

## 2022 Highlights

#### CELEBRATING ACHIEVEMENTS



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### A Message from Our President & CEO

At AnitaB.org, we aim for intersectional gender equity and pay parity in the tech ecosystem. That's been our goal from the start, and we continue to work towards that goal through our mission and in all that we do.

I'm proud to say that we saw a significant increase in people who were directly served by our organization last year, through events, programs, celebrations, webinars, and workshops. And what a momentous experience it was to gather - 30,000 strong - in person and virtually for Grace Hopper Celebration 2022!

Our Membership Program is as strong as ever, hosting events and building the community that so many women and non-binary technologists need. We've seen significant growth in the Apprenticeship Pathway Program – 4x more participants than in 2021 - creating access into full-time tech careers for those historically excluded. And our research continues to show that organizations like AnitaB.org are greatly needed to spark the movement necessary to create change in the industry. In fact, our Top Companies for Women Technologists report states that only 27.6% of the tech workforce are women.

We've made great strides, but there is still so much work to be done. On behalf of the team at AnitaB.org, I would like to sincerely thank you for your support as we continue to work towards an inclusive tech ecosystem. Together, we'll chart The Way Forward.

Brenda Wilkerson

**Brenda Darden Wilkerson** President and CEO of AnitaB.org



#### **Our Mission**

At AnitaB.org, a global nonprofit organization, we envision a future where the people who imagine and build technology mirror the societies for whom they build it. We connect, inspire, and guide women & non-binary individuals in technical fields, as well as organizations that view technology innovation as a strategic imperative.







Our "Why"

REPRESENTATION

- WORKFORCE DEMAND

#### ECONOMIC IMPACT & INNOVATION

- Lack of 50/50 equity in the tech workforce is a global problem.
- Products and services are being created without input from over half of the population.
- With a 15% job growth projection in the next decade, the tech industry is the fastest growing sector in America.<sup>1</sup>
- However, 60% of all new jobs in the early 21st century will require skills possessed by only 20% of the current workforce.<sup>2</sup>
- The best way to meet this demand is to expand the talent pool by bringing in more groups who have been historically excluded from the tech ecosystem.

- Innovation drives over 50% of the US economy, and the US government has become increasingly concerned with addressing gender and racial disparities in tech.<sup>3</sup>
- As diversity in teams and businesses increase, creativity and innovation also increase.
- America's economy and global competitiveness suffer from a lack of women and non-binary people in the tech workforce.
- America must increase and diversify its STEM workforce in order to produce the innovation required to remain globally competitive.



#### History 25 YEARS OF IMPACT AT ANITAB.ORG





### **Overall Reach In 2022**



144

Countries or territories represented by program participants



113+ Number of activities\*





People served worldwide through our programming

84% Women

0.9% Non-Binary

7% LGBTQIA+

12%

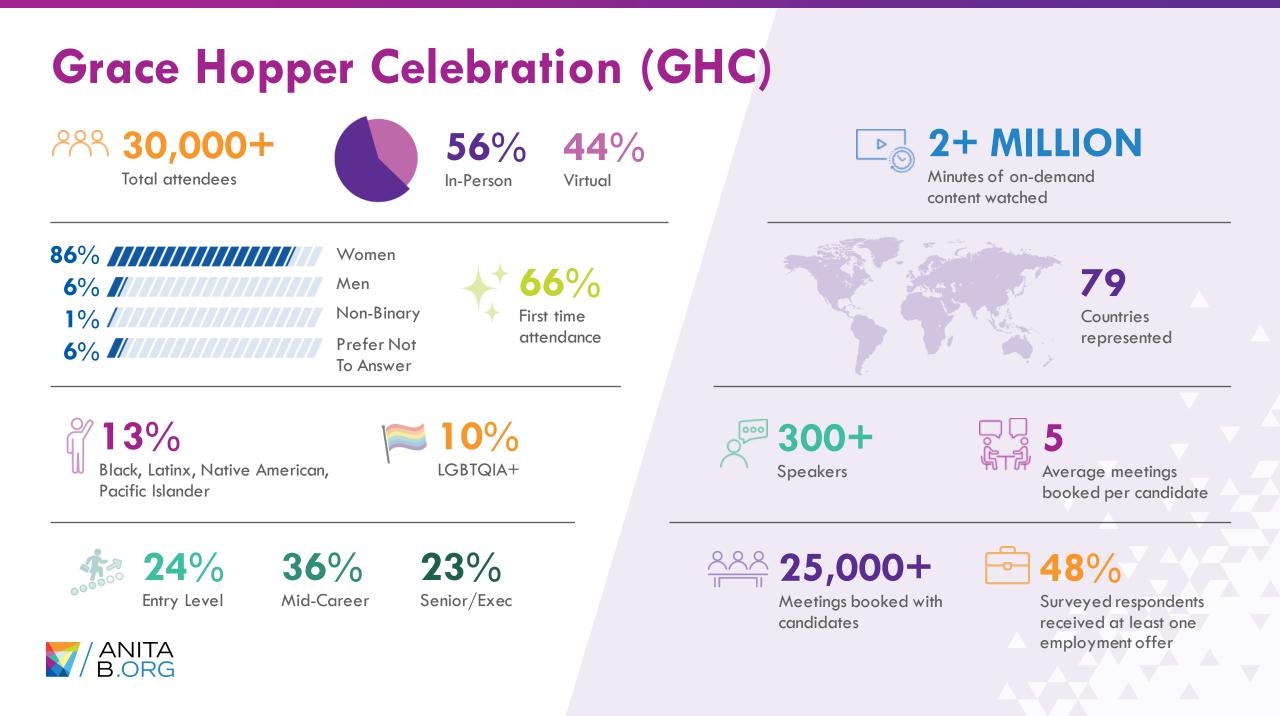
From a Historically-Excluded Racial/Ethnic Group

87%

From the United States

\*Activities include our programs, celebrations, events, webinars, and workshops.

### **Global Events**



# Grace Hopper Celebration (GHC)



I was able to meet and connect with many inspiring women in the field and exchange our information and backgrounds! Thank you so much for giving me the opportunity to attend it and I am excited to pass [on] what I learned to others.

- GHC 22 Attendee

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### **Open Source Day**

Open Source Day (OSD) is an all-day hackathon at GHC during which participants can work with peers as well as experienced mentors to contribute to projects that solve real-world issues.

Participants can attend workshops designed to level-up and learn new skills in open source and engage with the open source ecosystem, no matter their experience level.



of evaluation respondents learned new skills or information that will help them advance their career

**90%** of evaluation respondents report that OSD met or exceeded their expectations It was a great experience for me making my first Open Source contribution and it felt really nice to know that I made a small impact through my efforts.

Since this was my first time participating in an OSD, it was enriching for me to just observe and learn how people contribute in such platforms. Being able to interact with them is something that I really cherished.

Since Open Source Day, many of the participants have gone on to continue contributing, particularly to a disaster response effort that occurred a few weeks later.



### **Workforce Advancement**

## **Apprenticeship Pathway Program (APP)**

Launched in March 2021, the AnitaB.org Apprenticeship Pathway Program (APP) increases the representation of Black, Latinx, Indigenous, LGBTQIA+, women, men, and non-binary people in the tech industry. Apprentices get paid to learn during the program and, upon successful completion, can convert to a full-time software development career.

**New-to-Tech Pathway** 

**Beginner Focused** 

73% of participants received a full-time job offer

- 90%

of participants reported feeling confident building a successful career in the tech field

88% Women 2%/

Non-Binary

LGBTQIA+

**Hybrid Program** 

Learn & Earn

**65**%

Hispanic or Latinx 37%

African American or Black



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#### Apprenticeship Pathway Program (APP) PARTICIPANT TESTIMONIAL

The APP program is an amazing kick-start to a journey in tech. It provides fundamental knowledge of software engineering with an amazing community of support. Ultimately coding is not as hard as one may think, especially with people on the same journey as you that are there to help you. Strength in unity.

- APP Participant

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## Membership

### Membership

The AnitaB.org Membership program, made up of 76k+ Members, is specifically designed to support women and non-binary technologists throughout their tech journey. Members have access to opportunities that can elevate their professional profile and advance their career in technology.





### **Our Members**

#### <u> የጽጓ 76,600</u>

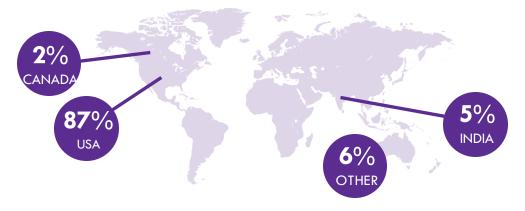
Members in our inclusive technology community



1% /////Non-Binary

**33 LOCAL COMMUNITIES** 

From over 100+ countries across North America, Africa, Oceania, Europe, and Asia.





**39%** Intern & Entry Level



Mid-Career



Senior/Exec

8% 12% Black, Latinx, Native American, LGBTQIA+ Pacific Islander TOP 5 AREAS OF INTEREST </> **58% 34%** Software Engineering Data Science · 古古· **27**% 34% **Artificial** Computer Systems Diversity, Equity Engineering and Inclusion (DEI) Intelligence

#### 100+

Events with over 4,200 attendees including Hiring Events and Local Topical Events 3,690

Participants in various Mentorship programs including, 1:1 Mentoring, Group Mentoring, Speed Mentoring and Mentoring Circles



# AnitaB.org Membership



– Liza Layne

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## Policy & Advocacy

## **Policy & Advocacy**

Policy & Advocacy at AnitaB.org brings together allies and champions across every sector to advance intersectional gender equity in technology. Through strategic engagement and activism, we collaborate with mission-aligned partners, empower grassroots advocates, and influence policymakers in order to drive solutions for a more equitable tech ecosystem. Here are the topics that AnitaB.org champions through our policy and advocacy work.



Labor & Workforce – We seek policies and legislation that diversify and accelerate pathways for inclusion in the tech workforce.



**Education** – We advance policies that expand and increase STEM education opportunities to diversify the tech workforce, as well as policies that provide diversity and equity in both industry and academia.



**Diversity** – We pursue policies that will diversify the tech workforce and support legislation that provides equal rights, access, and opportunity for women, non-binary folks, and other historically excluded communities.



**Emerging Technology** – We support and seek policies that build protections to ensure tech reflects our diverse society and the people who create it.



## **Legislative Highlights**

AnitaB.org works to educate elected officials, policy makers, and key agency decision makers to advance legislation that supports and advances women and non-binary technologists in the workplace. We also engage and mobilize members in these efforts including, calls to action, sign-on letters, and educational programming. Here are few 2022 highlights:

- Published the 2022 Election Toolkit
- Created the 2022 US and Global Policy Primers
- Held Hill briefing for legislators on the latest AnitaB.org research, TechEES on the state of 'women-in-tech"
- Hosted two Power to the People series including Digital Privacy & Abortion Rights, and Taking Charge Beyond the Ballot





Allied Groups with Whom We Worked to Advance Our Mission



Congressional Meetings **affia** 11

Executive Branch Meetings Participated In



Facilitators (USofTech) for Civic Tech Sessions



### **USofTech**

The United States of Technologists (USofTech) is a collective effort to bring a diverse group of 10,000 technologists into the public sector across state, local, and federal government.

We are part of the growing movement of public interest technologists, "adopting best practices in human-centered design, product development, process re-engineering, and data science to solve public problems in an inclusive, iterative manner - continuously learning, improving, and aiming to deliver better outcomes to the public."

As stakeholders affiliated with 45+ entities, this collective is advancing public interest tech in government. We aim to inspire, support, and place technical and tech-adjacent talent across data science, customer experience, cybersecurity, IT, design, software, and other modern tech disciplines into public service.

Together, we stand as a united voice in advancing governments' tech talent workforce.





Quarterly meetings

Diversity, Equity, Inclusion, and Accessibility Affinity Group Meetings



### **Awards & Scholarships**

### **Abie Awards**

Our Abie Awards honor women and non-binary tech leaders, whose achievements and life stories demonstrate that all of us have the power to improve our world, individually and collectively.



**Kris Dorsey, Ph.D** Emerging Leader in Honor of Denice Denton Abie Award Winner



Neha Narkhede Technology Entrepreneurship Abie Award Winner



**Paula Coto** Change Agent Abie Award Winner



Daphne Koller, Ph.D Technical Leadership Abie Award Winner



Katherine Vergara Student of Vision Abie Award Winner



### **GHC Scholars**

The GHC Scholars Program supports students and faculty, who would not otherwise have the opportunity, to attend Grace Hopper Celebration (GHC). All undergraduate and graduate students, post-doctoral fellows, and faculty can apply.

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I received 5 job offers, from which I am happy to have selected one that will take place across the country and in an exciting new field!

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964 GHC Scholars



Agreed that the GHC Scholarship helped advance their academic or professional career



Since becoming a GHC scholar, I felt like I was given an additional resource for opportunities and support that became useful when my return offer was rescinded.

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### Kamala Scholars

The Kamala Scholars Program supports 3rd & 4th year undergraduate students by providing programming all year round and the opportunity to experience GHC. These students receive the following to support them in securing employment opportunities and advancement in their tech journey.



**Participants** 

completed the Kamala Scholars program

Group Mentoring & Training Sessions 60-minute sessions to present their authentic

selves at GHC



I have never felt more motivated than when I received a Kamala's Scholarship to attend Grace Hopper Celebration and be part of AnitaB.org. I felt inspired by other women. My dream was to attend in person and have a unique experience because I never attended an event before; however, I enjoyed it virtually. That experience changed my life because, before, I felt unrepresented and unmotivated. After that experience, I realized that it doesn't matter where I came from; my dreams also have value. I am grateful for the opportunity that the scholarship provided me.

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## Research

## **Top Companies**



Top Companies for Women Technologists is a national program from AnitaB.org that engages companies to identify key trends in workforce equity impacting women and non-binary technologists. It is the only benchmarking program that looks specifically at the technical workforce and awards companies that are making the most progress toward equity.



AnitaB.org provides participating companies with a detailed evaluation and benchmark of their intersectional gender equity in tech and a **roadmap for concrete steps they can take to improve their equitable practices** that attract, grow, and retain women and non-binary technologists.







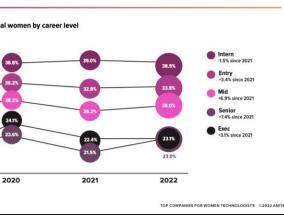


422,494

total US-based technologists measured across various industries in 2022



of women technologists increased in 2022 at all career levels except intern, representation r ladder than it was in January 2020. Additionally, tech women's representation remains much ls than at entry level.





#### **52 companies**

analyzed by AnitaB.org in 2022 for data on representation, programs, and policies

#### **Key Findings**

- Representation of tech women on the rise, but still below pre-pandemic levels.
- Gender diversity increased at most tech career levels, but inequities remain.
- Positive trends in hiring still fall short of parity.
- Tech women's attrition more than doubled in 2022.





Read the 2022 Key Findings and Insights Report

#### **Top Companies** PARTICIPANT TESTIMONIAL



Top Companies gives us another lens through which to view our ID&E efforts, validate what is working, and find new areas of focus. The data, and particularly our ability to review the data with an AnitaB.org partner, helps us put our work into perspective within the industry in a way we simply couldn't do on our own.

- Slalom, Top Companies Participant

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#### **Top Companies** 2022 WINNERS, LEADERS & PARTICIPANTS



SMALL TECHNICAL WORKFORCE < 1,000 Dev Technology Group

MEDIUM TECHNICAL WORKFORCE 1,000-10,000

LARGE TECHNICAL WORKFORCE >10,000



SMALL TECHNICAL WORKFORCE < 1,000 AlixPartners InterSystems Kohl's

LARGE TECHNICAL WORKFORCE >10,000 Capital One Wells Fargo MEDIUM TECHNICAL WORKFORCE 1,000-10,000 Airbnb Eli Lilly and Company Experian New York Life Nordstrom Target



SMALL TECHNICAL WORKFORCE < 1,000 D.E. Shaw & Co., L.P. Dataminr Honeycomb.io iCIMS Morningstar, Inc OCC (The Options Clearing Corporation) Quora Inc Schrödinger, Inc. Union Pacific

LARGE TECHNICAL WORKFORCE >10,000 Amazon.com Services, Inc Bank of America Cisco Systems Citi Northrop Grumman Verizon

MEDIUM TECHNICAL WORKFORCE 1,000-10,000 Allstate **American Express American Family Insurance Argonne National Laboratory Electronic Arts Inc.** HP Inc. Maxar Technologies Inc. MIT Lincoln Lab **Morgan Stanley** Northwestern Mutual **Pacific Northwest National** Laboratory PwC Slalom **Snap Inc** The Goldman Sachs Group, Inc. The Vanguard Group, Inc. Thomson Reuters **Two Sigma** USAA Verisk Analytics, Inc Zillow



The Technical Equity Experience Survey (TechEES) is an annual global survey from AnitaB.org of the individual experiences of people in the field of technology. TechEES examines the ways in which women & non-binary technologists experience equity and inclusion in the field and provides insights on the state of gender inequity in tech over time, as well as recommendations to the tech ecosystem about how to foster intersectional tech equity. <u>Read the 2022 TechEES Report.</u>



Read the 2022 TechEES Report

**73%** Women 1.9%

Non-binary

18%

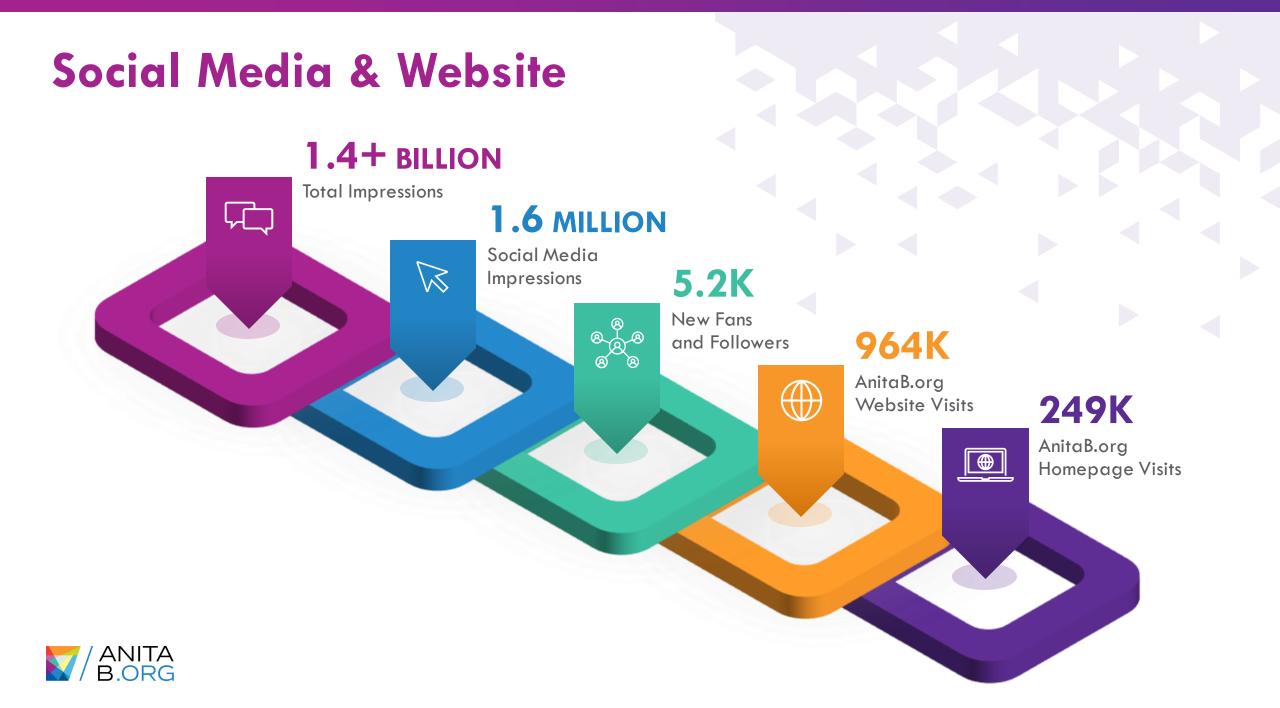
Black, Latinx, Native American, and Pacific Islander LGBTQIA+

17%

**87%** Technologists



## **Engagement & Visibility**



## **Publicity & Media Reach**

#### **CEO Speaking Engagements:**

- Female Founders Collective LinkedIn Live
- Authority Magazine
- BBC Radio The Late Show (UK) with LionHeart
- CNET

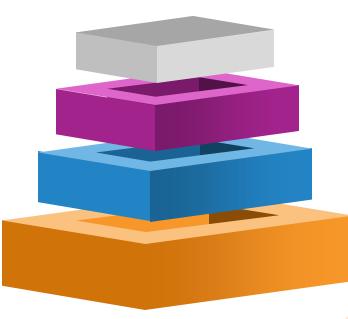
#### **Op-Eds Included:**

- Startling Research Reveals How Women And Non-Binary People In Tech Are REALLY Doing (June 10)
- The CHIPS Act: Why Women And Non-Binary Technologists Need Protections Now (August 18)
- Midterms 2022: What's At Stake For Women (November 4)



## Philanthropy

#### Philanthropy SUPPORTING OUR MISSION





When you give to AnitaB.org, you support a mission that is making an incredible impact in advancing women and non-binary technologists.

We are continuing to build a stable and sustainable organization to meet the needs of those we serve, developing programming that is responsive to their needs. We strive to build trusting relationships with donors and supporters to foster innovation and longevity.



By educating the philanthropic community on the importance of unrestricted giving to organizations like ours, we build equitable relationships and greater return on investment (ROI) for everyone.

But we still have a long way to go!



**Giving Guide** 

Platinum Transparency 2022

Candid.

**Employer Matching** and Volunteer **Direct Transfer** Donor Foundation Hours Matching Giving or Mail Donations Advised Fund Website Peer-to-Peer Reach out to Universal Corporate <u>AnitaB.org/Donate</u> Impact Pool Giving (such as with **Endaoment** Facebook events) for a discussion



Giving@AnitaB.org on ways to give

#### Philanthropy DONOR TESTIMONIAL



Attending the Grace Hopper Celebration in 2012 changed the course of my career. I realized I was not alone. AnitaB.org has built an incredible community that supports women and non-binary technologists. Through AnitaB.org events, I developed connections with role models, peers, and supportive communities. These connections are incredibly beneficial for my career in Tech and Art. Therefore, I decided to give back to my community by donating part of the proceeds generated from the auction of Running Moon, a generative art system I created in 2022.

– Licia He





## **Closing & Contact Info**





#### **Get Involved** VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES

AnitaB.org relies on volunteers to accomplish most of our goals. From speaking at workshops and assisting at GHC, to leading a local community and selecting award recipients, our volunteers have a direct impact on our mission. We're changing the direction of tech, together.



Added benefit: Some employers may match volunteer hours with a financial donation to AnitaB.org.



## The Path Forward

#### MAKING AN IMPACT

We're looking for allies who are ready to make a HUGE impact. Here are just a few examples of how YOU can do that...







For more information on:

How to Donate: <u>Giving@AnitaB.org</u>

Partnership & Program Inquiries: Info@AnitaB.org



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