Our Vision

IECF will help to advance the electrical systems contracting industry and improve the quality of life in our communities and the world.

Our Purpose

Founded in 1996, the Independent Electrical Contractors Foundation (IECF) is a 501c(3) (charitable) organization that supports education and training initiatives which prepare students for successful careers in the electrical systems contracting industry.







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"IEC and the Foundation helped me with tuition and became the perfect conduit to put me in touch with my current employer as one of their new engineers. I can't express in words how much I truly appreciate the help and support I have received, and still receive today from the IEC. I am also happy to have the chance to give back, whether it is sharing my story, going to high school career days, or community service events. I look forward to what the future holds for IEC, scholarship recipients, members, and my career which was jumpstarted with the help of IEC." *Ross Sielhammer, IECF Scholarship Recipient*

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Our Mission

The Independent Electrical Contractors Foundation (IECF) funds grants, scholarships and programs that contribute to the growth of the electrical systems contracting industry and allows all students equal access to education, apprenticeship and training.

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IEC FOUNDATION PROGRAMS:

The Home Depot ProXTra Program

 Through the ProXtra Program, The Home Depot is able to contribute 0.5% of every dollar spent by IEC Members to the IEC Foundation. The IEC Foundation uses those funds toward Scholarships, Apprentice Education, Chapter Development, Facility Improvements, and other programs.



The Equipment Grant Program

 IEC Foundation seeks to support not-for-profit organizations, to create opportunities introducing and guiding men and women to successful and satisfying careers in the electrical and communications industries through Equipment Grants.

IECF Foundation Scholarship Fund

• The IEC Foundation formed the scholarship fund exclusively for the charitable and educational purpose to award deserving and qualified students who have demonstrated drive, dedication and leadership in their pursuit of careers in the electrical industry.

Disaster Relief Fund

 The IEC Foundation has developed a special fund dedicated to supporting IEC chapters, chapter staff, instructors, and apprentices that have been affected by a natural disaster, serious accident, or catastrophic life event. By donating a tax-deductible contribution to the IEC Foundation Disaster Relief Fund, you can help those in need. Donations will be directly appropriated to a managed fund of the IEC.



IEC Foundation stakeholders provide critical support to IECF grants and scholarships. IEC's programs are regarded as among the best in the industry, and are recognized by the U.S. Department of Labor and State Apprenticeship Councils across the country.



"**We believe** *in the advancement of the electrical contracting industry.* **What we do** *is fund programs, grants and scholarships.*

So that *people can pursue a professional career that allows them to support their family, connect with their communities and make a meaningful contribution to our society."*

> Tom Alexander IEC Foundation Chairman

HOW TO GET INVOLVED:

Outright gift – Funds given are put to immediate use either in current running programs or future expansion of the Endowment.

Amazon Smile – www.smile.amazon.com – search and add – Independent Electrical Contractors Foundation . This allows a portion of your amazon purchase to go directly to the Foundation.

The Home Depot ProXTra Program

- IEC Members can get 2% cash back on all qualifying pre-tax purchases when enrolled in our Free ProXtra Program. In addition to the rebate for customers, The Home Depot will donate a half of a percent of all sales in this program to the IEC Foundation.
- Enrollment is easy and FREE! Register today to ensure you get your full rebate at the end of the year! Call (866) 333-3551 or visit: iec-foundation.org.
- To ensure you get credit for all your purchases, please make sure to enter your forms of payment under agreement code IEC.

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