

Community Intercultural Relations Conference Diversity & Inclusion Champion Award

Licking County - The Community Intercultural Relations Conference Committee (CIRCC) is accepting nominations for those in the local community who have implemented, improved, or supported diversity and inclusion initiatives.

Purpose - To acknowledge and recognize an individual, group or company that has made exceptional contributions by developing or revising a Diversity & Inclusion (D&I) Program for creating awareness of cultural and social events, proactively seeking to diversify employee demographics, seeking diverse environments by highlighting a company's promotion materials, or establishing a Diversity & Inclusion training program to promote a better understanding of all people who not only reside in Licking County but around the world.

Eligibility Criteria - Diversity & Inclusion Program Contribution Made By January 30th

- The resident, individual, community group or business must be located in Licking County
- A nomination form must be submitted with a summary outlining the nominee's accomplishments.
- 1 Letter of Support (no more than 5 letters) - Please address to CIRC
 - Letter of Support may be attached with the nomination form or separately.
 - The nominator shall clearly demonstrate efforts without which the contributions would not have been made or accomplished.
 - Letter(s) should offer support of the program or process.

Supplemental Materials - (Optional)

- Supplemental materials are additional support for the nomination. Materials to be included but not limited to nominee's letter, client's letter, data collection, press releases, brochures, posters, designs guidelines, or fact sheet. If your nomination is in reference to a plan, please be sure to include a copy of the Diversity & Inclusion plan.

NOTE: The Nominee or Nominator might be contacted for clarification or additional documentation.

Nomination Packet Submission Deadline – March 1st

- *By mail or for more information*
 - Ohio State Newark/COTC
ATTN: V. Taylor, CIRC Chair
1179 University Drive
Newark, Ohio 43055
- *Online Submission*
 - <http://go.osu.edu/InclusionAward>

Award Ceremony - Will be held at the Annual Community Intercultural Relations Conference at The John Gilbert Reese Center. The award categories include: Resident/Individual, Mid-Size Business or Large Business Champions.