An Evening to Celebrate the 15th Anniversary of Innocents at Risk
“To see but not to see,
To see but to deny,
To see but not to act is a
crime against a child.
You can all do something.
You can make a difference.
Save a child.”

~ Queen Silvia of Sweden
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Tuesday, April 21, 2020

THE ORGANIZATION OF THE AMERICAN STATES
200 17TH STREET NW
THE CITY OF WASHINGTON, DC

7:00 PM Cocktail Reception
8:00 PM Dinner and Program
Black Tie

THE GALA CHAIRS
Yasmine and Omar Ghorbal

MASTER OF CEREMONY
Award Winning TV Journalist, Barbara Harrison

THE SPECIAL GUEST OF HONOR
The Honorable Elaine Chao
The Secretary of Transportation

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Members of Congress,
Members of the Diplomatic Corps,
and Members of Law Enforcement
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Dear Friends of Innocents at Risk,

Omar and I are so proud, as this year’s Gala Chairs, to stand beside Deborah Sigmund, Founder and Executive Director of Innocents at Risk to combat human trafficking. We look forward to welcoming you on April 21, 2020 to commemorate the 15th Anniversary of Innocents at Risk. The Anniversary Gala will be held at the beautiful Organization of American States.

For fifteen years, Innocents at Risk has worked actively to keep our children safe. Established in 2005 with the support of the Department of State, Innocents at Risk built partnerships with embassies, churches, corporations, non profit organizations and friends from the philanthropic community to bring awareness to the horrific issue of Human Trafficking.

In 2008, Innocents at Risk began the Flight Attendant Initiative with Senior American Airlines Flight Attendant Sandra Firorini and Polaris, training flight attendants to identify red flag situations and report them to the National Human Trafficking Hotline. In 2009 Homeland Security joined our initiative. Airline Ambassadors later joined us, creating an army of angels in the air. In 2010 the Department of Transportation began training employees in the transportation industry. Recognizing the hospitality industry as another key target to eliminate Human Trafficking, Innocents at Risk worked to spread awareness to hotel management and staff. Marriott and other hotel chains are now training their employees to be the eyes and ears to identify possible trafficking situations and keep children safe.

With the help of our sponsors we created the Awareness is Prevention campaign, which we are taking across the globe. This program should be in every school! With your support, we can make this possible.

We have attached sponsorship levels and a sponsorship form for your convenience.

Thank you for helping us continue our vital mission.

—Mr. and Mrs. Omar A. Ghorbal, 2020 Gala Chairpersons
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1101 30th Street, NW, Suite 500
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- Four (4) tables of ten (10) with premier seating with special VIP guest(s)
- VIP Reception prior to event
- Early access to silent auction
- Participate in event program presentation
- Co-branding opportunities
- Full page ad in event program
- Verbal recognition at the event
- Company/family name featured on our event website and all other printed materials
- Listed in all media releases
- Invitations to all Innocents at Risk events 2020/2021

Gold Angel Sponsor - $25,000
- Two (2) tables of ten (10) with premier seating
- VIP Reception prior to the event
- Early access to silent auction
- Half-page ad in event program
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- VIP Reception prior to the event
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- VIP Reception prior to the event
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- Quarter page ad in event program
- Verbal recognition at the event
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Anniversary Sponsor - $2,500
- Two (2) tickets to event dinner in preferred seating
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