A Will Weinstein Conversation: Ethics of Philanthropy

Mr. Bernard Osher
Founder of The Bernard Osher Foundation

Bernard Osher, a life-long patron of education and the arts, is well known as “the quiet philanthropist.” He created The Bernard Osher Foundation in 1977 which seeks to improve quality of life through support for higher education and the arts. The Foundation, headquartered in San Francisco, provides postsecondary scholarship funding to nearly 100 colleges and universities across the nation. The Foundation also supports selected centers in integrative medicine at Harvard University, the University of California, San Francisco, and the Karolinska Institutet in Stockholm. In addition, the Foundation funds an extensive national network of lifelong learning institutes for older adults. The Osher Lifelong Learning Institutes, operating on the campuses of nearly 120 colleges and universities from Maine to Hawaii and Alaska, have a National Resource Center at the University of Southern Maine. A local grants program provides support for arts and humanities institutions in the Greater San Francisco Bay Area and in Mr. Osher’s native state of Maine. The Bernard Osher Foundation has given more than $5 million to support UH programs and students systemwide.

Date: Tuesday, July 13, 2010
Time: 6:00 to 7:30 p.m.
Location: UH School of Architecture Auditorium, Room 205
Admission: Free-of-charge
Parking: $5 after 4:00 p.m. on the UH Mānoa campus
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