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MEMBERSHIP

ULI Cleveland has numerous active and rewarding committees for our members to make the most out of their membership. For more information on any of these committees, please visit our website at [Cleveland.uli.org](http://Cleveland.uli.org), email [Cleveland@ULI.org](mailto:Cleveland@ULI.org) with questions, or email the contact for the committee in which you are interested.



## WOMEN'S LEADERSHIP INITIATIVE

The mission of the ULI Women's Leadership Initiative is to raise the visibility and number of women leaders in ULI and the real estate industry. This provides ULI Cleveland members an opportunity to build meaningful relationships and gain career insights.

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## REGIONAL PRODUCT COUNCIL

Provides a multi-disciplinary forum for information exchange and the sharing of best practices among mid- and senior- level members. Interact with like-minded professionals from Cincinnati, Cleveland, Columbus, Indiana, Kentucky, Michigan, and Pittsburgh.

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## MEMBERSHIP & SPONSORSHIP

Help grow a healthy and diverse membership and sponsorship base, welcome new members, host networking events, assist with member and non-member outreach, help to organize member and sponsor only events, and encourage active participation by members on various ULI Cleveland Initiatives.

## PROGRAMS

Provide an array of educational opportunities ranging from practical experience gained through Cleveland's cutting edge projects to personal and corporate development opportunities via leadership and career path discussions. This committee also plans and implements the District Council's events calendar and facilitates the exchange of knowledge to promote best practices in land use development.

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## REAL ESTATE DIVERSITY INITIATIVE

The ULI Cleveland Real Estate Diversity Initiative (REDI) is a 13-week program designed to introduce women, LGBTQ+ individuals, and people of color to the real estate development process through hands-on learning and mentorship. Participants work in teams to create a development proposal for a local site, guided by experienced industry professionals. REDI helps build networks, confidence, and practical skills for emerging developers and future leaders in the field.

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## YOUNG LEADERS

The Young Leaders Group hosts a variety of programs throughout the year, including the Partnership Forum mentorship program and development tours. This committee offers emerging professionals a platform to connect both socially and professionally with today's real estate industry leaders. ULI membership is required, and participants must be 34 or under.

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## TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE PANELS

ULI Cleveland's TAP program offers short-term, expert-driven guidance to help communities tackle specific land use or development challenges. Through a focused 1-2 day engagement, a panel of industry professionals provides practical, market-based recommendations tailored to your goals. TAPs can increase visibility, build local capacity, and help attract the right development partners—whether the process is public or private.

## URBANPLAN WORKSHOP

UrbanPlan is a hands-on, team-based workshop where participants take on the roles of developers, city officials, and community stakeholders to tackle a real-world redevelopment challenge. Offered by ULI, the program builds understanding of the complex trade-offs and choices involved in land use decisions. UrbanPlan is available for high school students, university programs, and public officials.

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