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## **9<sup>th</sup> Annual Baltimore Next Generation Investing Event Helps Youth Education In Baltimore**

*Investment Community Comes Together To Raise Money to Provide Educational Opportunities for Kids in Need*

**Baltimore, November 12, 2018-** The 9th annual Baltimore Next Generation Investing Event (Next Gen event) will be taking place on Thursday, November 15, 2018 from 4-7 pm at the World Trade Center Baltimore located at 401 E. Pratt Street downtown.

At the event, four well-known stock-market investors: Heather McPherson, Portfolio Manager and Vice President of T. Rowe Price; Bill Miller, Founder, Chairman and CIO of Miller Value Partners; Sam Peters, Portfolio Manager at ClearBridge Investments and George Sakellaris, Equity Portfolio Manager at Brown Advisory will all speak about their favorite stock investment ideas of the moment. Next Gen event attendees will be treated to presentations by all four equity portfolio manager speakers as well as a cocktail and networking reception afterwards.

“People from all walks of life are trying to figure out what they can do to address the educational crisis in America and in Baltimore,” says Erika Brockman, Southwest Baltimore Charter School’s Executive Director. “This event puts this topic in front of people who want to do their part but may not know exactly how to lend support. The funding we receive from this effort provides enrichment programming – which helps shape lifelong skills for our kids - and keeps the kids motivated, engaged and having fun.”

Beth Harbinson, Executive Director of Children Scholarship Fund Baltimore says, “We more than double our low-income families’ chances of both graduating from high school and attending college. Education level is directly linked to earning potential and the Next Gen event helps us change the lives of the families we support.”

Last year, about 200 local investment professionals attended the eighth annual Baltimore Next Generation Investing Event. Due to a combination of good stock ideas and good karma, the stock pick recommendations of all the Next Gen events have strongly outperformed the U.S. stock market during the approximate one-year time period prior to the Next Gen event!

The past Next Generation Investing Events have raised over \$850,000 to support education in our city, and this year the net proceeds of the event will benefit four local, successful non-profit educational organizations: Children's Scholarship Fund Baltimore, Southwest Baltimore Charter School, KIPP: Baltimore and Next One Up.

Tickets for the event cost \$500 (\$450 of the ticket price is tax-deductible) and can be purchased at [www.NextGenInvesting.org](http://www.NextGenInvesting.org) or by mailing a check (payable to Baltimore Next Generation Investing Event) to Baltimore Next Generation Investing Event Attn: Matthew Wyskiel 35 Warrenton Road Baltimore, MD 21210.

Donations in support of the event are welcome too. Sponsorship opportunities are available for anybody wishing to purchase 5 tickets or more.

For more information on the Baltimore Next Generation Investing Event, visit [www.NextGenInvesting.org](http://www.NextGenInvesting.org).