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The Ohio State University

COLLEGE OF FOOD, AGRICULTURAL, AND ENVIRONMENTAL SCIENCES

The NACDEP 2018 Conference host is Ohio State University Extension.

Extension creates opportunities for people to explore how science-based knowledge can improve social, economic and environmental conditions.

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The national Extension network enables us to share perspectives with residents and leaders regarding local development issues, increase the knowledge base for individual and community decisions, develop skills necessary to help these partners achieve their individual and community goals, and help create a more inclusive decision-making environment.

Become a NACDEP 2018 Conference sponsor!

Collaborate with *Communities that Rock at* the Renaissance Hotel in Cleveland Ohio, June 10-13, 2018 and connect your organization with some of the nation's leading community development specialists!

About the NACDEP 2018 Conference

The 2018 conference theme is all about *Communities that Rock* and the renaissance of Cleveland, Ohio. Extension educators from land-grant universities across the United States will converge on northeastern Ohio to attend workshops and learn about the exciting rebirth of the region. Mobile workshops will transport eager visitors to sites of local success stories – new and reborn.

Workshops on timely and essential community development topics such as ripple effect and social mapping, economic development, and energy will be presented by national experts over a three-day period to an audience of up to 350 professionals. Networking opportunities will abound via pre and post-conference tours and workshops focused on topics such as sustainability, eco-tourism, and entrepreneurship.

Attendees will depart having built relationships, identified resources and gained skills to implement in partnership with collaborators from their own region. Your organization can be one of those relationships and/or resources.

Sponsorship Benefits

Take advantage of this excellent opportunity to make critical connections with educators, researchers and change agents working at land-grant universities from across the United States.

Investment in this conference will give you the opportunity to build relationships with a targeted group of community development educators and community influencers in an informal and relaxed environment.

Your support as a sponsor provides resources to attract keynote speakers and to supplement the cost of local tours. You receive exposure to a highly influential team of university-based educators from across the country. Additionally, you can contribute to Northeast Ohio by helping to fund this gathering of change agents who will share their experiences and perceptions of a vital Northeast Ohio – wherever they call home.

Sponsor Packages

Bronze: \$250-\$499 Named recognition in conference program.

Silver: \$500-\$999 Named recognition in conference program and organization logo on the conference website.

Gold: \$1,000-\$2,499 Includes everything in Silver plus one conference registration.

Platinum: \$2,500 and up Includes all Gold sponsor benefits plus two conference registrations.