



TICKET & SPONSORSHIP  
INFORMATION  
MERIDIAN BALL AND GLOBAL LEADERSHIP SUMMIT

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**FRIDAY, OCTOBER 12, 2018**

Meridian International Center  
Washington, District of Columbia

**[MERIDIAN.ORG/BALL](http://MERIDIAN.ORG/BALL)**

Meridian International Center is a 501(c)3 organization. Proceeds from the Meridian Ball and Global Leadership Summit support Meridian's leadership exchanges, forums, cultural activities, and training programs.

## ABOUT THE 50<sup>TH</sup> ANNUAL MERIDIAN BALL

**FRIDAY, OCTOBER 12, 2018**

Choose a dinner to attend:

**AMBASSADOR-HOSTED DINNER**

7:00 PM

Designated Ambassador's  
Residence or Embassy

**WHITE-MEYER DINNER**

6:30 PM Reception | 8:00 PM Dinner

White-Meyer House  
1624 Crescent Place, NW

followed by the

**MERIDIAN BALL**

9:30 PM | Meridian House | 1630 Crescent Place, NW

The Meridian Ball is one of the most prestigious annual events in Washington, D.C. Now in its 50th year, this event brings together members of the public and private sector to celebrate Meridian's ongoing efforts to prepare leaders for a complex global future. The Ball is well-attended by public officials including Cabinet secretaries, members of Congress, prominent media figures, foreign ambassadors, and representatives from the international business and cultural communities. Guests have the option of choosing between an intimate Ambassador-hosted Dinner or the White-Meyer Dinner on Meridian's campus. Following the dinners, guests from both the Ambassador-hosted Dinners and White-Meyer Dinner gather for dancing, dessert, and conversation at Meridian House.

## ABOUT THE MERIDIAN GLOBAL LEADERSHIP SUMMIT

**FRIDAY, OCTOBER 12, 2018**

9:00 - 11:00 AM

Ronald Reagan Building and International Trade Center  
1300 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW

The Meridian Global Leadership Summit is the leading convening of diplomatic, business and government leaders in a neutral, nonpartisan forum to exchange ideas and collaborate on solutions to the challenges and opportunities of a rapidly globalizing world. This year the Summit will focus on *Technology and Innovation Across Borders*.

## ABOUT MERIDIAN INTERNATIONAL CENTER

Headquartered in Washington, D.C., Meridian International Center is one of the world's premier organizations for global leadership and diplomacy. Meridian delivers a suite of educational and cultural programs alongside conferences, summits, and other neutral forums to prepare today's leaders for the complex challenges facing their communities, organizations, and countries. Over the last 55 years, Meridian has prepared thousands of current and future heads of state, ambassadors and corporate leaders to meet global challenges and opportunities. Our suite of programs delivers the approach and environment for leaders to understand global issues and cultures, exchange ideas, collaborate on solutions, and build valuable relationships. Meridian relies on public, private, individual, and foundation support to sustain its programs and activities. It occupies a four-acre campus that includes the historic Meridian House and White-Meyer House, both of which are listed on the National Register of Historic Places and the District of Columbia's Inventory of Historic Sites.

## SPONSORS

### **CHAIRMAN'S CIRCLE - \$100,000**

- CEO Spotlight speaking role at the Meridian Global Leadership Summit\*
- (20) Prime Seating Invitations to an Ambassador-hosted Dinner OR White-Meyer Dinner (2 tables of 10 people) and Meridian Ball
- (20) Prime Seating Invitations to the Meridian Global Leadership Summit
- Invitation to the Host Committee Reception on September 13, 2018
- Headline acknowledgment in the Ball and Summit materials, including: invitation, programs, website, signage, and press release
- Additional tailored branding opportunities
- Membership in the Meridian Corporate Council (\$25,000 value)
- Membership in the Meridian Global Leadership Council
- We will work with you to create a custom sponsorship package

### **AMBASSADOR'S CIRCLE - \$50,000**

- Executive level speaking role at the Meridian Global Leadership Summit\*
- (14) Preferred Seating Invitations to an Ambassador-hosted Dinner OR White-Meyer Dinner (1 table of 10 people plus 4 additional invitations) and Meridian Ball
- (14) Reserved Seating Invitations to the Meridian Global Leadership Summit
- Invitation to the Host Committee Reception on September 13, 2018
- Acknowledgment in the Ball and Summit materials including: invitation, programs, website, signage, and press release
- Membership in the Meridian Global Leadership Council

### **DIPLOMAT'S CIRCLE - \$25,000**

- (10) Priority Seating Invitations to Ambassador-hosted Dinner OR White-Meyer Dinner (1 table of 10 people) and Meridian Ball
- (10) Invitations to the Meridian Global Leadership Summit
- Invitation to the Host Committee Reception on September 13, 2018
- Acknowledgment in the Ball materials including: invitation, program, website, and signage
- Membership in the Meridian Global Leadership Council

### **LINDEN CIRCLE - \$15,000**

- (8) Invitations to Ambassador-hosted Dinner OR White-Meyer Dinner and Meridian Ball
- (8) Invitations to the Meridian Global Leadership Summit
- Invitation to the Host Committee Reception on September 13, 2018
- Acknowledgment in the Ball materials including: invitation, program, website, and signage

### **CRESCENT CIRCLE - \$10,000**

- (6) Invitations to Ambassador-hosted Dinner OR White-Meyer Dinner and Meridian Ball
- (6) Invitations to the Meridian Global Leadership Summit
- Invitation to the Host Committee Reception on September 13, 2018
- Acknowledgment in the Ball materials including: invitation, program, website, and signage

### **TERRACE CIRCLE - \$5,000**

*Terrace Circle Sponsors who commit prior to September 1 receive 4 invitations.*

- (2) Invitations to an Ambassador-hosted Dinner OR White-Meyer Dinner and Meridian Ball
- (2) Invitations to the Meridian Global Leadership Summit
- Invitation to the Host Committee Reception on September 13, 2018
- Acknowledgment in the Ball materials including: invitation, program, website, and signage



# SPONSOR & COMMITTEE REPLY FORM

## MERIDIAN BALL AND GLOBAL LEADERSHIP SUMMIT

### STEP ONE: CONTACT INFORMATION

Company (if applicable)

Contact Name

Contact Position

Address

City

State

Zip Code

Phone

Email

### STEP TWO: SELECT A LEVEL OF PARTICIPATION

#### SPONSORS

- Chairman's Circle: \$100,000
- Ambassador's Circle: \$50,000
- Diplomat's Circle: \$25,000
- Linden Circle: \$15,000
- Crescent Circle: \$10,000
- Terrace Circle: \$5,000

#### COMMITTEE

- Ball Committee: \$2,500

#### CONTRIBUTION

- I/We are unable to attend but wish to make a contribution in the amount of \$ \_\_\_\_\_.

Preferred Listing for Sponsors & Committees for inclusion in event materials:  Company or  Individual(s)

### STEP THREE: PAYMENT INFORMATION

- To pay by check, please make contributions payable to: Meridian International Center
- To pay by credit card, please pay online at [www.meridian.org/ball](http://www.meridian.org/ball) or complete the information below:
  - VISA     MC     AMEX     DISCOVER

Amount

Card Number

Expiration Date

Billing Address (if different from above)

Name as it appears on card

Signature Date

### STEP FOUR: RETURN PAYMENT AND REPLY FORM

PLEASE RETURN PAYMENT AND THE COMPLETED REPLY FORM TO:  
Meridian International Center | Attn: Meridian Ball | 1630 Crescent Place, NW | Washington, DC 20009

Meridian International Center is a 501(c)3 organization. Contributions may be tax-deductible.  
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