## RCA STUDENT CONFERENCE SPONSORSHIP



## WHY SPONSOR A STUDENT?

We're excited to share a new opportunity for Culinology, Food Science, and Culinary Arts students and those who support the organization. The RCA Student and Young Professionals Committee is introducing a sponsorship opportunity to help students attend the 2026 RCA Annual Conference. Each donation of \$1,000 from a sponsor will allow for a student to have their traveling costs and lodging reimbursed.

The winning students will receive up to a \$1,000 reimbursement to support their travel to the 2026 RCA conference. Students will apply and be selected based on academic excellence.

This is an opportunity to encourage students to participate and support the next generation of food professionals.

## WHAT WILL SPONSORS DO?

- Sponsors will donate \$1,000 to support one student.
  - Students will use this to cover costs of travel, hotel, and conference fees.
- Sponsors will have the opportunity to meet with their students at the 2026 RCA Conference and get to know them.
- Students and sponsors have the chance to volunteer together at the booth of the sponsor or walk the expo with the student (up to the sponsors discretion).

**Email RCA-SYPcommittee@culinology.org to show your interest!** 

Thank you very much for your consideration and continued support of RCA and the students that inspire the future!