

“Ohio has been home to innovators and leaders for generations, from presidents to poets, from the Wright Brothers to John Glenn. We want to prepare the next generation of Ohioans to continue their legacy.”

– U.S. Senator Sherrod Brown

# Propel Ohio

COLLEGIATE LEADERSHIP  
SUMMIT 2017



# FRIDAY 11.17.17

@ THE UNIVERSITY  
OF AKRON

Propel Ohio is a leadership program that promotes civic engagement and inspires undergraduate students to grow into civic leaders in Ohio. Propel Ohio 2017 will be held on Friday, November 17, 2017, at The University of Akron.

## THE PROGRAM FEATURES:

Propel Ohio 2017 will actively engage college students on issues that affect childhood poverty, including food security, inequities in education, and homelessness. In addition to Senator Brown, other featured speakers include U.S. Senator Rob Portman; Marian Wright Edelman, founder and president of the Children's Defense Fund; and H. Luke Shaefer, co-author of **\$2.00 a Day: Living on Almost Nothing in America**. At the end of the day, there will be an Internship Fair where students will connect with organizations that are addressing childhood poverty all across Ohio.

If you are an undergraduate student at an Ohio two-year or four-year public or private college, university or regional campus, you can submit your application at <https://www.brown.senate.gov/propel-ohio>. The application deadline is Tuesday, October 10, 2017. Each of Ohio's two-year and four-year public and private colleges, universities and regional campuses is invited to appoint up to four undergraduate students to attend the program from their application pools. Individual school slots may be reallocated to accommodate interest at the end of the application deadline.

**VISIT [BROWN.SENATE.GOV/PROPEL-OHIO](https://www.brown.senate.gov/propel-ohio)  
TO SUBMIT YOUR APPLICATION**

## HOSTS:

The host committee is comprised of administrators and students from:

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Central State University  
Eastern Gateway Community College  
Kenyon College  
Lorain County Community College  
Ohio University  
The Ohio State University  
The University of Akron  
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