



**Call for Host Site Applications:
George S. Dively Award for Corporate Leadership in Urban Development**

The Maxine Goodman Levin College of Urban Affairs invites community development focused organizations to apply for the George S. Dively Award for Corporate Leadership in Urban Development.

Overview

The George S. Dively Award for Corporate Leadership in Urban Development will be presented to a local organization in recognition of their efforts to promote community development and neighborhood revitalization. The recipient of the award will host a paid intern – or Dively Fellow – for the 2019-2020 academic year.

A student will be named Dively Fellows for the 2019-2020 academic year. Dively Fellows will be academically high-achieving Levin College students committed to urban issues. Students will complete a separate application process in the summer, and be selected by an internal committee. Fellows will work at their designated placement site for 20 hours per week beginning at the start of the Fall 2019 semester, and conclude the fellowship at the end of the Spring 2020 semester.

Each Dively Fellow will complete a community development and neighborhood revitalization project designated by the host site. Fellows will report to and meet with Levin College's Center for Public & Nonprofit Management on a regular basis, and will be compensated through the Levin College's Dively Award Endowment.

The most recent Dively honoree was Third Federal Savings & Loan, which was recognized for its sustained commitment to and investment in improving the Broadway-Slavic Village community – home to its corporate headquarters.

Eligibility

Eligible host sites must demonstrate a commitment to community development and neighborhood revitalization activities serving Northeast Ohio.

Application Process & Timeline

Interested organizations must submit a single spaced, one-page proposal outlining:

- The organization's history, mission, & vision, as well as its commitment to community development and neighborhood revitalization activities in Northeast Ohio;
- The proposed project scope, justification as to how it would address the community's needs, and how the project's anticipated results would affect positive change in relation to community development and neighborhood revitalization;
AND
- The desired skillsets the organization seeks from hosting a Dively Fellow.

The one page proposal, in addition to a cover letter including the organization's contact information, must be emailed to Rob Ziol, the Director of the Center for Public & Nonprofit Management at r.ziol@csuohio.edu, and copy LevinCPNM@csuohio.edu, **no later than 5 pm on Friday, May 17th**. **The subject line should include: "Dively Award Honoree Application"**.

Organizations may be contacted for additional information. Upon review by the selection committee, Dively Award honorees will be notified by the beginning of July 2019.