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Benefits	Foundation	Tier I	Tier II
Fee (CDN\$ per annum)	\$20,000	\$10,000	\$5,000
Position on Advisory Board	Yes	Yes	Yes
Voting privilege	Yes		
Discount on workshops/course	20%	10%	5%
Guaranteed workshop course places	4	2	1
Opportunity for Visiting Explorationist position	Yes		
Preferential access to student employment pool	Yes	Yes	Yes
Access to restricted website	Yes	Yes	Yes
MERC Newsletter	Yes	Yes	Yes

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