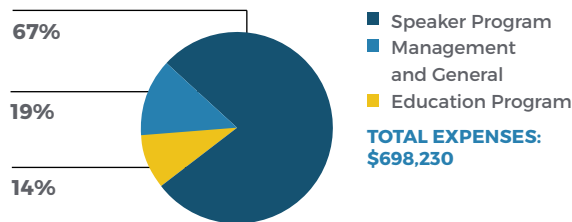


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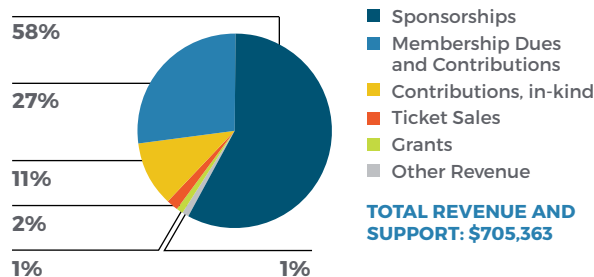
Education

- Fifteen high schools participated in **Great Decisions**, a student enrichment program facilitated by faculty members from local colleges and universities. Participants took part in six **Student Interactions**.
- The **Admiral Jonathan T. Howe Academic WorldQuest** attracted 50 teams from 20 high schools for a spirited evening of international trivia that sent the winning team from Stanton to the national competition in Washington, D.C.
- More than 120 students attended the second annual **Kick-Off Dinner & Dialogue** and discussed, "Myanmar: A Fragile State's Transition to Democracy."
- The **International Crisis Management Exercise** focused on developments in the Middle East and challenged participants to develop foreign policy recommendations for their acting U.S. Presidents.
- The **Ambassador Marilyn McAfee Scholarship Program** provided two awards to area college students in support of their study abroad programs.

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Membership

- The Council has more than **900 members**, of whom half are at the Premier level.
- Magellan Society membership (21-40 years) includes **more than 80 members**.

Magellan Society

- Hosted in partnership with GlobalJax, a **Global Exchange** focused on transparency and accountability in Europe's government with delegates from Albania, Czech Republic, Georgia, Lithuania, Macedonia, Moldova, Slovakia, Slovenia and Ukraine.
- Six young professionals participated in the **Mentor Program**, partnering with Council leaders.
- The **Quarterly Saloons** brought panels of speakers to discuss topics such as international finance, transportation and logistics and international sports.
- **Luncheon Ladders** provided Magellan Society Members opportunities to meet with Council leaders and discuss professional and international interests. In collaboration with Cultural Fusion, the lunches expanded to lift the voices of cultural and artistic leaders in the community.
- The **"I Digress..." Socials** were held after every Global Issues Evening, encouraging in depth discussion of the night's presentation.

Speaker Series

- Our seven **Global Issues Evenings** speakers provided valuable insights into many diverse international issues. Every presentation at the University of North Florida was sold-out.
- Thanks to partnerships with The River Club and Jacksonville University, each of the seven **Global Business Luncheons** met an important need of our business community.
- With the help of WJCT Public Radio and articles in the *Jacksonville Business Journal* and *Florida Times-Union*, these speaker series reached far beyond the 9,500 audience members who attended.

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FEATURED SPEAKERS 2015-2016



Age of Ambition in the New China

EVAN OSNOS

Washington Correspondent, The New Yorker



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FRANK MARTIRE

Executive Chairman, FIS



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Foreign Policy Expert and CEO, New America



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GENERAL JOHN ABIZAID, USA (RET.)

Combatant Commander, U.S. Central Command (2003-2007)



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Stalin and Putin's Rise

STEPHEN KOTKIN, PH.D.

Acting Director for Program in Russian, East European and Eurasian Studies at Princeton University



Borderless Economics

ROBERT GUEST

Foreign Editor, The Economist



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STEVE WOZNIAK

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