



Summit Registration Packet

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Please rank your top two breakout topics (enter 1 & 2)

- Entrepreneurs wanted:** What do YOU need to strike it out on your own?
- The Dayton scene:** Playing hard is just as important as working hard
- Diversity in our region:** Breaking the barriers that prevent a greater Dayton
- A sense of community:** Healthy, happening & affordable neighborhoods

Please rank your top three workshop topics (enter 1, 2 & 3)

- Fundraising**
- Entrepreneurship**
- Leading in the Community**
- Communication**
- Event Planning**
- Demystifying Local Government**

NOTE: Breakout and Workshop topic descriptions available on pages 3 & 4 of registration packet



Summit Agenda — April 16th

Dayton Convention Center

12:00 – 1:00 p.m. – *Lunch, Resource Fair & Check-In:* Organizations from around the region want to meet you! Sponsored by the **Dayton Development Coalition**.

1:00 p.m. – *Welcome & Introduction:* Don't worry, we'll keep it brief. The Summit is your chance to speak, not ours...

1:15 – 2:30 p.m. – *Breakouts:* We'll separate into groups organized by the topic you selected during registration. You tell us where Dayton needs to improve & what we should do about it.

2:45 – 4:15 p.m. – *Workshops:* Local leaders will team together to provide you the skills to change your community. Hear from experts about topics like fundraising, media communication, civic leadership and more. Sponsored by the **Southwestern Ohio Council for Higher Education**.

4:30 – 5:00 p.m. – *Summit Town Hall:* The entire group gets back together to discuss our different ideas & vote on the top four. Dayton's leadership will be there to listen. The top ideas will become part of the 2010 Summit Action Plan, which we'll make happen after the Summit.

5:30 p.m. – *Summit After-Party:* Time to play! Summit attendees are invited to celebrate creativity at the **Historic Armory** (201 E. Sixth St.) over food and beverages provided by Brixx Ice Company and Bonbright Distributing. Admittance is FREE with your Summit lanyard.

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Summit Breakouts

Building on ideas for a brighter future

At the Summit we'll break out by topic to brainstorm ideas to make the Dayton region a place you're proud and passionate to live in. It's time to get creative, sharpen ideas and turn hope into action.

Entrepreneurs wanted: What do YOU need to strike it out on your own?

Dayton is full of creativity. Creatives are innovators, highly value their individuality and are often more willing to take risks. Risks like starting a business. Have you ever thought about starting one? With job opportunities harder to come by and increased interest in work/life balance and flexibility, being your own boss may be the right thing for you. Share what the region can do to help you consider this option, and make the prospect of starting up more achievable.

The Dayton scene: Playing hard is just as important as working hard.

At last year's Summit you voiced the need for variety when you go out – not just in the places you go, but also in the people you see. We also heard that Dayton's nightlife is segregated into pockets, not enough is happening, and when things are happening -- you have trouble finding out about them. This year we expand the discussion beyond just nightlife – we know that recreation is also important to you. Share your ideas for how to better connect with entertainment and recreation opportunities available and how to make the region's nightlife more relevant, varied and vibrant.

Diversity in our region: Breaking the barriers that prevent a Greater Dayton.

Our generation is more globally connected and culturally diverse than any other before us. We're the changing faces of this nation. Last year you told us about the importance of diversity in the places where you live, work and play – that in fact, it's diversity that makes a place feel like a modern, sophisticated city. Contribute your ideas for cultivating Dayton's diversity, so we can help the region become a place where differences are recognized, respected, & recruited.

A sense of community: Healthy, happening & affordable neighborhoods.

At last year's Summit, you told us you want to live near a wide array of unique amenities and vibrant community spaces. We also heard that walkability is important, affordability is a barrier, and that you want to work together with your neighbors to build a strong sense of community. This year we'll build on that feedback and spring into action with a big idea to strengthen our communities and create the neighborhoods young creatives want to call their own.

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Summit Workshops

Skills to shape your community

Our professional development panels give you a crash course on the tools you'll need for to make a difference in the community. We'll hook you up with helpful tricks and hints from experts in the fields.

Fundraising.

You have the next great idea, but you need the funds to get started. Talk to our regional experts to get tips on unique fundraising events, donor relationships, and other hints to raise the money you need.

Entrepreneurship.

Dayton's spirit of innovation has a long history. Join this discussion to learn how local business and civic entrepreneur pros got off the ground, and get the tools to make your mark as Dayton's next innovator.

Leading in the Community.

Leadership in the community can differ from leadership in the business world. Talk about volunteer management, community engagement, and how you can be a civic leader in the region.

Communication.

Be a PR pro and learn how to get the word out! Our experts offer tips on communicating with stakeholders, your group members, the media, and the greater community.

Event Planning.

Have a cool vision for a worthwhile event? Make sure your idea translates to reality; learn the tricks of the trade on how to throw a complete event, get people there, and make it memorable.

Demystifying Local Government.

Who does what in our regional government and how do you get to them? Talk about how you can cut through the red tape and get what you need from local government.

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