

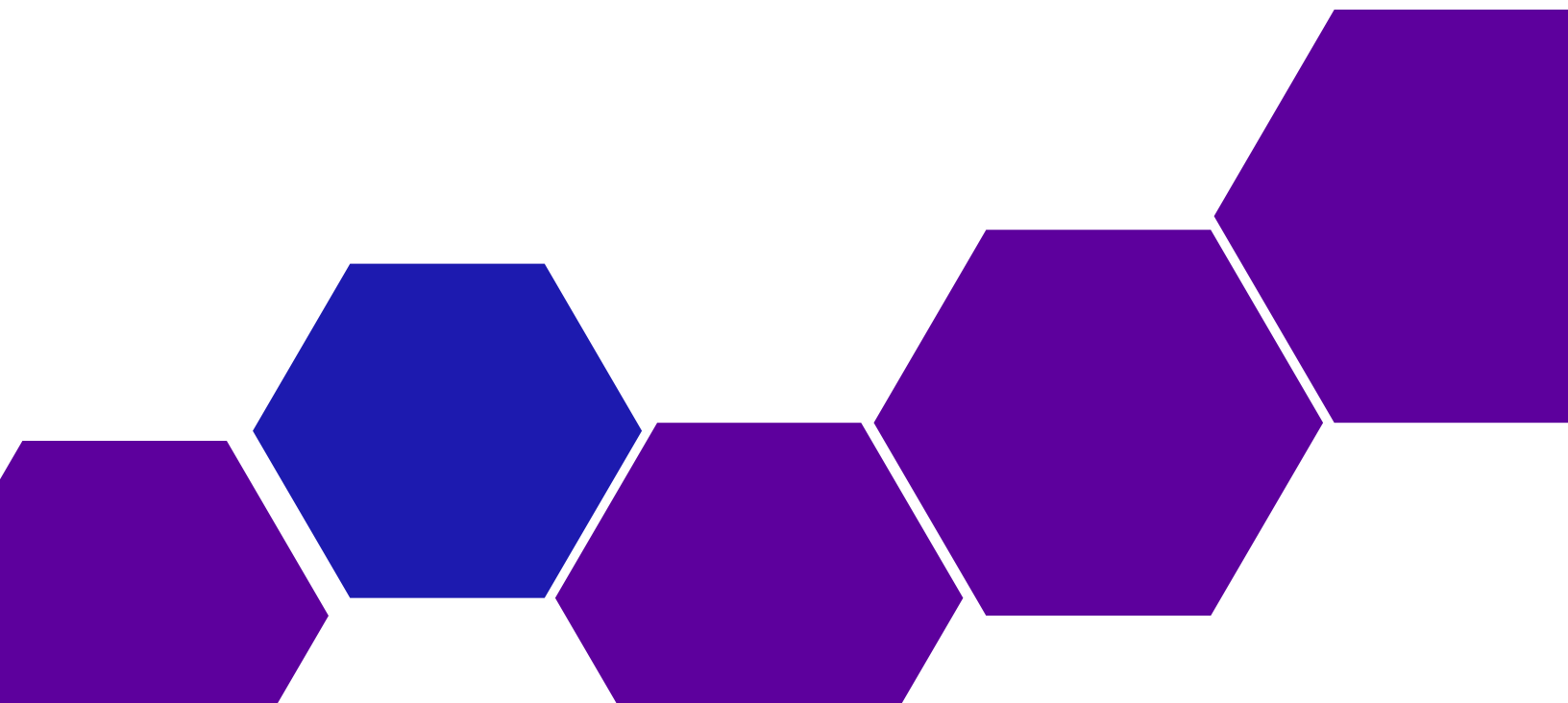


TEARTE  
*Family Foundation*



# 2025

## Impact Report



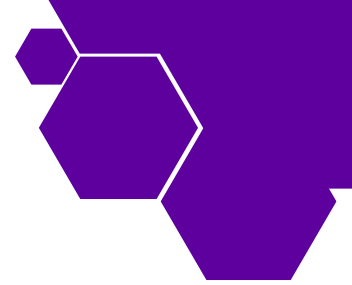
# ABOUT THE FOUNDATION

The Tearte Family Foundation (TFF) was founded in 2012 with initial funding by Curtis and Jylla Tearte. It is an approved 501(C)(3) private foundation. The TFF works through partnerships to identify students with academic promise and leadership potential to become Tearte Scholars. Students are offered leadership training, coaching, mentoring and global studies experiences along with financial awards to complete high school and/or to pursue post-secondary education with a focus in STEM.



# TEARTE FAMILY FOUNDATION

## AT A GLANCE



### IMPACT SINCE ESTABLISHMENT IN 2013...

Current as of May 2026

**303**

**Tearte Scholars  
assisted with grants  
or scholarships**



**1968**

**Students Served**

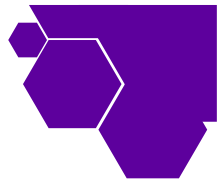
**\$723,000+**

**distributed from the Foundation**

### 31 PARTNERSHIP ENGAGEMENTS

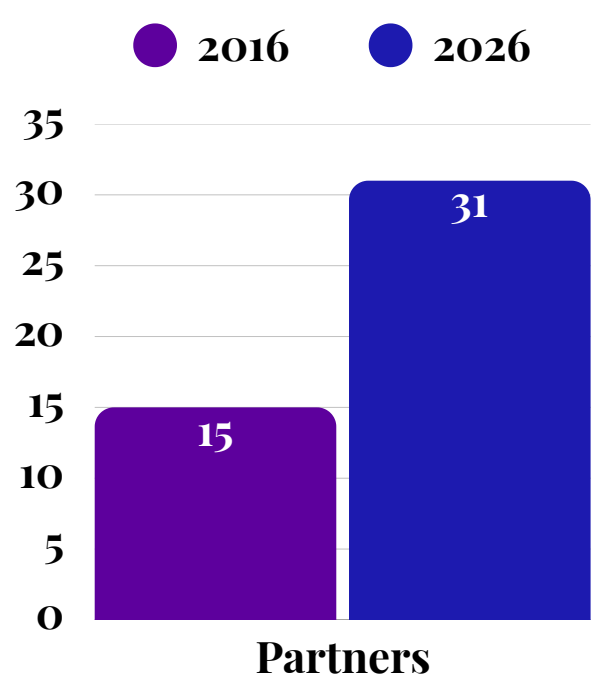
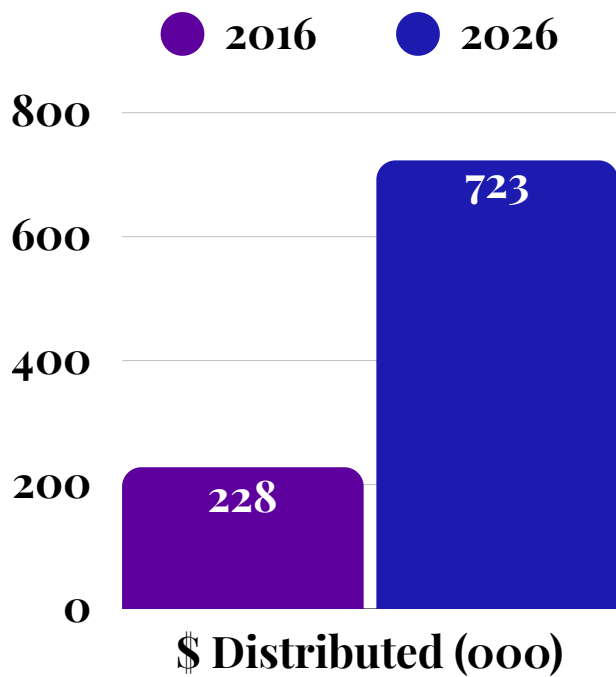
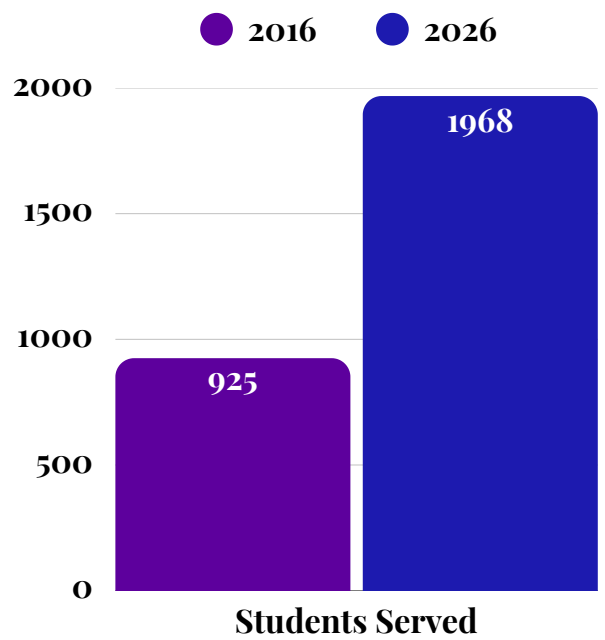
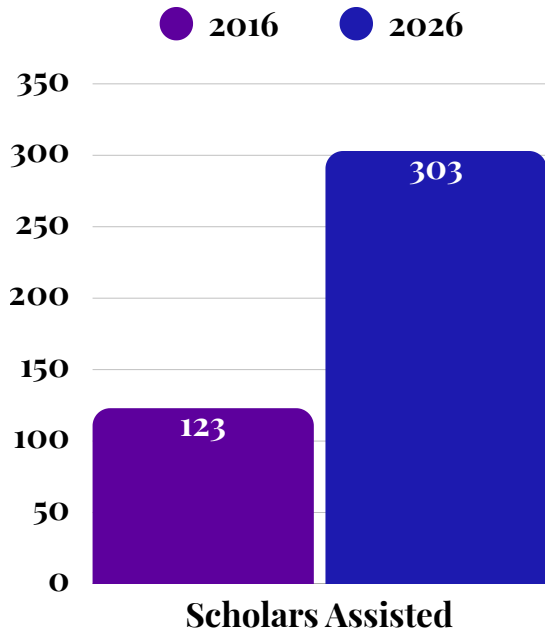
Partial Listing

- Brooklyn Robot Foundry for Philadelphia Students
- North Carolina Zetas “STEAM IGNITE” Youth Retreat
- The HistoryMakers
- Omega Psi Phi Chi Gamma Gamma Chapter
- 100 Black Men, Men of Tomorrow Program
- Teach for America
- Livingstone College STEM Branding Initiative
- John W. Hallahan Catholic High School for Girls
- Usher’s New Look
- Howard University Zeta Founders’ Endowed Scholarship Fund
- Posse Atlanta Brandeis Cohort
- Brandeis Bridges Global Program
- Emory Consortium Global Scholars



# FOUNDATION IMPACT

Since 2013, the Tearte Family Foundation has made an impact on the lives of students that are supported with through collaborative partnerships.



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# OUR SCHOLARS...

# OUR FOCUS



## Hallahan Catholic High School for Girls (Original Scholarships)

- In 2020, the high school announced they were closing. The TFF worked with each announced scholar to track their transition to other schools. In 2024, the last Hallahan Tearte Scholars graduated from high school and received scholarships. 35 awards were provided since the 2013 inception of this program.

## Founders Awards

- Students receive multi-year scholarships that are renewable based on their academic performance and promise.

## Global Studies

- Tearte Scholars have completed global study assignments such as:
  - a. Study in France for a semester
  - b. Attendance at the London School of Economics
  - c. Producing a film in Guatemala
  - d. Group study programs in Morocco, Ghana, and Singapore,

## Youth Mentoring

- The Men of Tomorrow program has awarded scholarships to mentees who demonstrated their future potential by active participation in the program.
- Omega Psi Phi has partnered to award an annual scholarship to students attending various institutions

## STEM Initiatives

- A STEAM camp was sponsored for Zeta Youth Groups in North Carolina
- TFF was a Founding Donor for Howard University's Zeta Founders' Endowed Scholarship Fund for STEM Students
- Students in Philadelphia are introduced to robots during out of school times

# PARTNERSHIP SPOTLIGHT

## ZETA NATIONAL EDUCATIONAL FOUNDATION

### TEARTE WORLD CLASS SERVICE LEADERSHIP FUND and TEARTE ENDOWED SCHOLARSHIP FUND

Zeta Undergraduate Chapter Presidents will have the opportunity to apply for scholarships and/or finishing awards



**TEARTE WORLD CLASS SERVICE LEADERSHIP AWARD**

**ZNEF**

**SCHOLARSHIP AWARD AMOUNT:**  
\$1000-\$5000

**PURPOSE:**  
Scholarship or Finishing Award

**ELIGIBILITY:**

- Undergraduate Zeta
- Chapter President

**APPLICATION DEADLINE:**  
Feb. 1, 2025

**SCAN TO APPLY:**

**APPLY AT:** [ZNEFScholarships.awardspring.com](https://ZNEFScholarships.awardspring.com)

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[Znet.org](https://Znet.org)  
[teartefamilyfoundation.com](https://teartefamilyfoundation.com)

## BROOKLYN ROBOT FOUNDRY

SUMMER 2024 INITIATED A SUMMER CAMP EXPERIENCE FOR STUDENTS TO LEARN ABOUT AND MAKE ROBOTS AS AN EARLY INTRODUCTION TO STEM



PLEASE VISIT [TEARTEFAMILYFOUNDATION.COM](https://TEARTEFAMILYFOUNDATION.COM) FOR A FULL LIST OF PARTNERSHIPS

# ABOUT THE LEADERSHIP

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## **CURTIS H. TEARTE**

CO-FOUNDER AND INAUGURAL VISIONARY

**Mr. Tearte was the Co-Founder of the Tearte Family Foundation (TFF) . He was the primary visionary and lead partnership executive for the work of the Foundation.**



## **JYLLA MOORE TEARTE, PH.D.**

CO-FOUNDER AND CHAIR

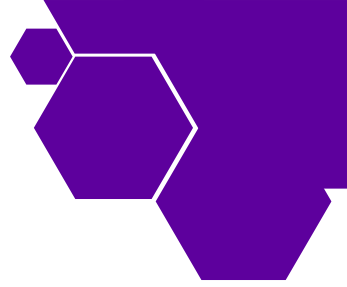
**Dr. Tearte provides the strategic direction for the ongoing work of the Foundation. Primary focus is awarding scholarships and grants that advance causes and talent related to STEM initiatives, global travel and cancer research, trials and helping people navigate.**



## **ANJYLLA Y. FOSTER, PH.D.**

EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR AND COO

**Dr. Foster manages the operations and projects of TFF. Her expertise in non-profit management adds to her personal passion for the work of the Foundation.**



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