsor

- Logo featured on event signage and digital promo
 - 4 complimentary tickets
 - Quarter-page ad in the event program
 - Social media spotlight mention
- \$5,500**

■ Community Sponsorship

- Logo listed in the event program and website
 - 2 event tickets
 - Social media shoutout
- \$2,500**

■ Additional Sponsorship Add-Ons

- Floral Sponsor – \$1,200 (Includes signage at centerpiece displays)
 - Photo Wall Sponsor – \$1,500 (Branded backdrop placement)
 - Entertainment Sponsor – \$2,000 (Stage mention + logo on programs)
 - Dessert or Wine Sponsor – \$1,000
- \$1,000+**

Reserve Your Sponsorship

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Please contact Fola at events@asecommunityfoundation.com or call 416-420-7778.

Sponsorship Commitment Deadline: August 30, 2025

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