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ExTravelganza is presented by the Tampa Bay Hospitality Alliance (TBHA), a dynamic partnership between the Hillsborough County Hotel & Motel Association and the Florida Restaurant & Lodging Association - Pinellas Chapter. For 31 years, **ExTravelganza** has provided a path for students to achieve their educational goals by providing scholarships in Hospitality and Culinary studies.

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HOST VENUE

FLORIDAN PALACE HOTEL

905 N Florida Ave Tampa, FL 33602

Dear Industry Partner,

We did it! The past few years have been challenging for our industry. But, with perseverance, determination, and vision we have successfully navigated the tough times. Let's keep moving forward!

A major part of our vision was seeing the need to continue supplying support to the future hospitality workforce. How are we meeting this need? One primary way has been through your ongoing support of our annual fundraiser ExTravelganza – Tampa Bay's Premier Travel/Sports Auction. ExTravelganza, a TBHA signature event established over three decades ago, supports high school and college students in hospitality or culinary arts programs through scholarships. To date, ExTravelganza has awarded over \$1.5 million in scholarships. Thank you for your generosity and your unwavering belief in our industry!

We are very happy to announce the **31**st **Annual ExTravelganza - Tampa Bay's Premier Travel/Sports Auction.** This year's event will take place on **Friday, November 10, 2023, from 7:00pm – 10:00pm** at our **beautiful new host venue** the newly renovated **Floridan Palace Hotel** in Downtown Tampa.

To keep our industry moving forward, we are graciously requesting your support by donations. With the 31st anniversary of this event, we continue to promote travel to our attendees, and share our stories with the industry to attract and support our future workforce. By **DONATING AN AUCTION ITEM**, you help ensure the continued success of our industry.

In recognition of your contribution, you will receive key branding in the auction program, digital displays during the auction, acknowledgement on the ExTravelganza website, and repeated verbal acknowledgements throughout the evening. Our major objective has always been to promote travel to our savvy adventurous audience while raising money for our students. Attached you will find a donation form with full details on how to support the event and assist our future industry leaders.

We could not do this fundraising event without you, so please accept our thanks in advance for your support.

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