The PLUS Foundation will reflect the generosity of the professional liability community through charitable work and the advancement of diversity and education.
Enabling members to connect with each other and make a difference in their communities by supporting charities that they choose.

2019

USO Metropolitan Washington-Baltimore

75 PLUS members packed 1,000 care packages for troops deploying overseas.

$73,500 in support was donated to this outstanding organization.

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$78,000 in grants and support to 32 charities

140 PLUS Members engaged in 12 volunteer events.

Reflecting the generosity of the professional liability industry by supporting a charity in the region where the PLUS Conference is held.

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Supporting the children of members and corporate sponsor employees in their pursuit of higher education since 1996.

**Leo Gilmartin Scholarship**

The Leo Gilmartin Scholarship was created in 1996 in memory of the founding PLUS member and 1991 and 1992 Society President. The scholarship recognizes outstanding scholastic achievement and exemplary commitment to extracurricular activities and community service.

**Financial Aid Scholarships**

Made possible by the generosity of individual industry luminaries, this program expands on our record of service to and on behalf of the professional liability community. Consistent with our mission of philanthropy and the advancement of education, the PLUS Foundation Board of Directors aims to support families and students who have greater financial needs.

**Women’s Leadership Network**

Creating opportunities to network and learn from women who are leaders by virtue of their achievements while raising corporate awareness of the value of developing and diversifying leadership.

In 2019 over 750 women and men attended regional WLN events in Atlanta, Los Angeles, Seattle, Minneapolis, Hartford, Toronto, Chicago, Denver, and New York City. Additionally, former First Lady, Laura Bush, spoke at the Women’s Leadership Network Luncheon at the PLUS Conference in Washington, D.C.

**SCHOLARSHIPS**

Since 1996

- 99 scholarships
- $854,000 awarded

Since 2009

- 43 regional events
- 11 PLUS Conference sessions
- 5,500+ attendees

Since 2015

- 22 scholarships
- $264,000 awarded

**2019 Financial Aid Scholarships**

- Constantine “Dinos” Iordanou Scholarship
- H. Seymour Weinstein Scholarship
- Elizabeth Everson Seyler & Mary Quayle Bradley Scholarship
- James E. Price, Jr. Memorial Scholarship
- Scholarship from Anonymous Donor
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2019 Charitable & Program Expenses

Conference Cause $73,500
Chapter Charity Grants $65,000
Chapter Charity Volunteer Events $12,635
Gilmartin Scholarships $48,000
Financial Aid Scholarships $60,000
Women’s Leadership Network $38,989
Women’s Leadership Network Scholarship $10,000

The Professional Liability Underwriting Society covers operational and administrative expenses. This means that 100% of contributions to the PLUS Foundation go to charitable giving and programs that support our communities.
To get involved with the PLUS Foundation or contribute to our programs, talk to us at a PLUS event, give us a call, or visit us online.

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