

### DEAR FRIENDS AND SUPPORTERS:

I officially joined The Right Light Productions in January 2021 after the passing of my friend and former TRL Executive Director, Randy Lankford.

I have supported the mission and vision of TRL since 2016 and I am proud to be a part of the organization's success and excited about where TRL can go next.

TRL has a strong reputation in our community, schools, surrounding counties and within other nonprofits through our premiere event BexarFest. Leveraging the success of this event, our organization has launched a new program, the Alamo Arts Academy, to not only showcase students' talents and abilities but also develop them. This has transformed TRL into a one-of-a-kind organization that provides hands-on education to students while giving back to the community.

Over the next three years we will reach more nonprofits and develop students like never before. We will have a direct impact on the youth of our communities by providing the multimedia education young creatives in low-socioeconomic and disenfranchised areas could not receive before.

What our organization has achieved in the last five years are the building blocks for what is to come. As we have grown, we have discovered what opportunities we are best suited to address and we are excited to have a new vision going forward: to foster student's desires to explore creative industries.

As you read more about our impact and plans, I hope you will imagine yourself as a TRL supporter and help us positively impact our youth and communities.

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Perla Rivera
Executive Director





### January 2016

The Right Light Productions is founded.

### May 2018

The Bexar County Commissioners Court honors BexarFest and its participants.

### **April 2020**

TRL launches new podcast BexarCast

### February 2021

Due to the COVID pandemic, TRL hosts BexarFest via livestream.



### February 2017

The first ever Bexar County Film Festival (now BexarFest) takes place in San Antonio, Texas and features 22 schools and nonprofits.

### February 2019

TRL serves over 50 schools and nonprofits through BexarFest.

### January 2021

With the passing of our founder, TRL announces our new Executive Director, Perla Rivera.

### **March 2021**

TRL announces our new multimedia educational program, the Alamo Arts Academy.





Working with the students was a great opportunity for us to reflect on our work and what it means to the greater community. The students did a great job of getting to understand our programs and people, and relayed the message in an up-beat and positive video that really captured our culture.

**Eric Estrada**Executive Director



BexarFest is the only multimedia event of its kind.





No other program in any city in America, provides an infrastructure for high school students to learn real-world multimedia job skills while volunteering with local nonprofit organizations. And no other organization is giving nonprofit organizations the resources to create outreach media to advance their missions. BexarFest makes it possible for these organizations to have marketing tools they could not otherwise afford or produce on their own. Partnering with schools creates a collaborative relationship that lasts long past the conclusion of the event, and provides a meaningful connection to the next generation of donors and volunteers.









76 Nonprofits Served

1000+ Students Served

Farticipating
High
Schools



### SINCE FOUNDING



Minutes of Nonprofit Storytelling



Counties Served



Practicum Hours



Worth of Media Production Services Provided

100%

### 100% of nonprofit respondents reported:

The media deliverables created through TRL will strengthen the ability of their organization to be successful

They would participate in another TRL event in the future

78%

### 98% of school respondents reported:

BexarFest produced outcomes that provided students with the knowledge and experience teachers can implement in their lessons

BexarFest exposed their students to new ideas through practicum education that will positively impact their work

91%

### 91% of student respondents reported:

After their experience in a TRL event, they plan on pursuing a career in multimedia production



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Nothing but a wonderful experience with the schools and the quality of the work presented was professional. We can't wait to participate again.

Neale Parker | Executive Director



## ALAMO® ARTS ACADEMY

MASTERING MULTIMEDIA

It is my pleasure to endorse the Alamo Arts Academy multimedia educational program. [AAA] has been a game changer for many students, introducing a new generation of multimedia enthusiasts to opportunities never thought possible. This program is unique as it was founded by a filmmaking professional who is also a certified teacher. It is that understanding of both the classroom and the workplace that makes the [AAA] curriculum something special. This program will have a huge impact on our community as an economic stimulant, as it offers professional certifications, preparing students for both college and the workforce.

**Diego M. Bernal**State Representative
House District 123











Through our years of building BexarFest, we began realizing there was a discrepancy in resources and a desire from the students to bring multimedia education to the underserved communities. Alamo Arts Academy was created to provide multimedia learning opportunities and practicum experiences to bridge the gap in the educational system. We are running our pilot year during this 2021 - 2022 school year, and we've been met with tremendous support and enthusiasm in San Antonio, Dallas, and beyond. In fact, we exceeded our number of students projected for year one. Now more than ever, we're dedicated to reach more schools and connect industry professionals to eager students.







### SINCE FOUNDING IN AUG 2021:



STUDENTS SERVED 88

LESSONS TAUGHT 15

INSTRUCTORS
& INDUSTRY
PROFESSIONALS



HOURS LEARNING 3,674

PROJECTS COMPLETED 256

PRACTICUM HOURS

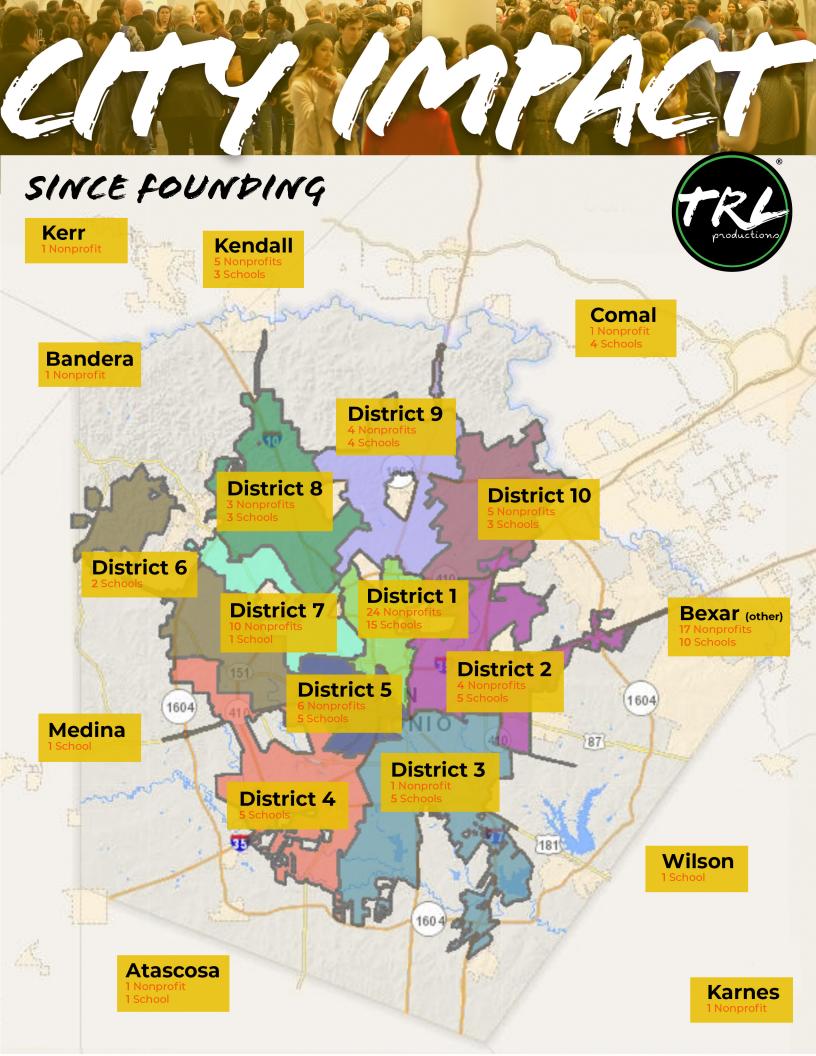


Academy of Dallas (Dallas, TX) and Bexar County Academy (San Antonio, TX) Public Charter Schools' partnership and collaboration with Alamo Arts Academy has been a phenomenal experience for the districts' 6th, 7th, and 8th-grade scholars.

The scholars' participation and engagement online and in-person is due to the exemplary program leadership of Mr. Buddy Calvo as he ensures that all scholars are receiving the best learning experience the curriculum has to offer. We are excited to witness the positive student outcomes through this program.

**Niquita Spearman**Marketing Director

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### NONTROFITS SERVED SINCE FOUNDING

### Bexar (other)

Alamo City Pitbull Rescue **CAMP** Endeavors **Helotes Humane Society** High Voltage Make a Wish Central & South Texas Mojo-Rimba **Pink Berets Project Angel Fares** Ransomed Life San Antonio Amputee Foundation San Antonio Feral Cat Coalition San Antonio Mastersingers Snack Pak for Kids **Southwest ISD Foundation** The Goodhood **Wayward Whiskers** 

### **District 1**

Any Baby Can Alpha Home Avance Briscoe Western Art Museum Children's Ballet of San Antonio Children's Bereavement Center of South Texas Children's Chorus of San Antonio **Conjunto Heritage Taller Corazon Ministries** Earn-A-Bike Esperanza Peace & Justice **Footbridge Foundation** Gabriella's Smile **Guide Dogs of Texas Hearts Need Art** Luminaria **Pride Center San Antonio** Rise Recovery **Rotary Club of San Antonio** San Antonio Education Partnership San Antonio Sound Garden Sarah's Heart **Teamability** YOSA

### **District 2**

First Tee San Antonio Martinez Street Womens Center Prosthetic Foundation San Antonio Zoo

### **District 3**

Mitchell Lake Audubon Center

### **District 5**

Guadalupe Community Center Habitat For Humanity Inner City Development Pay It Forward Urban 15 Voices for Children

### **District 7**

Autism Community Network
Children's Shelter
Chromosome 18
Jefferson Outreach
Meals on Wheels
Rape Crisis Center
San Antonio Clubhouse
San Antonio Humane Society
Special Reach
Volunteers of America

### **District 8**

Kinetic Kids Ronald McDonald House of SA Transplants for Children

### **District 9**

Any Woman Can Down Syndrome Girls on the Run Last Chance Forever

### **District 10**

Epilepsy Foundation Helping Hands Low Vision Resource Center Spare Parts

### **Atascosa**

Safer Path

### **Bandera**

A Doggie 4 U

### Comal

Family Promise of Greater NB

### **Karnes**

Jamie's Ranch

### Kendall

Aid the Silent
Hill Country Daily Bread
Open T.R.A.I.L. Ranch
Rainbow Senior Center
Cibolo Center for Conservation

### Kerr

**Upward Transitions Equine Therapy** 



### Bexar (other)

Antonian College Preparatory HS
Brennan High School
Christian School at Castle Hills
East Central High School
Harlan High School
Judson Early College Academy
O'Connor High School
Somerset High School
Southside High School
Veterans Memorial High School

### **District 1**

Advanced Learning Academy
Alamo Heights High School
Blessed Sacrament Catholic School
Brooks Collegiate Academy
Central Catholic High School
Edison High School
Holy Name Catholic School
Legacy of Educational Excellence
North East School of the Arts (NESA)
St. Anthony Catholic High School
St. Anthony Catholic Middle School
St. Gregory Catholic School
St. John Berchmans Catholic School
St. John Bosco School

### **District 2**

St. Paul Catholic School

Cole High School
Bexar County Academy / Academy
of Dallas
DATA (Roosevelt High School)
Jubilee Academies

### **District 3**

Brooks Academy of Science and Engineering Harlandale High School McCollum High School Sared Heart Catholic School Southwest Preparatory School

### **District 4**

Legacy Christian Academy San Antonio New Life Christian Hybrid South San Antonio High School Southwest Legacy Stevens High School

### **District 5**

Brackenridge High School Kennedy High School Lanier High School Say Si Best Buy Teen Tech

### **District 6**

Harmony Science Academy Communications Arts High School (Taft)

### **District 7**

Jefferson High School

### **District 8**

Brandeis High School Winston School of San Antonio Lutheran High School

### **District 9**

Johnson High School Churchill High School Reagan High School San Antonio Christian School

### **District 10**

MacArthur High School Madison High School Saint Mary's Hall

### **Atascosa**

**Pleasanton High School** 

### **Comal**

Canyon High School Canyon Lake High School Memorial Early College High School Smithson Valley High School

### Kendall

Boerne High School Boerne Champion High School Geneva School of Boerne

### Medina

Lytle High School

### Wilson

La Vernia High School





To foster student's desires to explore creative industries



### **MISSION**

To provide pathways where young creatives have access to resources and opportunities which will positively impact students and their communities.



### **CORE VALUES**

Intentional Collaboration Exploration and Discovery Leadership and Advocacy Community Impact

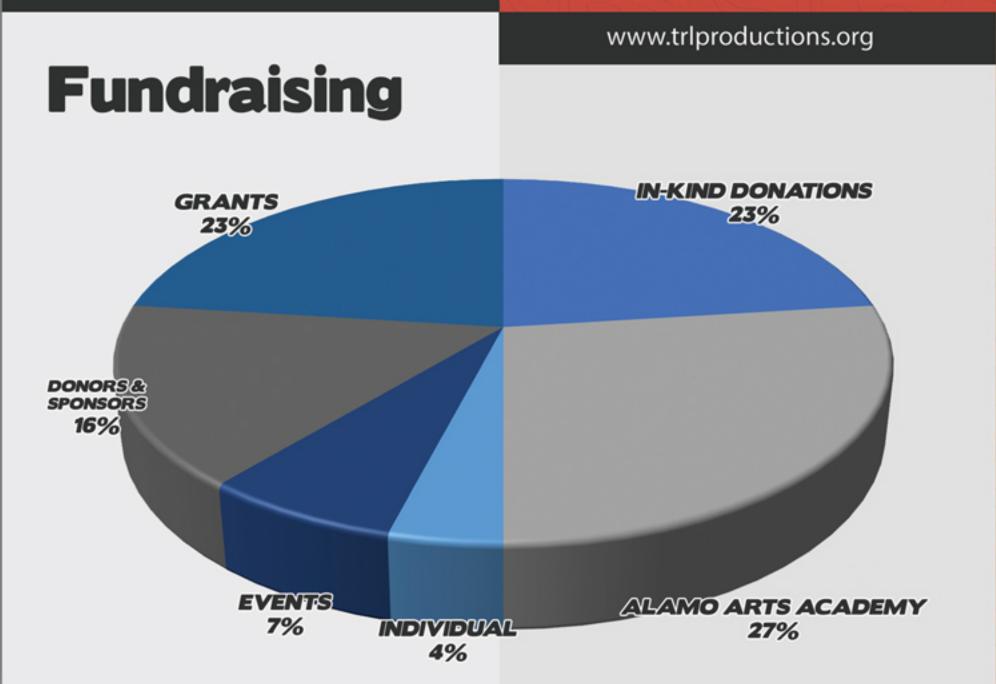


### **#TRLPRODUCTIONS**

### The Right Light Productions Fundraising Strategy

Our nonprofit organization has evaluated our goals, capacity, and operating environment and has determined the following six campaigns best fit our situation:

Grants, Program Income from Alamo Arts Academy, Sponsors and Donors, Events, Individuals and In-kind donations.



### Fundraising for OPERATIONAL SUPPORT EDUCATIONAL PROGRAMMING MULTIMEDIA EVENTS



2022

REACH 60+ SCHOOLS AND NONPROFITS THROUGH BEXARFEST

PROVIDE MULTIMEDIA EDUCATION TO 500 STUDENTS THROUGH **ALAMO ARTS ACADEMY** 

SECURE THE FOUNDATION FOR ALAMO ARTS ACADEMY PROGRAM

REACH 70+ SCHOOLS AND NONPROFITS THROUGH BEXARFEST

PROVIDE MULTIMEDIA EDUCATION TO 1,000 STUDENTS THROUGH ALAMO ARTS ACADEMY

EXPAND OUR STAFF AND PRACTICUM OPPORTUNITIES

REACH 100+ SCHOOLS AND NONPROFITS THROUGH BEXARFEST

PROVIDE MULTIMEDIA EDUCATION TO 1,750 STUDENTS THROUGH ALAMO ARTS ACADEMY

EXPAND OUR STAFF AND COURSES OFFERED

### **FOCUS ON OUR CORE CLIENT: STUDENTS AND NONPROFITS**

- Affirm our focus on our client
- Continue to build our capabilites to reach more nonprofits and students from urban and low-socioeconomic communities

### WHAT WILL SUCCESS LOOK LIKE

Number of nonprofits and students served increases significantly



### **EXPAND OUR STAFF**

- Increase the staff members in TRL operations
- Continue to grow the amount of contractors that work with TRL

### WHAT WILL SUCCESS LOOK LIKE

- Community Outreach Coordinator hired
- New instructors for Alamo Arts Academy



### **INCREASE OUR REACH**

Focus on building community relationships through giving back

### WHAT WILL SUCCESS LOOK LIKE

- Program funding increase through corporate donations and grants
- Expanding community awareness and support in Districts 1-10



PRESENTING



ALAMO ARTS ACADEMY MASTERING MULTIMEDIA

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