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Don't Close the Door on Your Donors:

Intentional Inclusivity in Fundraising Events



Wednesday, October 9, 2024





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# Let's Get Started!

What's one or two words you hope describe how your guests feel when leaving your fundraiser?



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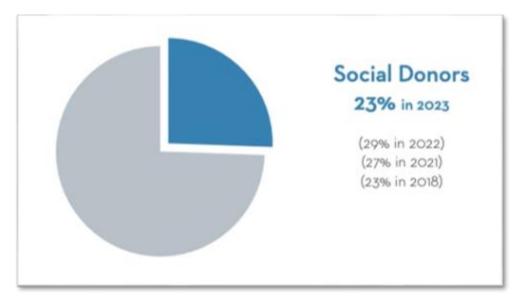
#### Agenda

- Why Intentional Inclusion Matters
- Data from the Giving Experience Study
  - Involvement preferences for donors of varying demographics
  - Where diverse audiences learn about social giving events/campaigns
- Planning for Inclusivity
  - Marketing, onsite, the little things, follow-up
- Wrap-Up and Q&A



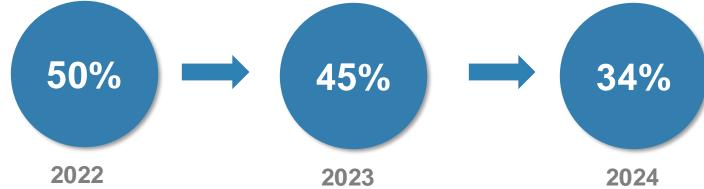
# Why Intentional Inclusion Matters

# **Why It Matters**



Percent of U.S. adult population that self-identifies as social givers, by year.





## Why it Matters

Everyone – across varying backgrounds, identities, and abilities – deserves to feel valued, welcomed, respected, included, represented, and 6% 40 million e deserves to a they fully bell and a disability as LGBTQ+ ldentify a disability





#### @TheEvilChocolateCookie 2 weeks ago

This is probably one of the most beautiful things I have seen in a long time. The commercial itself was amazing, but the fact that they showed something made for accessibility is just... Words fail me. So often we are overlooked and made to feel like we're burdens on every single member of society ever. Not here. The feature they've described here is amazing. What the commercial doesn't necessarily show you is it does more than just humans and animals. Mine has also recognized electronic items and food. I used to struggle to take pictures because I never knew when things were in frame. This right here is a life changer. Maybe Apple refusing to help me was for the best. Now I have something like this. Thanks Google.



#### @javierkussrow 3 weeks ago

thanks a lot google, gut, smuggler, adam and all the fabulous team on that project. It was a big pleasure to be part of this



#### @ukekrazy1242 2 weeks ago

As a photographer with Low vision, this ad made me cry! This is so exciting! Good Job Google! 1



#### @haileylink 2 weeks ago

i'm a half blind 19 year old, lost my eye 2 years ago. i saw this commercial while watching the super bowl last night and just started crying. my biggest fear is my vision worsening in my only eye left and no longer getting to see moments like my children being born, getting married, making art and seeing the world. thank you google for making such a remarkable product and commercial that so perfectly shows the big and small moments that need to be captured.



#### @OcalaBrew 3 weeks ago

Two thumbs up from a legally blind woman who appreciates what you've done, Google! Thanks! 👍 👍 🤎







#### @AliciaNyblade 2 weeks ago

I've been visually impaired since birth. This, our community's existence being acknowledged in something as big as a Super Bowl commercial, was such a wonderful surprise. And the technology sounds great, too! Thanks, Google!

#### @KanawhaCountyWX 1 month ago

This is why as a blind person I intend to stick with pixel. This is one of many features on a long list that just keeps me coming back for more



@Am21Cards84 2 weeks ago (edited)

Re post Super Bowl airing of commercial: Very disappointed Google. Very disappointed. Initial props for having both a director and an actor who are blind, as well as Stevie Wonder.

However, you misssed the point entirely by not airing the audio described video for everyone to hear/see, thereby decreasing access, especially for blind:visually impaired users. The open audio description also would have made more sense for sighted users as they would've had an explanation of why the commercial was the way it was, even including the text on the screen, and the commercial overall.

But instead of the audio descriptive video airing, this one played instead...

Open audio description would have made this single commercial enjoyable for everyone equally - during the same exact moment in time, without delay. Often, people with visual impairments have to find an accessible version (if it exists to begin with) sometimes at a much later date/time then the original airing.

#DoBetterForEqualAccess



@blythedemarko 2 weeks ago

Ever heard of nothing about us without us? Clearly not, since y'all made the piss poor decision of not airing this masterpiece with open audio description during the game itself last night when the exposure, and opportunity for educating and setting a new standard was positively massive. So many in the blind and low vision community were behind this, trusting that y'all were going to actually do the right and decent thing, but you let us down When you were just at the point of greatist impact and making history too. SHAME ON GOOGLE!!!

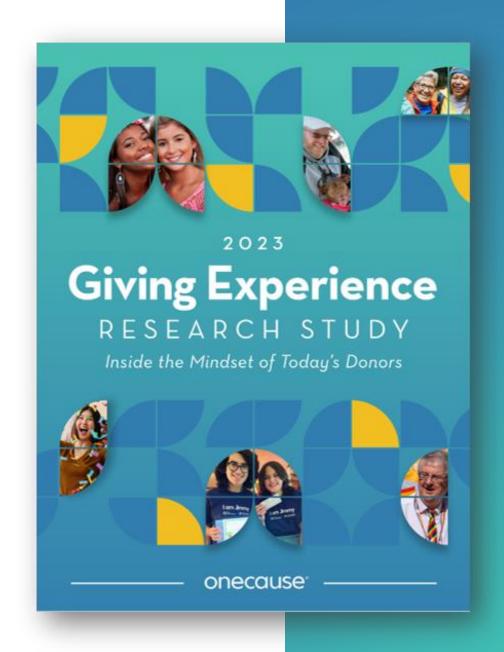


# Set the Stage with Data

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#### Research

- 1,101 social donors
- Online survey with Edge Research
- Donors who supported an event, peer-to-peer campaign, occasion or giving day, challenge



### **Demographics**

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16% Donors w/ Disabilities

6% AANHPI

10% Black

20% Hispanic 13% LGBTQ+

60% White/Non-Hispanic

Percent of sample	Gen Z (1996-2003) 8%	Millennials (1981-1995) 36%	Gen X (1965-1980) 26%	Boomers Matures (Before 1964)
Donated more money	50%	43%	32%	27%
Gave to more orgs	47%	47%	38%	28%
Donated in response to a current issue or need	36%	38%	29%	20%

# **Giving Ranges**

	\$1-24	\$25-49	\$50-99	\$100- 199	\$200- 499	\$500- 999	\$1,000- \$4,999	\$5,000- 9,999	\$10-15k	\$15k+
AANHPI	5%	4%	3%	6%	16%	14%	40%	9%	1	2%
Black	7%	6%	7%	10%	21%	16%	18%	6%	3%	3%
Hispanic	4%	3%	6%	11%	18%	14%	29%	6%	4%	3%
White	2%	1%	4%	13%	18%	17%	29%	8%	4%	3%
Donors w/ disabilities	11%	3%	6%	13%	16%	17%	20%	7%	-	6%
LGBTQ+	7%	3%	9%	11%	16%	12%	25%	12%	2%	4%



### Types of Support & Involvement

	AANHPI	Black	Hispanic	White	Donors w/ disabilities	LGBTQ+
Mutual aid	27%	26%	27%	22%	31%	23%
Donated or requested donations for a specific giving day/month	47%	48%	38%	25%	42%	33%
Donated or requested donations for an occasion (birthday or in memorial/tribute)	41%	31%	35%	37%	44%	36%
Donated or participated in a fundraising challenge	32%	28%	24%	23%	21%	24%
Donated directly to an organization	60%	46%	60%	77%	65%	61%



#### **HOW Did You Learn About**

	Family, Friend, Colleague	Work	Nonprofit Outreach	Ad	Celeb or Influencer
How did you hear about the last social fundraising event or campaign you gave to?	55%	16%	25%	18%	12%



#### **How Did You Learn About...**



Hispanic (25%)
AANHPI (23%) &
Black (20%) donors
were more likely to
hear about a social
fundraising event
through work.



AANHPI (31%)
donors reported
hearing about an
opportunity through
advertising at a
higher rate.



AANHPI (24%)
Hispanic (19%) &
Black (16%) donors were
more likely to hear about
a social fundraising event
through a celebrity or
social media influencer.

#### Where Did You Learn About...



Black (40%) donors were most likely to hear about a social fundraising event/campaign in person.



Black (21%), Hispanic (15%), and AANHPI (15%) donors were more likely to hear about a social fundraising event/campaign on a phone call.



AANHPI (39%) donors were most likely to hear about a social fundraising event/campaign on social media.



Black (11%) donors were most likely to hear about a social fundraising event/campaign on the radio.

# Planning for Inclusivity Tips & Examples

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#### **Event Satisfaction**

Percent of event donors who rated their experience as "excellent" over the years.



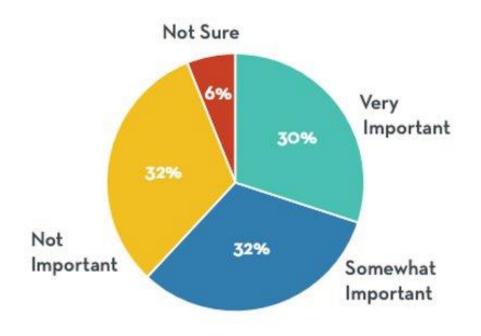


# Your Planning Committee



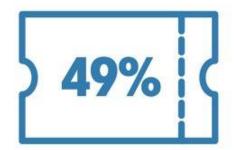


#### To VIP or Not to VIP?



When you are considering going to an event for a nonprofit or charitable organization, how important is it that there are different ticket options and packages (e.g., a standard or VIP experience)?

## **Ticket Options**



of event donors were offered a VIP ticket/ experience



of event donors purchased a VIP ticket/ experience

	Donors w/ disabilities	Income \$200k+/yr	Millennials	City/urban	Men
Purchased a VIP option	49%	47%	42%	41%	34%



#### **Our Commitment to Equity**

We're proud to introduce our **Equity Ticket Pricing Initiative**.

Our goal is to remove financial barriers, and that includes making our events more accessible by providing a flexible ticket pricing option that allows guests to choose what fits within their budget.

Those who can contribute more help others attend a great event while expanding the Page Education Foundation's network of supporters.

Purchase Gala Tickets Coming Soon



#### **REMOVING VIP NAMING**

### **Ticket Option Examples**

**SLIDING SCALE** 

#### **Buy Tickets**



**Welcome Reception & Dinner Tickets** 

Includes access to the welcome reception with cash bar, the seated dinner and stage program.



Welcome Reception + Open Bar & Dinner Tickets

Includes access to the welcome reception with open bar, the seated dinner and stage program.

#### What's in a Name?



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#### **Dress Codes**

The Dos and Don'ts of What to Wear to a Gala

It's not your typical night out on the town; it's *the* night out. Gala events have a more tailored guest list than your cousin's wedding (no shade) and are generally one of the most formal events you can ever attend. Dressing up for a gala isn't the same as dressing for your everyday life; it requires a different level of planning. You not only have to consider the event's <u>dress code</u> and the function's purpose, but then you have to layer that in with what you think you'll look good in and what falls within your budget range. Choosing what to wear to a gala isn't as glamorous



#### **Dress Codes**

Please join us! HRC encourages you to dress however you feel comfortable. Have fun with it! Whether that is black tie, festive or casual, the important thing is that you are there.



### Shenanigans 2024

ST. MARTIN OF TOURS SCHOOL BENEFIT AUCTION

Saturday, March 16 6-11pm

#### Get your green on...

Dress fancy or dress casual just don't forget to wear green!

- . A few highlights of the event:
- Saturday, February 24th at 6pm
- River Spirit Casino & Resort 8330 Riverside Parkway Tulsa, Oklahoma 74137
- Date night casual attire (jeans are perfectly ok)
- Silent & Live Auction

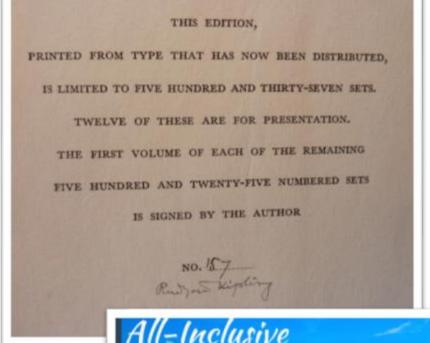




## Location, Location, Location



Offerings: Auction Items



All-Inclusive Javacucca Shights for 2 Adults

- Review your items against your audience make-up
- This is not the reaction you want from your supporters



# Offerings: Auction Items





Donated By: BUECI



Value

\$250

Native Arts & Crafts: Baleen Basket with Ivory Carving Handle.

Made by local artist Sagvayuaq Rexford.

# Salmon skin earrings with abalone porcupine

Donated By: Joe and Belen Cook



\$180

\$295

Salmon skin earrings with abalone porcupine quils and seed beads. The artists are Alutiiq Angels.

#### Sourdough and Honey

Donated By: Golden Valley Electric Association



\$150

\$165

The best things in life are homemade bread and wild honey! This basket is ALL Alaskan - sourdough starter from Fairbanks, cookbook, handmade cutting board, artisan bread towel and wild honey from Delta.



# In the Spotlight



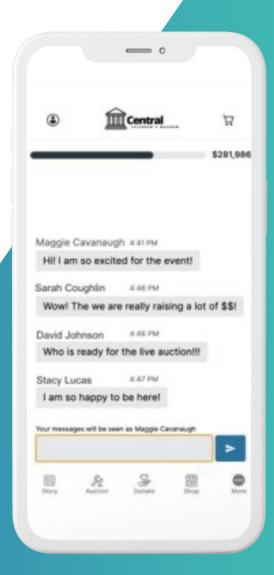


### **Your Technology**

#### Your tech

- Virtual/in-person/hybrid capabilities
- Screen-reader friendly
- Accessible design

And consider listing a code of conduct/no harassment tolerated, etc. policy on your reg page



# Inclusive Marketing Tips & Examples

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## **Marketing: Representation Matters**



### **Marketing**

#### **REPRESENTATION MATTERS**









### **Marketing**

#### **CULTURAL SENSITIVITY**



#### What This Means Today

Especially today, amid increased calls for racial inclusion and equity in our institutions, organizations, and public forums (as well as the COVID-19 pandemic's impacts on Asian-American communities), "Chinese auction" is an outdated term that many nonprofits are looking to replace.

We put together a few alternate terms that you can use in place of Chinese auctions.



## Marketing CULTURAL SENSITIVITY

#### Utah high school promotes fundraising 'jail event' with image of a Black boy behind bars

Advocates say the social media post should have been vetted and was insensitive to students of color.





We are deeply dismayed and disturbed by a recent incident that transpired at the several Walmart locations. It has come to our attention that a black employee was subjected to a demeaning and insensitive display, where they were placed in a makeshift "jail" with signs urging customers to "bail" them out by reaching a donation goal of \$50, with the funds intended for a Hasbro Children's Hospital.



## **Marketing: Language Diversity**

<u>Please click the button below for a map of parking areas and a parking pass.</u>

Download Map & Parking Pass

Download Event Flyer (English

Download Event Flyer (Spanish)



### **Marketing**

#### **ENGAGE & AMPLIFY VOICES**



## Inclusivity Onsite Tips & Examples

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## **Volunteers & Staff**



#### **Details Matter**





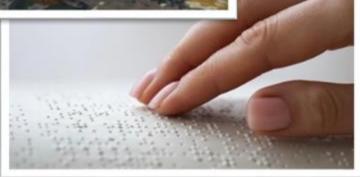
## **Accessibility for All**











## Accessibility: Inclusivity In Action

## See How This Nonprofit Is Making Events More Accessible and Inclusive

From sensory-friendly concerts to on-site ASL interpreters to audio descriptions at events, Accessible Festivals is working to ensure *no one* has FOMO.

Presented by <u>Accessible Festivals</u> and <u>ArtsQuest</u>, a local nonprofit organization providing access to art, culture and educational programs, the event is designed to be, as the name would suggest, all inclusive—from the use of sensory-friendly music to a menu that accommodates dietary needs.

Since some folks may process sensory information differently, an environment like this takes into account any elements such as music volume and crowd size that can be overwhelming and offers visual, auditory, cognitive, physical and sensory accommodations.



## **Accessibility: Inclusivity In Action**



Snow White is not waiting for a knight in shining armor! She's much too busy working to provide clean water for the Littles and all the creatures of the Nysland Woods. But when her mission is halted by the jealous Queen and her magic mirror, Snow will need the help of her forest friends to save herself and the entire village. Can the Littles rescue her in time, or will the Queen's vanity reign supreme? Find out in this new twist on a classic about kindness, community, and the true meaning of beauty. Written by Stephen Tyler Davis, Huntsville native, and Fantasy Playhouse Alumni. Suitable for all ages.

#### Please select a performance

- Fri, Feb 17th, 2023 at 7:00 pm
- Sat, Feb 18th, 2023 at 10:00 am

  Sensory Performances make space for audiences with special access needs. Visual and sound effects are lowered, fidget toys are distributed, and house lights stay dimly lit to accommodate first time patrons on the autism spectrum.
- Sat, Feb 18th, 2023 at 1:00 pm
- Sat, Feb 18th, 2023 at 6:00 pm
- Sun, Feb 19th, 2023 at 1:00 pm
- Sun, Feb 19th, 2023 at 6:00 pm

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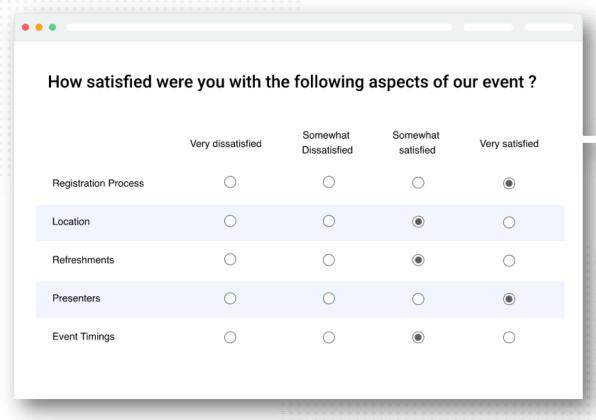


Does your menu of experiences and events, offer equity in the ability for audiences of importance to participate?

## Inclusive Follow-Up Tips & Examples

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#### **Post-Event: Comms & Debrief**





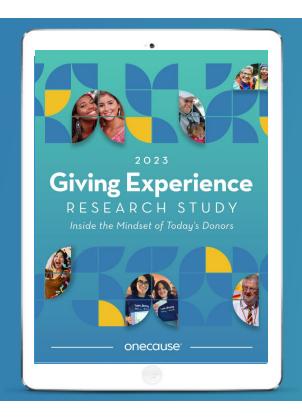


## Wrap-Up

- Review the data covering preferences of varying demographics and use it in your planning. Be sure to ask your supporters and those you serve.
- Inclusion and accessibility start before your event with marketing, planning, and venue selection.
- Choose technology that boosts accessibility
- Shamelessly borrow ideas from other nonprofits. We're all here to help each other succeed!

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## Access to Full Findings





DOWNLOAD 2023 GIVING EXPERIENCE RESEARCH

https://www.onecause.com/ebook/2023-giving-experience-study/

## Resources & References



2023 Giving Experience Study

Human Rights Campaign Resources for Equality & Inclusion

Javier in Frame Google Pixel Commercial

OHSU Evolving Inclusive Language Guide

**Event Accessibility Resource from Cornell University** 

**Event Accessibility Planning Guide** 

7 Translation Tools and Services for Nonprofits and NGOS

Stat: 28% of Gen Z adults identify as LGBTQ+

13 Sites to Find Diverse Stock Photos



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