



## Arizona Private Education Scholarship Fund, Inc.



Richard and Leslieanne Doe, with their daughters, Ruby and Lucy, and dog, Dudley.

# APESF Welcomes Richard Doe as Executive Director

Arizona Private Education Scholarship Fund is proud to announce our new Executive Director, Richard Doe. Richard's background as a leader in the nonprofit sector, combined with a deep passion for bringing people together to support families and kids, will help to further advance the mission of APESF.

"I am thrilled and honored to serve as the next Executive Director of APESF," says Richard Doe. "For nearly 25 years, APESF has been able to serve thousands of families by providing over \$63 million in scholarships to students. Growing up, I was one of those students whose life was formed through a wonderful private education experience, and now my own children are, as well! On top of that, I consider it an incredible honor to build on the legacy of APESF's founder, Mark Moerkerke. As a personal family friend, Mark supported me from the time I was nine years old until most recently, as someone who would give charitably to the nonprofit where I previously worked.

APESF's mission to 'graciously serve Arizona families by providing tuition assistance for their children's private education' is near and dear to my heart. Getting to use my leadership and influence to make it possible for more families to experience a great education motivates and inspires me.

One thing I love about the culture of APESF is that we always put families first. It is our goal to be your family's friend in the STO world. I look forward to partnering with you as we both play a part in the formation of the kids in our great state of Arizona!"

[Join us in welcoming Richard to the APESF team!](#)

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