



## NATIONAL PHILANTHROPY DAY AWARD NOMINATIONS ARE NOW OPEN



### 32ND ANNUAL NATIONAL PHILANTHROPY DAY

#### Nominate a Deserving Individual or Organization Today!

The 32<sup>nd</sup> Annual National Philanthropy Day is the Association of Fundraising Professionals (AFP) Greater Detroit Chapter's premier event, to celebrate and honor the passion, commitment and leadership of Southeastern Michigan's philanthropists, distinguished volunteers and those in the fundraising profession. We will be hosting this event in person on November 8, 2023 at MotorCity Casino Hotel in Detroit. Stay tuned, more exciting announcements to come!

Nominations are now being accepted for the 2023 Philanthropy Awards. Categories and criteria are outlined [here](#). For a list of past honorees, click [here](#).

Submit your nomination forms by 5:00 pm EST on Monday, June 5.

Questions? Please contact Tanya Griffith ([tgriffith@oakland.edu](mailto:tgriffith@oakland.edu)), Chair of the 2023 National Philanthropy Day Awards Committee.

**MAKE YOUR NOMINATIONS  
TODAY!**

**JOIN FELLOW MICHGANDERS FOR DINNER AT THE AFP ICON**

**DATE:** Sunday, April 16, 2023

**TIME:** 6:00 PM (CST)

**LOCATION:** [Sidecar Patio & Oyster Bar](#), 1114 Constance Street, New Orleans, LA 70130



Are you headed to AFPICON in New Orleans? Join your fellow Michiganders at Sidecar Patio & Oyster Bar on Sunday April 16 at 6pm CST (New Orleans time) for food, drinks and fun! Sidecar Patio & Bar is located in the Warehouse District (1114 Constance St.) and features a PHENOMENAL and eclectic (not just oysters!) menu at great prices, an extensive drink menu, all served in a lush courtyard and patio area. While you and your guests are invited to join us, this event is at your own expense, but the laughter, connections and smiles are free and endless!

The reservation is secured under my name, but please shoot me an email, call or text me if you will be joining us. We want to ensure our reservations align with the number of attendees and everyone has a seat for a great night of food, drinks, fun and networking.

See you in the bayou!!

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## **CALL FOR AFP GREATER DETROIT CHAPTER COMMITTEE MEMBERS**

Seize the opportunity to volunteer with the AFP Greater Detroit Chapter this year! Lend your expertise to one of our chapter committees!

Becoming involved in the work of chapter committees is a great way to receive more value out of your membership. It provides opportunities to build a powerful network and builds the diverse voice the chapter needs to remain a vital resource for our local fundraising professionals.

Join us today to help grow and improve our chapter, promote ethics and values, put on memorable programs, and help our community's diverse group of fundraisers find the resources they need to succeed.

Contact Leslie Carmona at [leslie.carmona@wayne.edu](mailto:leslie.carmona@wayne.edu) to find the perfect volunteer opportunity for you!

## **CHAMBERLAIN SCHOLAR**



We are proud to announce that Shenise Foote, who is Director of Development at Cranbrook Educational Community's Horizons-Upward Bound, is the recipient of the 2023 Association of Fundraising Professionals Greater Detroit Chapter's Chamberlain Scholarship to attend AFP ICON in New Orleans in April.

Shenise currently serves on the AFP Greater Detroit Chapter Board of Directors as the Vice President of IDEA and has provided significant leadership with her dedication both to the chapter and furthering philanthropy in our Greater Detroit Community. She says, "AFP has been the best investment for my career. I am grateful for all that I've learned, the connections I've made, and the accomplishments I've achieved in our IDEA efforts. I am honored to represent AFP GDC at ICON 2023!" Congratulations, Shenise and thank you for your work on behalf of AFP GDC.

## CONGRATULATIONS MARJORIE S. FISHER FELLOWS



### Congratulations to the 2023 AFP Marjorie S. Fisher Fellows!

**Estee Alias**  
*Brilliant Detroit*

**Amenia Army**  
*Alternatives for Girls*

**Jessica Brasington**  
*Angels' Place*

**Markuis Cartwright**  
*Life Leaders Inc.*

**David Cipriano**  
*Hospitality House Food Pantry*

**Allison Collins**  
*Wayne State University*

**Kelsey Martin**  
*Remington Group*

**Erin O'Mara**  
*Mercy Education Project*

**Lauren Parrott**  
*Autism Alliance of Michigan*

**Erica Rakowicz**  
*Autism Alliance of Michigan*

**Amanda Resanovich**  
*Wayne State University*

**Lola Rushin**  
*Cass Community Social Services*

**Audrey Cox**  
*Life Remodeled*

**Michael Errickson**  
*Wayne State University*

**Molly Fox**  
*Brilliant Detroit*

**Natalie Giainnos**  
*Museum of Contemporary Art Detroit*

**Jacob Harrington**  
*Orchards Children's Services*

**Kerri Hill-Johnson**  
*The Henry Ford*

**Kevin Lauro**  
*Boy Scouts of America*

**Danielle Shields**  
*Detroit Horse Power*

**Antonette Slobodian**  
*A Kid Again*

**Brittany Thomas**  
*Wayne State University*

**Jasmine Valentine**  
*Detroit Justine Center*

**Rebecca Weil-Hoskins**  
*Leader Dogs for the Blind*

**Angela Willis**  
*Detroit Institute of Arts*

## **AFP GREATER DETROIT NAMED 2023 TEN STAR CHAPTER**



The AFP Greater Detroit Chapter is proud to have recently been named a 2023 Ten Star Chapter by AFP Global. Every year, AFP, the largest association of professional fundraisers in the world, honors chapters for achieving goals that align with key objectives in its long-range strategic plan. Chapters receive the Ten Star Award for performing specific activities designed to increase professionalism within fundraising and public awareness of the importance of philanthropy.

## **AFP GREATER DETROIT RECEIVES IDEA CHAMPION DESIGNATION**



The AFP Greater Detroit Chapter is honored to receive the AFP IDEA Champion designation for 2023! AFP Global IDEA Champion designation recognizes those chapters who have accomplished many of the key objectives outlined in the Promote Inclusion, Diversity, Equity and Access strategic pathway. This designation encourages chapters to perform specific activities designed to increase IDEA within fundraising and public awareness of the importance of philanthropy in all cultures.

## HOST AN AFP GREATER DETROIT CHAPTER PROGRAM

Is your organization interested in donating space to host an AFP Greater Detroit Chapter program in 2023? If so, please reach out to me at [mclark@afpdet.org](mailto:mclark@afpdet.org). In exchange, your organization can take advantage of the following benefits:

- Logo/organization name included in event promotions
- Time for representative to speak about your organization
- Organizational materials available at registration table
- Up to three complimentary registrations for a paid AFP GDC program

## AFP FUNDAMENTALS OF FUNDRAISING COURSE

The *AFP Fundamentals of Fundraising Course* offers a complete overview of the development function, featuring the most current information and techniques for individuals with 0 to 4 years of fundraising experience.



This intensive program is composed of seven modules that have been designed by experienced fundraising professionals to meet the real-world needs and challenges nonprofit organizations face every day. The 16-hour program includes case studies and projects for groups and individuals, making the learning experience both substantive and enjoyable, and will be taught by seven of the Central Ohio chapter's own CFREs.

**Who:** For individuals with 0-4 years fundraising experience

**When:** April 26-27, 2023, 8:00 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. (each day)

**Where:** 110 Riverbend Avenue, Powell, OH 43065 (the Delaware County Foundation office board room)

**Cost:** \$390 for members; \$490 for non-members

The deadline to register for this course is **April 19th, 2023**. [Register today!](#)

Full participation in the Fundamentals of Fundraising course is approved for **16 CFRE** points!

Cancellation Policy: This event is non-refundable after **April 19, 2023**. Prior to this date, you may choose to cancel your registration for a refund.

To register, please click [here](#).

## CALL FOR SPEAKERS FOR 2023

As we look toward 2023 and continue our commitment to provide members with



diverse voices and perspectives, we are seeking volunteers to serve as speakers for this year's programs.

The AFP Greater Detroit program committee estimates a 2-3 hour time commitment for each program. Programs can be in-person, online or hybrid. We are happy to work with you on scheduling dates and times for these engagements, as we have some flexibility in this phase of the planning process. Programs are scheduled throughout the year.

**Would you like to present on any of the topics listed below?** If so, or if you would like more information, please reach out to Elsea Burrows at [eburrows@afpdet.org](mailto:eburrows@afpdet.org) or (248) 579-5004, ext. 5.

Thank you! We look forward to hearing from you!

## CALL FOR SPEAKERS



## JOB LISTINGS

### Job Seekers

Looking for a new opportunity? Click [here](#) to see available positions.

### Employers

Have an open position you are looking to fill with a great development professional?



Post your open position to the AFP Greater Detroit Chapter job page and connect to more than 300 chapter members and their networks of development professionals. We'll even send your listing out via e-mail to all active AFP Greater Detroit members!

\$100 AFP Greater Detroit Members  
\$200 Non-Members

Want more information? Click [here](#) to visit AFP Greater Detroit's job center or contact Michele Hines at [mihines@umich.edu](mailto:mihines@umich.edu).

## JOIN AFP GREATER DETROIT... IT'S A GREAT TIME TO BECOME A MEMBER!

For 50 years, AFP has been the standard for professionalism in fundraising. Learn more about AFP, its activities and people, and how you can be involved.



To join online, go to [www.afpglobal.org/join](http://www.afpglobal.org/join). For a list of AFP Membership Benefits, click [here](#). The AFP GDC offers a Membership Scholarship and applications are now being accepted. Click [here](#) to learn more and submit your application.

Questions? Call the AFP Membership Department at (800) 666-3863.

## **KEEP IN TOUCH! FOLLOW US ON SOCIAL MEDIA!**

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Join AFP GDC's social media communities and stay up to date on our latest programs, membership benefits, and other news! Plus, share your knowledge with - and learn from - your colleagues! We're actively posting each week (maybe more), so consider following AFP GDC on Facebook, Twitter, or join our group on LinkedIn below.



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