



Pratham USA

BECOME A GALA CONTRIBUTOR

Pratham Chicago Gala 2023

Sunday, September 17, 2023

Double Tree by
Hilton Hotel Chicago
1909 Spring Rd,
Oak Brook, IL 60523

WHO WE ARE & WHAT WE DO

Pratham works with the belief that **every child should be in school and learning well.** With 27 years' experience of working in **India and more recently other parts of Asia, Africa and Latin America,** Pratham **changes the lives** of over 5 million children and young people every year.

We have operations in 23 cities, 21 states, and two union territories as well as strategic implementation partnerships in 23 countries around the world. We work in partnership with communities, parents, schools, local governments and local organizations providing them with the tools they need to give their **children the best possible start** in life. From early years right through to adulthood.

- + Transforming individuals
- + Transforming communities
- + Transforming systems

Pratham has been widely recognized for its innovation and impact through various awards including The Kravis Prize in Leadership, the WISE Education Prize, and most recently, the 2021 Yidan Prize for Education Development awarded to Dr. Rukmini Banerji, CEO of Pratham.

What we do

CHILDREN AND LEARNING engage children ages 3-14 in order to improve their basic reading, writing, and math skills.

YOUTH AND TRAINING promotes economic self-sufficiency for young adults through training and job placement.

GIRLS' AND WOMEN PROGRAM assists female dropouts over the age of 14 in completing their secondary school education and earning their 10th Standard diploma.

Technology, measurement and research cut across all Pratham programs.

Our impact

125,000 YOUTH

equipped with relevant job skills since 2005

36,000 GIRLS

given a second chance to earn their secondary school diplomas since 2011

20+ COUNTRIES

adopted Pratham's assessment or TaRL (Teaching at the Right Level) models

WHY SUPPORT PRATHAM NOW?

Today we are at a critical juncture. We need to make up for the learning loss among children as a result of the pandemic. Together we can help secure the future of these children.

For this reason, Pratham's work and your support continues to be as critical as ever.

From April 2021 - March 2022 Pratham has:

- + Reached **500,000+** children across **20,000** communities through direct engagement
- + Reached over 3.5 million children in partnership with the Indian government across 17+ states
- + Equipped **180,000+** mothers with tools to support child's learning & development beyond classroom
- + We have **140** skilling/vocational training centers across 18 states in India including Delhi.
- + Given **50,000+** young people employable skills with an 85% placement rate
- + 'Second Chance' has helped **36,000** women since the inception of the program in 2011. Last year **4,500** women+ got grade 10 certification through the support of this program.



PRATHAM CHICAGO GALA 2023

The Pratham Chicago Gala continues to be one of the premier events on the Chicago social scene. Attendees include civic-minded leaders from the business community as well as influential philanthropists, all with a personal commitment to improving access to quality education in India.



PRATHAM CHICAGO GALA HIGHLIGHTS

In 2022, the event drew over
350 esteemed guests.

In the past, special guests have included: **Steven Levitt** (world renowned Economist and author of 'Freakonomics'), **Tiger Tyagarajan** (President & CEO of Genpact), and **Martin Radvan** (Former CEO, President, EVP Mars Wrigley Confectionery and Mars Inc.)



3000+

PEOPLE ATTENDED
PRATHAM USA GALAS OVER 2022



71,000

VISITORS TO PRATHAM USA'S
WEBSITE ANNUALLY



35,000

PUSA FOLLOWERS ACROSS
SOCIAL MEDIA



ABOUT PRATHAM USA

Pratham USA is a 501(c)(3) charity with chapters across the United States. We raise awareness and mobilize the financial resources that make our work on the ground in India possible. Pratham USA ranks among the top 2% of all American charities, consistently earning the highest four-star rating from Charity Navigator.

Leadership

Dhiren Shethia,
Chairman,
Pratham USA

Dr. Rukmini Banerji,
CEO, Pratham
Education Foundation

Manisha Bharti,
CEO & Global
Executive,
Pratham USA

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Falguni Shah

Praveen Sharma

CONTRIBUTOR LEVELS

Champion \$50,000

Impact: Help build foundational skills for 2,500 children while engaging all key stakeholders around them

Benefactor \$25,000

Impact: 50 young people will now get a chance to earn their livelihoods through vocational training

Patron \$15,000

Impact: 35 women who dropped out of schools can now earn their high school diplomas

Ambassador \$10,000

Impact: Help build foundational skills for 500 children while engaging all key stakeholders around them

Partner \$5,000

Impact: Support over 2 entire villages through Hamara Gaon (Pratham's direct community engagement program)

For more information, to make an early reservation, or to become a sponsor, please contact Archita Singh at asingh@prathamusa.org



CONTRIBUTION BENEFITS

Pratham USA is honored to provide the following benefits*

	Champion	Benefactor	Patron	Ambassador	Partner	
	\$50K	\$25K	\$15K	\$10K	\$5K	
Pre-event	Family/family foundation name listing on event registration page*	✓	✓	✓	✓	
	Family/family foundation name listing included on personalized email invites*	✓	✓			
Cocktail Reception	Family/family foundation name recognition opportunity at reception*	✓	✓	✓	✓	
	Verbal family/family foundation name recognition during program	✓	✓			
Main event	Family/family foundation table signage	✓	✓	✓	✓	
	Seating at Gala	2 Tables of 10 each, Premium seating	1 Table of 10 each, Priority seating	1 Table of 10 each, Preferred seating	1 Table of 10 seats	5 seats at a table
	Family/family foundation name on digital screen(s) at event*	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Post Event	Family foundation name mention in post-event Social media	✓				
	Family/family foundation name mention in annual report	✓	✓	✓	✓	

*All logos must be provided within 2 weeks of sponsor agreement. Name listing: Either family name or Family Foundation name

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Please fill in this form to secure your commitment and/or table.

Please email any queries or the completed form to Archita Singh asingh@prathamusa.org

Please see below for the address to send donations via check.

Sponsor Details

Name _____

Title _____ Company (if applicable) _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Email _____ Phone _____

I would like to support at the following sponsorship level

- Champion \$50,000 Benefactor \$25,000 Patron \$15,000 Ambassador \$10,000 Partner \$5,000

My company will match my donation Yes No

Company name _____

I am unable to attend, enclosed is my donation of \$ _____

I will donate online at prathamusa.org

Please invoice me for \$ _____

My check payable to Pratham USA is enclosed. Mail the completed form and check to:
Pratham USA, 9703 Richmond Avenue, Suite 102, Houston, TX 77042

Please charge my credit card. VISA Mastercard AMEX Discover

Credit card no. _____

Exp. Date _____