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Philanthropy

OneGoal Diligence Trip Report Houston, TX April 7, 2022

OneGoal Program Visited

- OneGoal's Impacting Futures Graduation Gala – Houston TX

Focusing Philanthropy Staff

- Parnia Banki

OneGoal Staff

- Jennifer Sundstrom – Senior Director of National Development

Observations

- Met with Melissa Connelly briefly- OneGoal has an ambitious goal of reaching 700k plus junior students by 2032. They can be a "bold" campaign candidate. The next step is to schedule a call to further discuss
- Met Sana Al Taima, a OneGoal alum. She moved to US from Iraq in 2015 and attended Yates high school (same HS George Floyd attended) and found OneGoal. She's now studying public health at the University of Houston. She'll graduate in 2 years and will pursue dentistry. She credits OneGoal for her educational achievements to date, given the difficult transition she had to make. When she found out that we support OneGoal, she said "so you're the reason I'm here?"
- Sat with Ivan Mendoza, One Goal alum. He's in his last year at U of Houston, studying accounting and has been working at Oasis since his freshman year. He will apply for his masters once he graduates. He credits OneGoal for getting him on a track that he didn't envision for himself.