NATIONAL CENTER

for the Study of Collective Bargaining in Higher Education and the Professions



Sponsorship/Advertising Opportunities for 2026 National Conference

The <u>National Center</u> is a labor-management research center located at Hunter College, City University of New York with the mission of examining unionization and collective bargaining as a democratic means for advancing higher education and the professions. In the past year alone, we have been cited in *Forbes*, *Bloomberg Law*, *City & State*, and *The Chronicle of Higher Education*.

Our 53rd Annual National Conference, takes place in New York City on March 22-24, 2026 and will celebrate 53 years of collaboration in higher education labor relations. The conference will continue the tradition of providing useful skills for collective bargaining practitioners alongside highlighting the research mission of the National Center.

As a conference sponsor, your organization will receive recognition in conference materials and in other National Center outreach. Sponsorship will also include access to the National Center's **New Contract Research Site**, a searchable database containing hundreds of academic collective bargaining agreements.

The sponsorship levels and benefits are the following:

Major Supporting Partner: \$15,000

Entitles company, law firm and/or labor union (20) Contract Research Site users;

Complimentary registration for three conference attendees and a 50% reduction for a fourth;

Your organization's logo and link to your site on the National Center website;

Opportunity to make introductory remarks at the plenary or mid-day greetings;

Your organization's name referenced in our monthly newsletter;

Inclusion of a one-page display ad in the conference program;

Listing as a major supporting sponsor of the annual conference, webinars and conference receptions.

Supporting Partner: \$10,000

Entitles company, law firm and/or labor union (15) Contract Research Site users; Complimentary registration for two conference attendees and a 50% reduction for a third; Your organization's logo and link to your site on the National Center website; Your organization name referenced in our monthly newsletter;

Inclusion of a one-page display ad in the conference program;

Listing as a supporting sponsor of the annual conference, webinars and conference receptions.

Participating Sponsor: \$5,000

Entitles company, law firm and/or labor union (10) Contract Research Site users;

Complimentary registration for one conference attendee;

Your organization's logo and link to your site on the National Center website;

Your organization name referenced in our monthly newsletter;

Inclusion of a half-page display ad in the conference program;

Listing as a participating sponsor of the annual conference, webinars and conference breaks.

Basic Sponsor: \$2,500

Complimentary registration for one conference attendee;

Listing as a sponsor on the National Center website;

Your organization's name referenced in our monthly newsletter;

Inclusion of a one-quarter display ad in the conference program;

Listing as a basic sponsor of the annual conference, webinars and conference breaks.

Introductory Sponsor: \$1,500

Complimentary registration for one conference attendee;

Listing as a sponsor on the National Center website;

Your organization's name referenced in our monthly newsletter;

Inclusion of a one-quarter display ad in the conference program;

Listing as an introductory sponsor of the annual conference, webinars and conference breaks.

Friend of the National Center: \$500

Complimentary registration for one conference attendee;

Inclusion of a one-quarter display ad in the conference program;

Listing of your name as a friend of the National Center on our website and newsletter.

Conference Program Ad-only Specs

Full-page (5.34" x 8.21") \$1,500 Half-page (5.34" x 4.11") \$750 Quarter-page, vertical (2.7" x 4.11") \$275

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