



# Ohio Legislative Black Caucus Foundation

## 2024 MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION

*How to apply:*

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### Register First

Fill out the registration form

### Make Payment

Complete the payment process by following the provided instructions

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### Submit Form

Send completed membership form and your organization's logo (.png or .jpeg format) to [office@olbcfoundation.org](mailto:office@olbcfoundation.org)

### Activate

Your membership is active for that current year. You will receive a welcome email from us within 30 days

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**WELCOME**

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[www.olbcfoundation.org](http://www.olbcfoundation.org)



*Welcome,*

As President and CEO, I want to extend a heartfelt welcome to the Ohio Legislative Black Caucus Foundation (OLBCF). Thank you for becoming a Roundtable Member. We are thrilled to have you join exceptional individuals committed to advancing the rights and interests of the Black community across Ohio.

Your voice and perspective are invaluable to us. We firmly believe that by bringing together passionate individuals, leaders, organizations, and corporations like yours, we can create a powerful force for change and progress.

Our Roundtable Membership offers a host of benefits designed to enhance your experience, provide valuable opportunities for collaboration, and help us shape the future of our state for Black Ohioans.

Here is what you can expect as a Roundtable Member:

- **Forge meaningful connections.** You'll have the chance to connect with influential leaders, state policymakers, and decision-makers who share our commitment to advancing the Black community.
- **Share your expertise.** Your insights and expertise are invaluable assets. Through roundtable discussions, panels, and forums, you'll have the opportunity to engage in thought-provoking conversations and share your knowledge on key issues facing our community.
- **Exclusive events.** Our events are designed to inspire, inform, and celebrate achievements. You'll receive invitations to events, conferences, and workshops featuring renowned speakers, thought leaders, and subject matter experts.
- **Recognition and visibility.** Your commitment to advancing the Black community deserves recognition. We will acknowledge you as a Roundtable Member in our publications, website, social media, and event materials.
- **Advocate for change.** By collaborating with OLBCF, you can help shape policies, promote equitable practices, and drive meaningful progress for the Black Ohioans.

Once again, I want to express my sincere gratitude for joining the OLBCF Roundtable. Your commitment to advancing the Black community is truly inspiring, and we are honored to have you as a valued member of OLBCF.

Yours In Service,

*Shayla L Davis*  
President & CEO

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# About Us

The Ohio Legislative Black Caucus Foundation (OLBCF) is embarking on a transformative journey to reshape the way we drive positive change and tackle critical issues affecting Black communities in Ohio. Our vision is to establish OLBCF as a recognized statewide Black think tank, leading the charge in advancing equity, justice, and opportunity.

To bring this vision to fruition, we are committed to expanding our reach, fostering thought leadership, advocating for impactful policies, engaging communities, and ensuring the long-term sustainability of our organization. By forging strategic partnerships, we will have the unique opportunity to create a more equitable and inclusive Ohio. Through rigorous research, we will generate creative and innovative solutions to address the deeply rooted systemic disparities that persist.

We are dedicated to building a sustainable organization that maximizes its impact. By actively engaging policymakers and stakeholders, advocating for social and economic justice, and empowering individuals and communities through education and outreach, we nurture grassroots activism and drive community-led change. Our infrastructure is strengthened by allocating resources effectively through intentional partnerships and membership to our roundtables. We will effectively address pressing issues faced by Black Ohioans.

We invite you to join us in our mission to advance equity, drive thought leadership, and create a more just and inclusive Ohio for all. Together, we can make a meaningful difference in the lives of Black communities across the state.

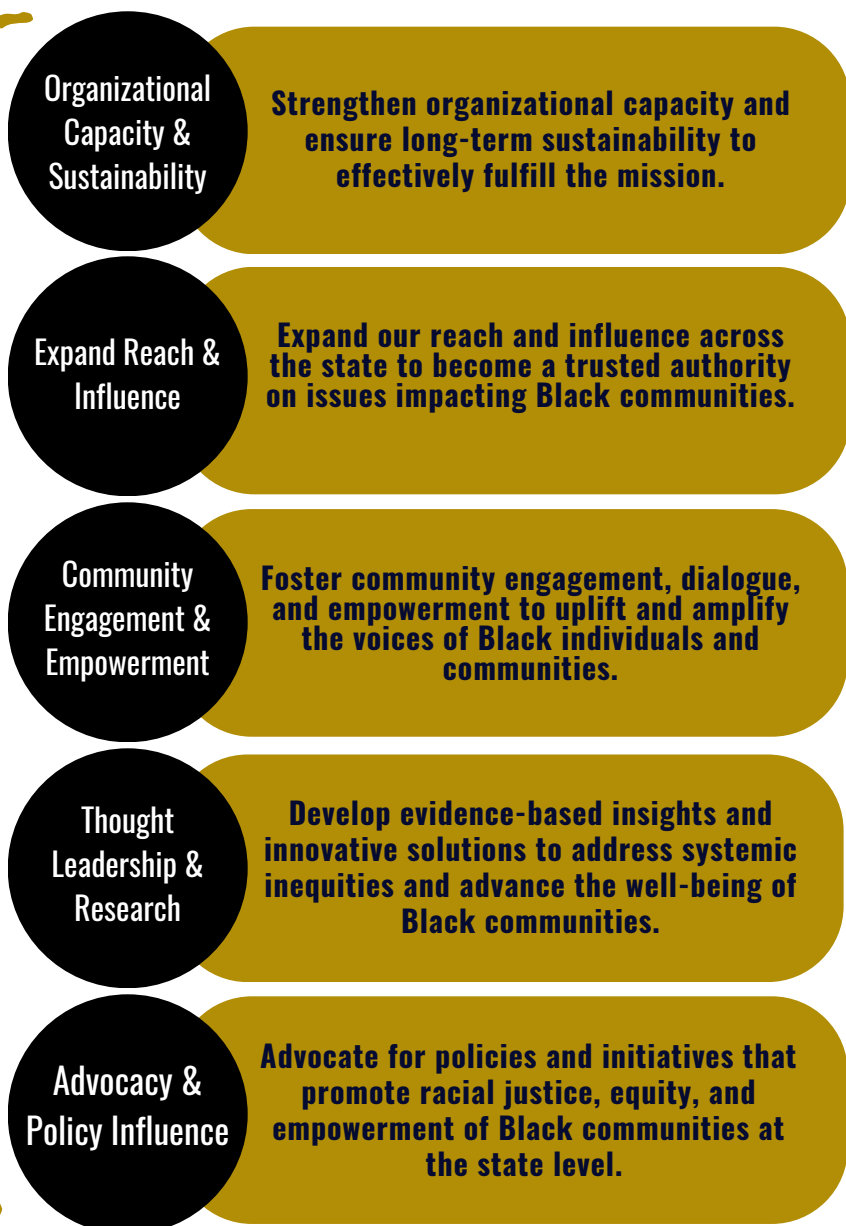
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# Mission & Vision

- Mission: To empower and uplift Black communities by addressing systemic inequities, driving policy change, and fostering social justice.
- Vision: A future where all Black citizens in Ohio thrive, free from systemic barriers and empowered to reach their full potential.

## Goals & Objectives



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# Become a Member: Discover Your Impact

## Corporate Memberships

### Emerald Member - \$10,000

- Recognition from the Chair of the Board during events.
- Visibility on the website and in any event program.

### Sapphire Member - \$15,000

- All benefits of the Emerald Membership.
- Presentation and panel representation opportunities.
- Enhanced logo visibility.

### Topaz Member - \$25,000

- All benefits of the Sapphire Membership.
- Exclusive representation in an industry sector.
- Opportunity to deliver a 3-minute message at an event.
- Quarterly Roundtable meetings with Chair Steve Tugend

### Blue Diamond Member - \$50,000

High-impact, exclusive partnership with OLBCF - Open to one corporation annually.

- **Top-tier visibility in all communications.**
- Recognized as the OLBCF: "Exclusive Corporate Partnership of the Year."
- Premier recognition as a leading supporter of DEI initiatives.
- High-level brand integration.
- Customized engagement opportunities.
- Exclusive access to key events and leadership.
- Strategic collaboration on projects.
- Quarterly Roundtable meetings with Chair Steve Tugend

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## Non-Profit Memberships

### **Bronze Non-Profit Member - \$1,000**

- For non-profits with an annual operating budget under \$500,000.
- Access to resources and networking opportunities.
- Participation in exclusive events and workshops.

### **Silver Non-Profit Member - \$2,500**

- For non-profits with an annual operating budget over \$500,000.
- All benefits of the Bronze Non-Profit Membership.
- Increased visibility and acknowledgment in OLBCF communications and events.

### **Gold Non-Profit Member - \$5,000**

- For non-profits with significant operations across multiple states.
- All benefits of the Silver Non-Profit Membership.
- Enhanced collaboration opportunities in nationwide initiatives
- Quarterly Roundtable meetings with Chair Steve Tugend

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## Small Business Memberships

### **Jade Member - \$500 (Offering Flexible Monthly Payments)**

- For Black Owned Small Business in Ohio
- Recognition as a Black-Owned Small Business Member in Ohio.
- Networking opportunities with other business leaders and non-profit entities.
- Spotlight feature on OLBCF's publications, social media, or website.
- Access to different workshops, seminars, and resources.
- Special rates and seating for OLBCF events and advertising.
- Quarterly Roundtable Meetings with Chair Steve Tugend.

## Individual Membership

### **Iron Individual Member - \$100**

- Invitation to roundtable discussions and select resources.
- Regular updates on the work of the OLBCF.
- Opportunities to participate in calls to action, community events, and initiatives.
- Special rates and seating at our annual OLBCF conferences.

## Student Membership

### **Copper Student Member - \$25**

- For students aged 18-24.
- Access to resources and mentorship.
- Special rates for events and workshops.
- Regular updates on the work of the OLBCF.

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Blue Diamond

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Silver

Gold

**Individual**

**Student**

**Organization Name:** (If not applicable, please leave blank.)

## Contact Information

**Name:** (Corporate/Non-Profit/Small Business memberships, please list organization point of contact.)

**Address:**

Address Line 1

Address Line 2

City

State

Zip Code

**E-Mail:**

**Alt E-Mail:** (Corporate/Non-Profit/Small Business memberships, list an alternate email address that can be reached regarding membership, if need be.)

**Phone Number:**

Office

Mobile

Home

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### Payment Information

Payment Method:

Online

Mail

Credit/Debit Card

ACH

- **Online:** <https://secure.actblue.com/donate/ohio-legislative-black-caucus-foundation-1>
- **Mailing Address:** Ohio Legislative Black Caucus Foundation, 545 E. Town Str., Columbus, OH 43215
- **Credit/Debit:** (By adding my card information below, I authorize OLBCF to charge my debit/credit card for the membership fee, which is non-refundable.)

**Cardholder Name:**

**Billing Address:**

City

State

Zip Code

**Card Number:**

**Exp.**

**Cvv.**

**Amount:**

- **ACH:**

**Account Number:** 7990368214

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**Bank Address:** Fifth Third Bank, 38 Fountain Square Plaza Cincinna, OH 45202

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**THANK YOU FOR JOINING THE MOVEMENT!**

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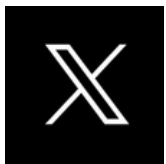


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