



Pittsburgh Cares Corporate Volunteer Council

Pittsburgh Cares manages over 1,300 volunteer projects per year in support of over 250 regional nonprofit organizations. Pittsburgh Cares enhances the efforts of over 100 businesses of all industries and sizes through our Business Cares program.

The Corporate Volunteer Council (CVC) is our region's primary local resource for encouraging, educating and connecting businesses that support employee volunteer programs as a business strategy, benefiting the whole community. Through participating in the CVC, regional businesses will gain greater community recognition of their corporate citizenship efforts, enhance their existing or develop new strategies for employee volunteer engagement, and learn about the region's volunteer opportunities that link closely with corporate goals and values. Pittsburgh Cares welcomes new and existing Business Cares partners to attend any of the upcoming CVC sessions.

<p>Seeding Neighborhood Change Wednesday, January 21st 8:00AM-10:00AM Bank of New York Mellon, One Mellon Center 12th Floor AV Room</p>	<p>Leveraging Change in Tough Economic Times Wednesday, March 11th 8:00AM-10:00AM Bank of New York Mellon, One Mellon Center 12th Floor AV Room</p>
<p>Following a networking breakfast, CVC participants will learn about specific neighborhood needs from community development corporations and community leaders throughout the City of Pittsburgh. Following their panel presentation, participants will engage in a discussion on how businesses of all sizes and industries can support volunteer needs of local neighborhood revitalization and development efforts.</p>	<div data-bbox="836 976 1185 1207" data-label="Image"> </div> <p>There's no doubt that we have all been effected by our country's tough economic times. Nonprofit organizations are particularly struggling to meet their missions with fewer financial resources. Following a networking breakfast, CVC participants at this session will learn of innovative ways in which businesses can leverage unconventional support for regional nonprofit organizations that create substantial community impact.</p>

<p>Corporate Volunteer Council Annual Leadership Retreat Wednesday, June 17th 8:00AM-12:00PM Days of Caring 2009 Lunch and Learn Presentation: 12:00-1:00pm Robert Morris University, Downtown Center</p>
<p>Boston College's Center for Corporate Citizenship identifies four "R's" for effective employee volunteer programming: Relevance, Relationships, Results, and Renewal. The annual CVC leadership retreat will explore these four aspects of corporate citizenship, providing tools and tangible strategies to businesses of all industries and sizes to advance their community engagement efforts.</p> <p>This session has a registration fee of \$25 per person which includes breakfast and lunch.</p>

To register for Corporate Volunteer Council sessions or the annual CVC retreat, contact Mandie Stehle (mstehle@pittsburghcares.org) or Thom Dawkins (tdawkins@pittsburghcares.org)
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