

2016 DePreist Award for Excellence

Friday, September 9, 2016, 5:30pm

Portland Art Museum



A fundraising event to benefit Volunteers of America Oregon



About VOA Oregon

Our Mission: To change lives by promoting self-determination, building strong communities and standing for social justice.

From at-risk youth to victims of domestic violence, recovering addicts and the frail elderly, VOA Oregon provides a range of supportive and empowering services to our area's most vulnerable populations.

We are passionate about finding innovative solutions to our community's most intractable social problems. Our comprehensive programs focus on three main areas: children and family, public safety/substance abuse treatment, and senior services.

With the dedication of 300 staff members and more than 1,000 volunteers, we work with thousands of families in the greater Portland, Oregon and Vancouver, Washington areas to rebuild their lives and help them reach their full potential.

About The DePreist Award for Excellence

In March of 2000, James and Ginette DePreist became the inaugural recipients of an award named in their honor, the DePreist Award for Excellence.

Recognized for more than a decade of excellence as the conductor of the Oregon Symphony, as well as their civic values and extraordinary commitment to the community, the DePreist have left a vibrant legacy.

VOA Oregon shares this commitment to our community and is proud to present this award each year. Our honorees have made Portland and Oregon a better place.





Born and raised in Portland, Gary R. Maffei has spent his life in the pursuit of making his mark on the world and “doing good” in his hometown. After graduating from Central Catholic High School and completing studies at Portland State University, Gary worked as head of Human Resources at Louisiana Pacific Corporation. He then went on to become Vice President of Merlo Corporation. During his 40 years in business he’s served on company boards including Regent Assisted Living and Wholesome & Hearty, the makers of Garden Burgers. He currently sits on the boards of Portland Bottling, Lucky Limo Co. and Randall Investment Group, and former trustee of the Merlo Foundation.

Gary’s work with and support of nonprofit organizations reflects his passion for service and giving back. From serving on the boards of CASA, Albertina Kerr, OMSI, The Grotto, Marylhurst University, Classic Wine Auction, RACC and many others, Gary was also instrumental in the creation of events such as Sitka Center for the Arts & Ecology Art Show and Kids for Kids Card Program. Gary was also the founding Chairman of Oregon Ballet Theatre, and chaired the successful “Kows for Kids” event that raised \$2.5 million for children’s charities. Currently, Gary serves on the boards of New Avenues for Youth, Park Academy, Our House, OPB and is President of the Portland 5 Foundation.

Gary lives in Portland with his partner for life, Marc Lintner, Interior Designer and Artist, who has the patience of Job to let him do all of this.



*With Keynote Address by Journalist and University of Oregon Alumna **Ann Curry***



Ann Curry is the former NBC News National and International Correspondent/Anchor and TODAY Anchor at Large. Curry ended her run with NBC as a full-time employee to become founder of a new media startup seeded by NBC Universal, and will continue to report non-exclusively for NBC News.

Before coming to NBC, Curry was a reporter for KCBS in Los Angeles. In 1981, she was a reporter and anchor for KGW, the NBC affiliate in Portland, Ore. Curry began her broadcasting career as an intern in 1978 at KTVL, in Medford, Ore., near her hometown, rising to become that station's first female news reporter.

Curry has earned seven Emmy Awards, four Golden Mikes, several Associated Press Certificates of Excellence, three Gracie Awards, a Matrix Award from New York Women in Communications, and an award for Excellence in Reporting from the NAACP. In June 2007, Curry was honored with the Simon Wiesenthal Medal of Valor for her extensive reporting in Darfur. She has been awarded by Americares, Save the Children, Women of Concern, the Anti-Defamation League as a Woman of Achievement, and the Asian American Journalists Association, receiving its National Journalism Award in 2003.



SPONSORSHIP OPPORTUNITIES

Presenting Sponsor (\$50,000) – *only one available*

- Two tables of ten
- Recognition as Presenting Sponsor in all event promotion
- Full-page advertisement in the event program
- Full-screen slide during event
- Special recognition in the VOA Oregon Annual Report
- Logo/name recognition/link on VOA Oregon website and social media
- Category exclusivity



Cornerstone Sponsor (\$25,000) – ~~only four~~ **three** available

- One table of ten
- Recognition as Cornerstone Sponsor in all event promotion
- Full-page advertisement in the event program
- Half-screen slide during event
- Special recognition in the VOA Oregon Annual Report
- Logo/name recognition/link on VOA Oregon website and social media
- Category exclusivity



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Bid Card Sponsor (\$20,000) – only one available

- One table of ten
- Logo on one full-page side of bid cards
- Full-page advertisement in the dinner program
- Half-screen slide during dinner program
- Special recognition in the VOA Oregon Annual Report
- Logo/name recognition/link on VOA Oregon website and social media

Benefactor Sponsor (\$10,000)

- One table of ten
- Half-page advertisement in the dinner program
- Quarter-screen slide during dinner program
- Special recognition in the VOA Oregon Annual Report
- Logo/name recognition/link on VOA Oregon website and social media

Leadership Sponsor (\$5,000)

- One table of ten
- Quarter-page advertisement in the dinner program
- Acknowledgment in the VOA Oregon Annual Report
- Name recognition on the VOA Oregon website and social media

Thank you!





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**Please complete this form and return by mail (3910SE Stark, Attn: DePreist Event, Portland, OR 97214)
or by email to jpesznecker@voaor.org or by fax (503-239-6233).**

You may purchase your sponsorship online by going to: <https://voaor.ejoinme.org/DP2016>

Prior to the event, we will follow up with you to pre-register your guests.

Questions? Please contact Jane Pesznecker at (503)595-2027 or jpesznecker@voaor.org. Tax ID 93-0395591

