BERKSHIRE LEADERSHIP PROGRAM

20 YEARS OF BLP

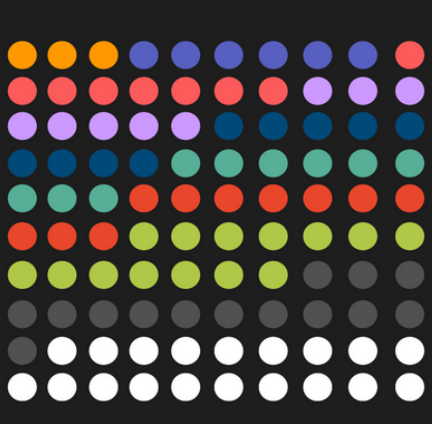
"WHEN YOU'RE PASSIONATE IT OPENS THE OPPORTUNITY TO CONNECT."
- BARBARA MALKAS

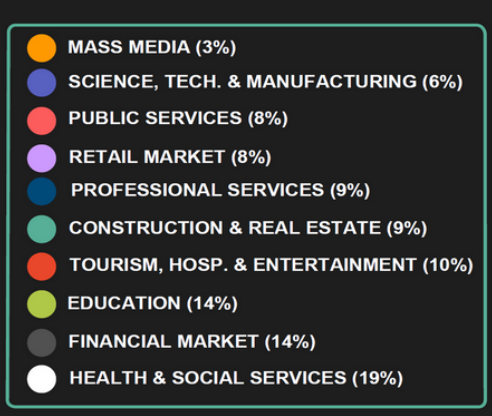
"I DIDN'T KNOW ANYONE OUTSIDE OF A FEW SMALL CIRCLES. BLP ENDED UP BEING AN IMMERSIVE EXPERIENCE, TEACHING ME HOW TO GET INVOLVED IN EVERYTHING THAT'S GOING ON HERE."
- LAURA BRENNAN

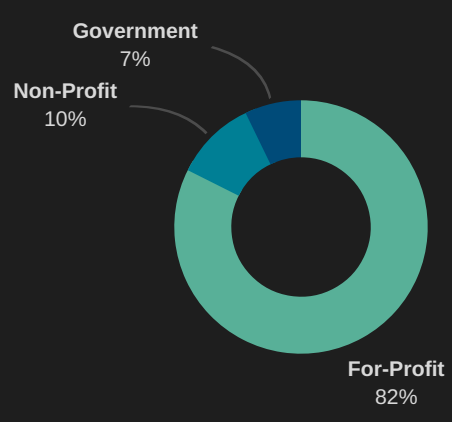
"ALMOST ANYTHING I'M WORKING ON, I CAN THINK OF SOMEBODY CONNECTED TO BLP TO CONTACT FOR MORE INFORMATION. BEING A BIGGER PART OF THAT NETWORK."
- PETE WHITE

BLP BY THE NUMBERS

BLP REPRESENTATION OF THE INDUSTRIES OF BERKSHIRE COUNTY







16 DAYS VOLUNTEERED PER PERSON, PER YEAR

BLP ALUMNI HAVE DEDICATED TIME TO THE COMMUNITY FOR AN ESTIMATED* AVERAGE OF 16 WORK DAYS PER PERSON PER YEAR

$200K ANNUALLY

BLP ALUMNI HAVE DONATED MONEY TO THE COMMUNITY FOR AN ESTIMATED* AVERAGE OF $200K ANNUALLY

* ESTIMATE BASED ON 18% ALUMNI SURVEY RESPONSE

CLASS OF 2018 & ROOTS RISING

TREE PLANTING

16 TREES TO BE PLANTED ACROSS BERKSHIRE COUNTY IN 6 LOCATIONS



MONEY RAISED FOR ROOTS RISING

$12,000 RAISED FOR NEW TRANSPORTATION VAN

ROOTS RISING

YOUTH DEVELOPMENT PROGRAM THAT OFFERS PITTSFIELD TEENS THE OPPORTUNITY TO ENGAGE IN MEANINGFUL WORK ON LOCAL FARMS, COMMUNITY GARDENS, AND IN FOOD PANTRIES - ALLOWING THEM TO CONTRIBUTE TO A LARGER SOCIAL GOOD WHILE ALSO GROWING THEIR OWN SELF-CONFIDENCE AND LEADERSHIP SKILLS.

