



Campus Compact
Mid-Atlantic

CAMPUS-COMMUNITY PARTNERSHIP AWARD

DEADLINE to be submitted via email: September 23, 2021

Award Information

The Campus-Community Partnership Award recognizes one outstanding campus-community partnership that produces measurable impact in both student participants and the community. Consideration will be given for demonstrated equity, sustainability, reciprocity, and mutual collaboration.

All completed application/nomination packets and letters of recommendation must be received by 5:00 pm, September 23, 2021. Applicants/nominees will receive an email confirming their packet has been received.

Eligibility

For consideration of the award, a partnership must show:

- *Mutually beneficial collaboration* between a college or university and a K12 school/district, nonprofit, or business partner that addresses a community need and/or social or equity issue.
- *Measurable positive impact* of community health (defined broadly) through the development of expanded economic opportunity, improving social networks, and/or expanding civic engagement.
- *Demonstrated reciprocity* that provides a meaningful learning experience for higher education participants and enhances community life.
- Efforts to involve other partners in an equitable and inclusive manner (e.g., K12 schools/ districts, businesses, civic organizations, government agencies, faith-based institutions).
- Demonstration of sustainability and on-going commitment to the partnership.

Requirements

1. A completed **application/nomination form** (including essays).
2. A **letter** from the community partner organization specifically describing how the involvement of the campus-community partnership in their community has added to the quality of community life. *Though not required, please feel free to attach supplemental materials such as photographs, testimonials, recommendations, etc.*

Application Instructions

- Answers to essay questions should be a maximum of 4 pages, 11-point Calibri font, and double-spaced (1000 word limit).
- Compile application/nomination form and essay question document into ONE DOCUMENT, either Word or pdf.
- Attach this document to an email with the subject: Campus-Community Partnership: NAME OF NOMINEE IN ALL CAPS.
- **All completed application/nomination packets and letters of recommendation must be sent to awards@ccmidatlantic.org by 5:00 pm, September 23, 2021.**

For questions, please contact us at awards@ccmidatlantic.org or 301-696-3280



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Application/Nomination Form

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Name of Project/Partnership

Name of Business, Organization, or Institute

Primary Contact

Phone

Recommender's Last Name

First Name

Title (if student, write "student")

Email

Phone

University/College

Department/Discipline

Campus/Organization Address

City

State

Zip

Please answer all of the following questions (Total word limit: 1000):

1. What are the mission and goals of the partnership and how have they been achieved?
2. Describe the individual roles of the campus, community and/or businesses or faith-based organizations in the partnership.
3. How did the partnership between the campus and the organization develop? Describe the plan to sustain and/or grow the partnership.
4. Describe the impact of the partnership on community life. How is the impact of the partnership assessed? What are measurable improvements (such as increased economic opportunity, more responsive public systems, etc.)?
5. Describe the partnership's impact on student learning and/or curricula. What additional learning opportunities were created as a result of this partnership?

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