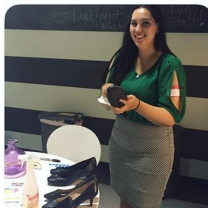
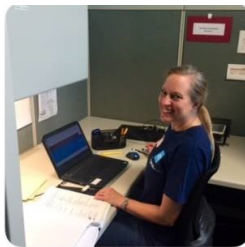
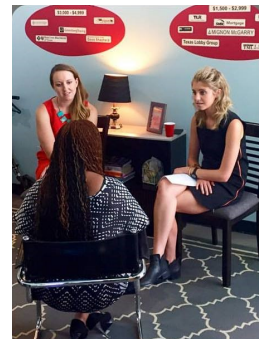


Austin Business Community Volunteers



Hats Off to...

- Bazaarvoice
- Women in Public Finance
- EA Facilities
- IBM
- Schwab
- Bloom Communications
- LegalZoom
- Ameriprise Financial Services, Inc.
- GLG
- Austin Community College
- Sparefoot
- Facebook
- United Rentals



2016 Highlights

Little Black Dress Soiree Fundraising Event Honored Co-Founders and Founding Board Members



Co-Founders and Founding Board members, Lisa Kaufman and Jennifer Chambers, along with Stacy Herrington a third founding board member were honorees at the 4th annual Little Black Dress Soiree. The fundraising event was held at Palazzo Lavana, a historical building transformed into a luxurious event space.

The event netted \$44,000 that will benefit Dress for Success Austin's program initiatives.

Women of Wardrobe Support Dress for Success Austin



More commonly referred to as W.O.W., a group of young women (age 35 and younger) have formed an organization whose sole purpose is to support the mission of Dress for Success Austin through involvement and volunteerism.

Nearly 900 Women



Eight Dress for Success Austin programs are designed to help lift women from tragic circumstances and generational poverty onto a path toward self-sufficiency.

Brittany, a recent client expressed her feelings, "It's not just clothes you are giving people like me. You give them

hope. You give them self-confidence and assurance. You make them feel important. And for that, I will always be grateful! Without you and your team, I wouldn't have gotten this far." Brittany is now employed full-time. She and her daughter are no longer living in a homeless shelter.

Brittany said her Christmas joy was even greater this year. "My daughter and I sat on our living room carpet beside our tiny tree and smiled so brightly as we opened our gifts together."

Community Service; A Pillar of PWG



By the end of 2016, the Professional Women's Group (PWG) had 83 active members. One pillar of PWG is to foster leadership through community services are inspired to initiate social change even while they advance in their

careers. As a result they become assets in their communities, helping to make an impact on the lives of everybody around them and ensuring brighter futures for their families.

Community service brings PWG members together for fun but the one event members enjoyed most in 2016 was creating gift bags for teen girls living at The Settlement Home Cottages. Along with the gift bags, the PWG members wrote inspirational notes to the girls. They also learned about programs the Settlement Home offers as well as volunteer opportunities.

First Lady Cecilia Abbott Honors Volunteers



First Lady Cecilia Abbott honored fifty volunteers and staff from the five Texas Dress for Success affiliates for afternoon tea at the Governor's Mansion.

Earlier in the day, the Texas group attended a program co-sponsored by the Governor's Commission for Women, held at Texas Oil and Gas Association. Keynote speaker was Elizabeth Darling, President and CEO of One Star Foundation.

Kellie Duhr, representative from

Walmart and Dress for Success Austin Board member presented each Texas affiliate with \$1,000 for program support.

HT Group's 4th Annual GiveBack Event Supports Programs and Operations



Cajun Zydeco music, boiled crawfish and libations provided the perfect atmosphere for a fun time and opportunity to support Dress for Success Austin. Mark Turpin, CEO of HT Group, and Dress for Success Austin Board Vice-President is a devoted supporter.



Walmart Foundation and TracFone Partner with Dress for Success Austin



The "Success is Calling" program provides women with knowledge and resources to help them thrive during the interview process, with emphasis on the critical first step to employment—the phone interview.

Each graduate received a smartphone and one year of service as they enter the workplace.

TracFone donated 20% of its handset sales at Walmart throughout the month of April to equip women with tools and skills needed to build successful, long-term careers.

Community Connect; an Open House for Current and Potential Partners



Once a month, Dress for Success Austin hosts "Community Connect." The Open House provides Partner Agencies, potential volunteers and other visitors a closer insight into what clients experience during their visits. Community Outreach Coordinator, Candace Carver, uses this time to develop

and nurture working relationships and discuss unique issues facing Dress for Success Austin clients throughout the greater Austin area.

2016 Highlights

The mission of Dress for Success is to empower women to achieve economic independence by providing a network of support, professional attire and development tools to help them thrive in work and in life.

Our vision is a world where women do not live in poverty, are treated with dignity and respect and are strengthening their families and shaping their communities.

Success by the Numbers

890	Clients (unduplicated) were helped in 2016 in over...
1,589	Units of services in one or more of the eight programs
200+	Volunteers are active in all programs
100+	Nonprofit and government agencies and some churches are approved to refer clients for services



The Corporate Guild is comprised of area businesses and individuals committed to supporting the mission of Dress for Success Austin

Innovator (\$10,000 and above)

AT&T
Dell, Inc.
Greenstream International
HT Group
Sauer Family
Walmart
Westbank Dry Cleaning
Young Women's Alliance

Visionary (\$3,000—\$4,999)

Ruth and Randy Adams
Blackridge
Blue Cross Blue Shield of Texas
Crexendo
Episcopal Church of the Good Shepherd
Greenberg Traurig
Kendra Scott
Stellary Services LLC
Tape Solutions
Texas Mutual Insurance Company

Supporters (\$500 - \$1,499)

Austin Radiological Association
Bobby Inman, Admiral USN Retired
Bogle Vineyards
Consuela LLC
CWS Apartment Homes
Melody / DanceFit
Ty F. Davidson DDS
Enterprise Holdings Foundation
Garbo Salon & Spa
Governor's Commission for Women
Gusto's Italian Kitchen & Wine Bar
IAEE Central Texas
Kenyon Family Foundation
Snow Software Inc.
Southside Bank
Technigogo
Texas Medical Liability Trust
Wells Fargo Advisors

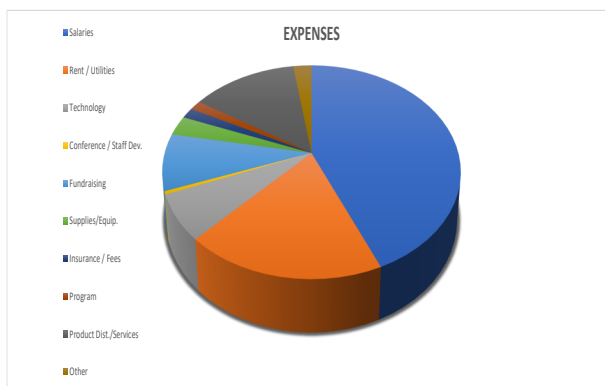
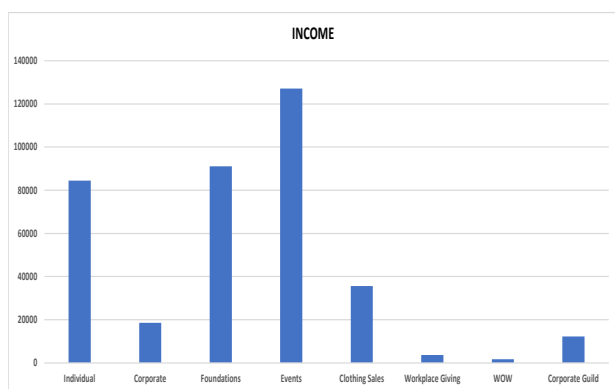
Sustainer (\$5,000—\$9,999)

American Endowment foundation
Building Team Solutions
Container Store
Davis Kaufman PLLC
Emerson Process Management
Gardere Wynne Sewell LLP
Kaufman Charitable Foundation
Kimberly Koonce / The Caldwell Co.
Mark McDonald
Steve & Lois Family Foundation
RetailMeNot
Winstead Women's Alliance

Trendsetter (\$1,500—\$2,999)

3Stix Productions
Andrews Kurth Law Firm
Austin Women in Technology
BB&T
Central Texas OB/GYN
Career Builder
HEB
Hillco Partners
Hoffman Hamilton Ranch LTD
Keller Williams / Adrienne McEwen
Mass Mutual
Mignon McGarry
Monster.com
Billy Phenix
Moreland Properties
SWBC Mortgage
Texans for Lawsuit Reform
Texas Lobby Group
Texas Municipal League
WiT

2016 Financial Summary



Total Income: \$489,820
Total Expenses: \$375,407
 Program \$264,273
 Administrative/Fundraising \$111,134
Net Assets: \$421,224

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All Dress for Success Austin financials are prepared according to generally accepted accounting principles (GAAP)

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Jennifer Chambers & Lisa Kaufman
Co-Founders and Founding Board Members



Stacy Herrington
Founding Board Member

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Staff

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Candace Carver, Community Outreach Coordinator
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Dress for Success Austin staff at Halloween.

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