



## **TJX Associates Receive LPQ & LPC Certification Scholarships to Support Career Advancement**

*150 LP Associates Enrolled in LPF Certification Courses*

**(Matthews, NC – September 16, 2019)** The TJX Companies (TJX), in partnership with The Loss Prevention Foundation (LPF), recently awarded course and exam scholarships to employees to support their career and personal development while working at TJX. Through these scholarships, 100 TJX Loss Prevention Leaders will be afforded the opportunity to earn the widely recognized LPQualified (LPQ) certification from the LPF. The LPQ course canvases loss prevention practices, core competencies, foundational tools, business processes, and best practices for today's LP professionals.

In addition to the 100 LPQ scholarships, TJX is awarding 50 LPC scholarships to their World Class Award winners and other top performers. These scholarships will allow the recipients to earn the advanced LPC certification. The LPCertified (LPC) course integrates the business of loss prevention into retail profit center practices and logistics.

"TJX is extremely dedicated to training and education for their associates," said Terry Sullivan, LPC, president of the LPF. "TJX believes that it is their responsibility to train their associates for long-term success and by awarding these scholarships they are helping to get these associates set-up for just that. We are so glad to have TJX as a partner of the LPF and look forward to continuing to assist them with making education a priority in their company."

### **About the Loss Prevention Foundation:**

The Loss Prevention Foundation (LPF) is a not-for-profit 501 c (6) organization founded in 2006 by industry leading professionals to serve the loss prevention/asset protection industry. An international leader in educating and certifying loss prevention and asset protection professionals, LPF is responsible for administering the industry's only internationally sanctioned LP credentials: LPQualified (LPQ) and LPCertified (LPC). With 24/7 online educational resources and a professional membership program, the LPF is able to educate the industry like no other organization of its kind, in the world. LPF is also focused on driving more talent to the industry from colleges, universities, military and law enforcement through its Academic Retail Partnership Program and its Hire A Vet Program. For more information, visit [www.losspreventionfoundation.org](http://www.losspreventionfoundation.org).

### **About The TJX Companies, Inc.:**

The TJX Companies, Inc., the leading off-price apparel and home fashions retailer in the U.S. and worldwide, is ranked 85 among Fortune 500 companies. At the end of 2018,<sup>1</sup> the Company had \$39 billion in revenues, more than 4,300 stores in 9 countries, 3 e-commerce sites, and approximately 270,000 Associates. We operate T.J. Maxx and Marshalls (combined, Marmaxx), HomeGoods, Sierra, and Homesense, as well as [tjmaxx.com](http://tjmaxx.com) and [sierra.com](http://sierra.com), in the U.S.; Winners, HomeSense, and Marshalls (combined, TJX Canada) in Canada; and T.K. Maxx in the United Kingdom, Ireland, Germany, Poland, Austria, the Netherlands, and Australia, as well as Homesense in the U.K. and Ireland and [tkmaxx.com](http://tkmaxx.com) in the U.K. (combined, TJX International).

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