Advanced Leadership Institute (ALI) will provide mid-level, civically-focused professionals the space, skills, knowledge, and connections to collaborate on creating experiences that transform our community for the better.

You’ll get an in-depth look at key social and community issues through rigorous civil debate and experiential learning. You’ll also gain collaborative leadership skills that are crucial to advancing civic projects.

Visit Advanced Leadership Institute online or contact Lenora Inez Brown to learn more and apply.
2021 Schedule

Opening Session
September 25, 2020

Policy Area Session 1
October 23, 2020

Policy Area Session 2
November 12, 2020

Policy Area Session 3
December 4, 2020

Policy Area Session 4
January 8, 2021

Policy Area Session 5
February 5, 2021

Session 6
March 12, 2021

Working Session 1
TBD by the class
April 2021

Working Session 2
TBD by the class
May 2021

Public Experience
June 2021

Commencement
June 25, 2021

Opening Retreat and Commencement are all full-day sessions. All other sessions are 8:00 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.

The COHORTS
Three cohorts of leaders will work hand-in-hand to address critical community problems and drive collaborative solutions.

ALI Senior Fellows
The ALI Senior Fellows are a select group of civically engaged and influential members of the community with a keen interest in mentoring and supporting the development and work of future and current leaders.

ALI Fellows
The ALI Fellows are mid-career professionals who are devoted to learning more about the five Stokes policy areas, and possess a strong interest in civic leadership and involvement.

Junior ALI Fellows
The Junior ALI Fellows are selected from students currently enrolled in Cuyahoga Community College's Jack, Joseph and Morton Mandel Scholars Academy.

Are you a visionary thinker? Dedicated to our city? Ready to roll up your sleeves to make things happen?

Details
Tuition for the ALI Fellows is $2,000. Limited financial assistance is available.

There is a $10 application fee. Applicants must have the full support of their employer and submit two recommendations as part of the application.

Stokes Policy Areas
- Education
- Health
- Housing
- Public Safety
- Workforce Development

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