2016-2017 Black Graduate and Professional Student Guide to Cincinnati

Courtesy of the Black Graduate and Professional Student Association, with the help of The African American Cultural Resource Center at the University of Cincinnati
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*Note: This list is a work in progress and does not include all that Cincinnati has to offer. It is simply a compilation of suggestions presented by current faculty, graduates, and professionals. Some of these businesses/services and many others can be found at the African American Chamber of Commerce of Greater Cincinnati/Northern Kentucky Business Directory: http://business.african-americanchamber.com/list/
**Bowling Alleys**

**S&S Western Bowl**  
6383 Glenway Ave  
Cincinnati, OH 45211  
(513) 574-2222  
[http://www.westernbowl.com/Western_Bowl/Western_Bowl.html](http://www.westernbowl.com/Western_Bowl/Western_Bowl.html)

**Axis Alley**  
1 Levee Way  
Newport, KY 41071  
(859) 652-7250  
[http://axisalleylevee.com](http://axisalleylevee.com)

**Campus Resources**

**African American Cultural Resource Center (AACRC)**  
60 W. Charlton St.  
Cincinnati OH 45221-0386  
Phone: 513-556-1177 | Fax: 513-556-8432  
[http://www.uc.edu/aacrc.html](http://www.uc.edu/aacrc.html)

**Black Graduate and Professional Student Association**  
bgpsauc@gmail.com  
Instagram: @BGPSAUC  
Twitter: UCBGPSA  
Facebook: Black Graduate and Professional Student Association

**Center for the Enhancement of Teaching and Learning**  
2911 Woodside Drive (Langsam Library)  
(513) 556-9319  
[www.uc.edu/cettl](http://www.uc.edu/cettl)  
*Provides support for teaching and learning, assessment, and career development for instructors. Also provides GATE (Graduate Association for Teaching Enhancement)*

**Counseling and Psychological Services**  
225 Calhoun Street, Suite 200  
(513) 556-0648  
*Professional counseling within Student Affairs*
Graduate Student Governance Association
683 Steger Student Life Center, ML 0193
University of Cincinnati, Cincinnati, OH 45221-0193
(513) 556-6101
www.uc.edu/gsga
*Provides conference travel funding, social events, and establishes effective communication among graduate students, other student groups, and the academic and administrative units of the University.

Health Clinics
● West Campus: Richard E. Lindner Center
  3rd floor  2751 O'Varsity Way
  Cincinnati, Ohio 45221
  (513) 556-2564
● East Campus: Holmes Building
  1st floor, Corner of Eden Avenue and Albert Sabin Way
  Cincinnati, OH 45267
  (513) 584-4457

LGBTQ Center
565 Steger Student Life Center
(513) 556-4329
http://www.uc.edu/lgbtq.html

Northern Kentucky Health Department
610 Medical Village Drive
Edgewood, KY 41017
859-341-4264
www.nkyhealth.org
*Internships and learning opportunities available for students who in public health-related disciplines (visit: http://nkyhealth.org/About-Us/PHInstitute.aspx).

University of Cincinnati African Student Association (UCASA)
ucasapresident@gmail.com
*Aims and objectives: To foster cultural Awareness, social Awareness, and educational support among and between African students, people of African descent, and other races and cultures

Campus Resources (continued)

University of Cincinnati Federal Work-Study Program
440 University Pavilion
Work-Study lets you work and earn money to help pay for your costs. It is a need-based employment opportunity given to you as part of your financial aid package.

United Black Doctoral Student Organization (UBDSO)
745 Steger Student Life Center
PO Box 210136, Cincinnati, Ohio 45224
513-206-4657 or 513-720-0451
ubdsouc@gmail.com
https://campuslink.uc.edu/organization/ubdso
*A non-profit, interdisciplinary student-run organization dedicated to improving the experiences of Black Doctoral students

Women’s Center
571 Steger Student Life Center
http://www.uc.edu/ucwc.html

Churches/Mosques/Religious Centers

Crossroads Community Church
Campus: 42 Calhoun St
Cincinnati, OH 45219

Oakley: 3500 Madison Rd
Cincinnati, OH 45209
(513) 731-7400
http://www.crossroads.net

CityGate Church
Main Office: 9363 Allen Rd.
West Chester, OH 452069
(513) 315-2418
Sunday Service Location:
6370 Mason Montgomery Rd.
Mason, OH 45040
http://c3.tv
Churches/Mosques/Religious Centers (continued)

New Prospect Baptist Church
1580 Summit Road
Cincinnati, Oh 45237
Fax: 513-721-2335
http://www.newprospectbaptist.org/sitepages/HOME.html

Islamic Association of Cincinnati (Clifton Mosque)
3668 Clifton Ave
Cincinnati, OH 45220
(513) 221-4003
www.cliftonmosque.org

First Church of God (United Church of Christ)
230 Fosdick St
Cincinnati, OH 45219
(513) 522-2780

Fresh Anointing Impact (FAI)
1125 Towne St.
Cincinnati, Ohio 45216
(513)407-4447
http://www.faichurch.org/

Greater Emmanuel Apostolic Temple (Pentecostal/Apostolic)
1150 W. Galbraith Rd
Cincinnati, OH 45231
(513) 522-1150

Greater Harvest Church
8910 Beckett Rd
Beckett Ridge, OH 45069
(513) 942-0161
http://www.greaterharvestchurch.org

Inspirational Baptist Church
11450 Sebring Dr.
Cincinnati, OH 45240
(513) 961-3060
Light of the World Ministry (Non-denominational)
Colerain High School
8801 Cheviot Road
Cincinnati, OH 45251
(513) 385-5448
http://www.lowcincy.org

The Word Family Life Center
693 Fresno Road
Forest Park, OH 45240
513-742-9673
Fax: 513-742-3458
www.wordofdeliverance.org

Third Episcopal District of the A.M.E. Church
(List of Cincinnati area AME Churches)
http://www.thirddistrictame.org/cincinnati-district.htm

Hair Salons/Barber Shops/Beauty Supply

Darryl’s Barbershop
2722 Vine St, Suite 1
Cincinnati, OH
(513) 787-0052

Good Looks Hair & Barber Salon
2700 Vine St.
Cincinnati, OH 45219
(513) 961-7555
https://www.facebook.com/goodlookssalon

Dickie’s Barbershop
Darnell Howard, Sr., Barber
Kenny Parker, Barber
8064 Hamilton Ave
Cincinnati, OH 45231
(513) 521-8573
http://www.yelp.com/biz/dickies-barbershop-cincinnati
**Hair Depot Beauty Supply** (also called Mainland Beauty Supply)
2632 Vine St.
Cincinnati, OH 45219

**Hair Gem Elite Salon**
4933 Paddock Rd
Cincinnati, OH, 45237
(513)-641-HAIR (4247)
[https://www.facebook.com/HairGemEliteSalon](https://www.facebook.com/HairGemEliteSalon)

**Honey Hut Beauty Bar Boutique** (Organic Hair and Body Products—owned by UC alum)
1329 Main St.
Cincinnati, OH 45202
(513) 479-1952
[http://www.thehoneyhutboutique.com](http://www.thehoneyhutboutique.com)

**The Studio Barber Shop and Salon** (specializes in natural hair)
2915 Highland Ave
Cincinnati, OH 45219
(513) 221-4247

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**Health Food Stores/Fitness Centers**

**Clifton Natural Foods**
336 Ludlow Ave
Cincinnati, OH 45220
(513) 961-6111
[http://www.cliftonnaturalfoods.com](http://www.cliftonnaturalfoods.com)

**Findlay Market** (closed Mondays)
1801 Race St.
Cincinnati, OH 45202
(513) 665-4839
[http://www.findlaymarket.org](http://www.findlaymarket.org)

**Corryville Recreation Center**
2823 Eden Ave.
Cincinnati, OH 45219
[https://www.facebook.com/corryville.center](https://www.facebook.com/corryville.center)
Whole Foods
2693 Edmondson Rd.
Cincinnati, OH 45208
(513) 531-8015

Trader Joe’s
7788 Montgomery Road.
Cincinnati, OH 45236
(513) 984-3452

University of Cincinnati Campus Recreational Center
West Campus: Campus Recreation Center - 2820 Bearcat Way
East Campus: Fitness Center at Care Crawley - 3230 Eden Avenue
http://www.uc.edu/campusrec.html
*Free during the Fall and Spring semesters for Full-Time Students

JBM Elite Personal Training
2739 W. McMicken St.
Cincinnati, OH 45219
www.jbmelite.com
https://www.facebook.com/JbmElite?ref=br_tf

LA Fitness
4700 Marburg Ave
Cincinnati, OH 45209
(513) 297-1121

Planet Fitness
82 Carothers Rd.
Newport, KY 41071
859) 291-7500

Urban Active Fitness
4030 Smith Rd.
Cincinnati, OH 45209
(513) 533-4653

YMCA of Greater Cincinnati
Various Campuses
http://www.myy.org
Club Cameo
4601 Kellogg Ave
Cincinnati, OH 45226
(513)321-0700
http://www.cameo513.com

Horseshoe Casino
1000 Broadway
Cincinnati, OH 45202
(513) 252-0777
www.horseshoecincinnati.com

IVY Lounge
645 Walnut Street
Cincinnati, OH 45202
(513) 421-3800
http://ivycincinnati.com

Level Nightlife
435 Elm Street
Cincinnati, OH 45202
(513) 421-6100
http://cincinnatiusa.com/eat-and-drink/level-nightlife

Prvlgd Lounge and Bistro
301 West 5th Street
Cincinnati, OH 45202
(513) 246-4200

Scene Ultra Lounge
637 Walnut Street
Cincinnati, OH 45202
(513) 381-4327
http://www.scenecinci.com

Roxy’s Live
11473 Chester Rd
Cincinnati, Ohio 45246
The Upper Echelon (Wine Bar)
7292 Kenwood Rd
Cincinnati, OH 45236
https://www.facebook.com/pages/The-Upper-Echelon/548811555171588

Movie Theaters

AMC Theatres
One Levy Way #4100
Newport, KY 41071
(859) 261-6742

Cinemark Theatres, Oakley Station
3025 Disney St. (Exit A Ridge Ave. South)
Cincinnati, OH 45209
800-326-3264

Danbarry Dollar-Saver Cinemas, Turfway
7650 Turfway Road
Florence, Kentucky 41042
(859)-647-2828

Esquire Theater
320 Ludlow Ave
Cincinnati, OH 45220
(513) 281-8750
www.esquiretheater.com

Kenwood Theatre
7815 Kenwood Rd.
Cincinnati, OH 45236
(513) 984-4488

Museums/Arts Centers/Family Friendly Destinations

21C Museum Hotel (museum/hotel/restaurant attached to Contemporary Arts Center)
609 Walnut St
Cincinnati, OH 45202
(513) 578-6600
http://www.21cmuseumhotels.com/cincinnati/
Cincinnati Black Theatre Company
624 W. McMicken
Cincinnati, OH 45214
Office: (513) 241-6060
http://www.cincinnatiblacktheatre.org/

Cincinnati Museum Center (Cincinnati History Museum, Museum of Natural History & Science and Children’s Museum)
1301 Western Ave
Cincinnati, OH 45203
(513) 287-7000
http://www.cincymuseum.org

Cincinnati Zoo & Botanical Garden
3400 Vine St
Cincinnati, OH 45220
(513) 281-4700
www.cincinnatizoo.org

Elementz: Hip Hop Youth Arts Center
(nonprofit hosts events/various classes)
1100 Race St.
Cincinnati, OH 45202
(513) 721-5800
http://elementz.org/wp/

Happen Inc. Toy Lab (children can build their own toys)
4203 Hamilton Ave.
Cincinnati, OH 45223 (Northside)
(513) 751-2345
http://www.happeninc.com

National Underground Railroad Freedom Center
50 East Freedom Way
Cincinnati, OH 45202
(513) 333-7500
http://freedomcenter.org
Outdoor Parks/Spaces

Eden Park
950 Eden Park Dr.
Cincinnati, OH 45202
(513) 352-4080

Fountain Square (hosts events in the center of downtown)
520 Vine St.
Cincinnati, OH 45202
http://myfountainsquare.com

Washington Park (hosts many events)
1230 Elm St.
Cincinnati, OH 45210
(513) 621-4400
http://washingtonpark.org

Sawyer Point Park & Yeatman’s Cove
705 E. Pete Rose Way
Cincinnati, OH 45202
http://www.cincinnatiparks.com/river-parks/sawyer-point-park-yeatmans-cove/

Professional Organizations

Cincinnati USA Regional Tourism Network (RTN)
50 E. Rivercenter Blvd, Suite 810
Covington, KY 41011
859-581-2260
CincinnatiUSA.com
* A destination marketing organization that promotes leisure travel to drive overnight
  visitation to regional hotels, attractions, and entertainment experiences in Cincinnati and
  Northern Kentucky.

Cincinnati Young Black Professionals
http://www.cincyybp.com
Mission: To be an inclusive professional network that welcomes newcomers to the city
of Cincinnati, to provide professional and social networking opportunities, and to show
up as a positive influence in the city of Cincinnati via service and outreach.
HYPE Ambassadors
441 Vine Street, 300 Carew Tower
Cincinnati, OH 45202
513.579.3183
http://blogs.cincinnati.com/hypeambassadors/
*Connects young professionals who are new to the Cincinnati USA region with those who have been here for a while. HYPE Ambassadors serve as “gateway friends” to help new YP’s meet others and establish social, professional and community connections.

National Black MBA Association Inc.
Cincinnati Chapter
PO Box 14656
Cincinnati, OH 45250
1-888-864-4410
info@cincyblackmba.com
www.cincyblackmba.com

National Association of Health Services Executives (NAHSE)
Ohio River Valley Chapter
Promoting the advancement of Black professionals in Health Care Administration
https://www.orvnahse.org/Home_Page.html
President, Terresa L. Adams, MSM, BA
TERRESA.ADAMS@CCHMC.ORG

National Black MBA Association- Cincinnati Chapter

Restaurants

Aladdin’s Eatery
3664 Edwards Rd
Cincinnati, OH 45208
(513) 871-8333

Cancun Mexican Restaurant
5034 Glencrossing Way
Cincinnati, OH 45238
(513) 347 – 6800

Dusmesh Indian Restaurant
944 Ludlow Ave
Cincinnati, OH 45220
(513) 221-8900
Izen’s Drunken Bento
212 W. McMillan St
Cincinnati, OH 45219
(513) 381-5905
(half price sushi)

J. Gumbo’s Cajun & Creole Cooking
286 Ludlow Ave.
Cincinnati, OH 45220
Phone 513-407-6930
http://www.jgumbos.com/

Murrays Wings Pub & Grill
2169 Queen City Avenue
Cincinnati, OH 45214
(513) 241-2255

Shaan Indian Cuisine
3880 Paxton Ave
Cincinnati, OH 45209
(513) 533-3100

----Fish/Chicken/Soul Food Spots

Alabama Fish Bar
1601 Race Street
Cincinnati, OH 45202
(513) 241-2255

Alabama Que
2733 Vine St
Cincinnati, OH 45219
(513) 376-8781
https://www.facebook.com/AlabamaQueFanPage

Hooks Fish and Chicken
1920 Linn Street
Cincinnati, OH 45214
(513) 381-3474
http://www.hookchickenfish.com
Island Frydays
2824 Vine St
Cincinnati, OH 45219
(513) 498-0680
www.islandfrydays.com

Just Q’in
- 975 E. McMillan Street, Cincinnati, OH 45206 (Walnut Hills)
- 6901 Valley Ave, Newtown OH 45244
http://www.justqin.com/

Richie’s Restaurant (3 Locations)
- 1301 Linn Street, Cincinnati, Ohio (513) 241- 1876
- 110 Woolper Avenue, Cincinnati, Ohio (513) 559- 1878
- 4871 Reading Road, Cincinnati, Ohio (513) 641-1878

SmoQ: Authentic Barbecue and Southern Cuisine
275 Pictoria Drive
Cincinnati, OH 45246
(513) 671-SMOQ (7667)
http://smoqbbq.com

Steak and Lemonade (Corryville)
2607 Vine St
Cincinnati, OH 45219
(513) 221-0800

Yard House Restaurant
95 E Freedom Way
Cincinnati, OH 45202
(513) 381-4071
http://www.yardhouse.com/OH/cincinnati-restaurant/

Shops/Boutiques

Empowered Apparel LTD.
(513)378-0346
Facebook: https://www.facebook.com/Empowered-Apparel-LTD-1761152797441939/
Instagram: empoweredapparel
Website coming soon
Kilimanjaro African Heritage
310 Ludlow Ave
Cincinnati, OH 45220
(513) 221-0700

Other

Give Back Cincinnati
Volunteer opportunities and social events for young professionals
http://givebackcincinnati.org

Space513.com
http://www.space513.com/main.html
Interactive map of Cincinnati’s major attractions

Sweet Petit Desserts
1426 Race St.
Cincinnati, Ohio 45202
(513)443-5094
http://www.sweetpetitdesserts.com/

Sweet Sistah Splash (venue for hosting space and workshops)
Contact Nzingha
(513) 332-1575