



## 4th Annual CEIR Conference

### ***Corporate Equity & Inclusion Roundtable***

## **“Creating Pebbles of Possibilities for Ladders to Opportunities”**

**Monday June 20, 2016**

Over 200 business, government, university, and non-profit leaders convened last year to share ideas and energy around advancing opportunities for people of color in Southwestern Pennsylvania.

Join us this year to learn about progress, share opportunities for making a difference in your organization, and network with others who share a common interest in advancing Pittsburgh’s workforce and supplier diversity and inclusion.

**Monday June 20, 7:00am-12:00pm**

*7:00am – Breakfast and Networking*

*8:00am-12:00pm – Conference*

**Duquesne University Power Center Ballroom**

1105 Forbes Ave., Pittsburgh, PA 15219

The Conference is free, and breakfast is included

**Please RSVP at <http://bit.ly/CEIR2016>**

**For more information, reach out to us at [ceiroundtable@gmail.com](mailto:ceiroundtable@gmail.com)**

The Corporate Equity & Inclusion Roundtable is an initiative of the Black Political Empowerment Project (B-PEP) and the Greater Pittsburgh Coalition Against Violence, in collaboration with Pittsburgh Mayor Bill Peduto, Allegheny County Executive Rich Fitzgerald, the Allegheny Conference on Community Development, and area agencies and organizations. CEIR is funded in part by the Jewish Federation of Greater Pittsburgh and its Urban Affairs Foundation, and by Vibrant Pittsburgh.

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***Featured Speakers***



PA Dept of Corrections  
Secretary John Wetzel



City of Pittsburgh  
Mayor Bill Peduto



Allegheny County  
Executive Rich Fitzgerald



Vibrant Pittsburgh  
President & CEO Melanie  
Harrington



Allegheny Conference on Community  
Development  
CEO Dennis Yablonsky



African American Chamber of  
Commerce  
President & CEO Doris Carson  
Williams



Jones Day  
Laura Ellsworth

**Join business, government, university, and non-profit leaders from the Southwestern Pennsylvania region to learn about initiatives targeted toward increasing diversity in employment and supplier opportunities for African Americans and people of color.**

**See stories of success in the premiere of our CEIR video, featuring people and programs that are providing Ladders to Opportunities in our region.**



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Hear from energetic, inspiring leaders who have experience and ideas to share about how to move forward in three major areas of CEIR focus:

- Aiding those re-entering the workforce, including Ban the Box initiatives
- Providing opportunities for employment and advancement, including the Revised Rooney Rule
- Connecting suppliers with business opportunities, including the Hybrid Rooney Rule

Leave with inspiration for how you can implement proven ideas ... connections with those who are making a difference ... and energy to move from well-meaning to well-doing.

Featured speakers include Allegheny County Chief Executive Rich Fitzgerald, Pittsburgh Mayor Bill Peduto, Jones Day Partner-In-Charge of Global Community Service Initiatives, Pennsylvania Department of Corrections Secretary John Wetzel, African American Chamber of Commerce President and CEO Doris Carson Williams, Vibrant Pittsburgh President and CEO Melanie Harrington, and Allegheny Conference on Community Development CEO Dennis Yablonsky.

The conference also brings panelists together to share ideas and inspiration, including leaders from Highmark, Massaro Construction, UPMC, Duquesne University, Randall Industries, Rivers Casino, the Three Rivers Workforce Investment Board, and more.

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