



Society of Ethiopians Established in Diaspora

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SEED PRESENTS ITS 30th ANNIVERSARY GALA

“THE MIGHTY DIASPORA”

Sunday, May 28, 2023 at the College Park Marriott Hotel & Conference Center

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Washington, D.C. – The Society of Ethiopians Established in the Diaspora (SEED), one of the longest serving Ethiopian nonprofit organizations in the United States is commemorating 30 years of Excellence – Celebrating the “Mighty Diaspora” on Sunday, May 28, 2023.

SEED’s 30th Annual Recognition and Awards dinner will be held at 6:00 pm on Sunday May 28, 2023 at College Park Marriott Hotel and Conference Center, 3501 University Blvd E, Hyattsville, MD 20783.

Join us in celebrating this year’s honorees, visionary leaders, and organizations in recognition of their outstanding achievements in the spheres of academics, business, technology, art, humanitarian efforts, exemplary leadership, and distinguished service to bring a positive impact to our community and country.

SEED will proudly honor the following individuals and organizations for their excellence in their respective fields: **Prince Asfa-Wossen Assrate, Ph.D, Ustaz Jemal Beshir, Mrs. Rebecca Haile, Ms. Ethiopia Habtemariam, Dr. Lishan Kassa, Dr. Brook Lakew, Mr. Henok Tesfaye, Deacon Yoseph Tafari, Mr. Elias Wondimu, The Habesha Kids and Leadership, The American Ethiopian Public Affairs Committee (AEPAC).**

SEED looks forward to continuing the tradition of celebrating and honoring high school graduates. We will also look back to see where our past high school honorees are now, as we planted a seed in each of them years ago. We have a special honorary booklet of our distinguished past high school honorees to showcase how far they have grown.

Get your tickets early, they are available to purchase

<https://www.eventbrite.com/e/celebrate-the-mighty-ethiopian-diaspora-tickets-511207875517>.

- Tickets include reception, Dinner, music, and an opportunity to network, celebrate current and future leaders of our Mighty Diaspora.

For more information about SEED’s 2023 Mighty Diaspora recognition awards program, email publicrelations@ethiopianseed.org or call 202-361-3043 or 330-283-4275

SEED is a nonprofit organization established in 1993 whose mission is to empower the Ethiopian American Diaspora in the areas of academic excellence, professional development, and community service. To learn more about the organization or to inquire about volunteering, go to our website: www.ethioseed.org