Your Gift Will Open Windows of Opportunity for Immigrants at PODER HQ

A dynamic, inspirational and state-of-the-art 7,000 square foot immigrant integration, job center and outdoor event space will welcome our newest Americans as a gateway to Chicago and the United States.

Let’s build #PODERHQ together!
HELP US OPEN THIS FALL BY MAKING A GIFT TODAY!

$5,867,233
TOTAL DONATIONS RECEIVED

$6,500,000
GOAL

90%

PODER HQ Naming Opportunities

**El Zócalo** (see back page)
An outdoor community plaza or zócalo, with hand-crafted benches and shaded by ornamental in-memoriam trees, offers free Wi-Fi and accessible power outlets to welcome visitors for events and celebrations. Permeable pavers guide to HQ’s main entrance.

1A: Zócalo $500,000 (see back page)
1B: Benches $7,500
1C: In-memoriam Trees $5,000
The Atrium & Skylight
HQ’s most unique and recognizable feature is a skylight that extends 20 feet above the roofline and 60 feet above the atrium floor. Natural light infuses all corners resulting in greater educational gains and team productivity. After-hours, the skylight is a fully illuminated beacon that transforms the atrium space below into a unique special event space for community celebrations and business events generating additional revenue for PODER.

Training Rooms & Assembly Hall
Walls of glass welcome visitors to our main HQ entrance pavilion, flanked by two job training rooms facing the zocalo. Additional training spaces on first and second floors are fully equipped with the technology needed to facilitate learning, increase digital literacy, and foster job seeker collaboration. HQ’s largest space is Assembly Hall equipped with a moveable partition to flex from independent spaces into large gatherings for community partners, orientations and alumni celebrations.

For more information
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PODER’s vision for HQ is where economic equity, upward mobility and societal inclusion are attainable for all.

Chicago’s first immigrant integration + job center, to be located on the corner of 55th and Homan Ave. in Gage Park, is where windows of opportunity will open as an abandoned building will be reinvented for a reimagined PODER.

A beacon of light, inspiration, and possibility, a catalyst to widen and deepen our collective community impact. PODER HQ will revitalize 55th St while providing connective tissue between two city investment corridors. But the greatest economic impact, of greater societal and workforce integration, will be felt by our clients and their families for generations to come.

Scan the QR codes above and below with your smartphone camera to watch the PODER HQ renderings come to life in 4k animation courtesy of our design architect Francisco Gonzalez Pulido and team at FGP Atelier.

For the complete video and donor naming opportunities, visit: https://www.poderworks.org/capital-campaign