WHQR's Annual Fundraising Luncheon featuring
NPR's Susan Stamberg
Monday, May 22, 2023 at noon
Hotel Ballast, Downtown Wilmington, NC

WHQR PUBLIC MEDIA
Smart Media for Curious Minds



Susan Stamberg, nationally renowned broadcast journalist, and special NPR correspondent will serve as our luncheon speaker.

Stamberg is the first woman to anchor a national nightly news program, and has won every major award in broadcasting. She has been inducted into the Broadcasting Hall of Fame and the Radio Hall of Fame. An NPR "founding mother," she has been on staff since the network began in 1971.

Beginning in 1972, Stamberg served as co-host of NPR's award-winning newsmagazine All Things Considered for 14 years. She then hosted Weekend Edition Sunday, and now reports on cultural issues for Morning Edition and Weekend Edition Saturday.

One of the most popular broadcasters in public radio, Stamberg is well known for her conversational style, intelligence, and knack for finding an interesting story. Her thousands of interviews include conversations with Laura Bush, Billy Crystal, Rosa Parks, Dave Brubeck, and Luciano Pavarotti.

In addition to her Hall of Fame inductions, other recognitions include the Armstrong and duPont Awards, the Edward R. Murrow Award from the Corporation for Public Broadcasting, The Ohio State University's Golden Anniversary Director's Award, and the Distinguished Broadcaster Award from the American Women in Radio and Television.

Stamberg has hosted a number of series on PBS, moderated three Fred Rogers television specials for adults, served as commentator, guest or co-host on various commercial TV programs, and appeared as a narrator in a performance with the St. Louis Symphony Orchestra and the National Symphony Orchestra.

WHQR Public Media began 38 years ago to meet community needs, and strives to offer news, music, entertainment and interaction to expand knowledge, encourage artistic appreciation, engage our community and promote civil discourse.

SPONSORSHIP OPPORTUNITIES

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PRESENTING SPONSOR - **$7,500** (ALREADY TAKEN)

- Verbal Recognition and Speaking Opportunity (2 Minutes) at event
- Head table seating for 2 (with Susan Stamberg, WHQR Station Manager Kevin Crane and local dignitaries)
- Premium location table for 10
- Logo on welcome signage at event entrance
- Logo in event program
- Logo with link on event website
- Invitation for 2 to Private Cocktail Reception with Susan Stamberg (details TBD)
- Recognition as Presenting Sponsor in event press releases
- Recognition in 50 promotional announcements
- Underwriting Package (260 total announcements –10 per week for 26 weeks, a $4,160 value)

EVENT SPONSOR - **$5,000** (3 Available)

- Verbal Recognition at event
- Premium location table for 10
- Logo on welcome signage at event entrance
- Invitation for 2 to Private Cocktail Reception with Susan Stamberg (details TBD)
- Logo in event program
- Logo with link on event website
- Underwriting Package (130 total announcements –5 per week for 26 weeks, a $2,340 value)

SPEAKER HOST SPONSOR - **$2,500** (10 Available)

- Verbal Recognition at event
- Premium location half-table for 5
- Invitation for 2 to Private Cocktail Reception with Susan Stamberg (details TBD)
- Logo on welcome signage at event entrance
- Logo in event program
- Logo with link on event website
- Underwriting Package (65 total announcements –5 per week for 13 weeks, a $1,235 value)

TABLE HOST opportunities also available

- Guaranteed donation of $1,250 or more for table of ten
- Business logo/signage at table
- Inclusion in event program (name listed as a corporate table host)

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Send completed form to **Mary Bradley** at mbradley@whqr.org.

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