



## **Detroit Out-of-School Time Leadership Forum**

The Skillman Foundation | Youth Development Resource Center | American Youth Policy Forum

Friday, March 9, 2018

8:30am – 2:00pm

UAW-Ford National Programs Center, Presidents Conference Room

151 West Jefferson Avenue, Detroit, Michigan 48226



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### **Event Description:**

The Skillman Foundation, the Detroit Youth Development Resource Center (YDRC), and the American Youth Policy Forum (AYPF) will host an Out-of-School Time (OST) Leadership Forum in Detroit, Michigan on Friday, March 9, 2018. This event will provide a platform for a citywide conversation on OST system building, using lessons learned from other communities and the input of a variety of local leaders to inform Detroit's strategic priorities for expanding afterschool and summer learning opportunities for all children. The meeting will allow community leaders to discuss the role afterschool and summer learning programs play in ensuring equitable outcomes for all children and youth in Detroit. Key takeaways from this leadership forum can be highlighted, utilized, and celebrated by community leaders as the strategic planning and system building processes continue in the future.

### **Friday March 9, 2018**

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| <b>8:30 am</b> | <b>Registration with Breakfast Available</b>  |
| <b>9:00 am</b> | <b>Welcome and Purpose of Event</b><br>Terry Whitfield, Program Officer, The Skillman Foundation<br>Sara Plachta Elliott, Executive Director, Youth Development Resource Center |
| <b>9:15am</b>  | <b>Opening Remarks</b><br>Tonya Allen, President and CEO, The Skillman Foundation   |
| <b>9:30 am</b> | <b>Presentation: Growing Together, Learning Together</b><br>Priscilla Little, Consultant, Forum for Youth Investment  |
| <b>9:45 am</b> | <b>Small Group Discussions</b><br>Sara Plachta Elliott, Youth Development Resource Center, Moderator  |

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- 10:05 am**      **Share-Outs**
- 10:15 am**      **Break**
- 10:25 am**      **Panel: National Voices**  
Karen Pittman, President and CEO, Forum for Youth Investment  
Chris Smith, President and Executive Director, Boston After School and Beyond  
Mary Ellen Caron, CEO, After School Matters, Chicago, Illinois  
Jessica Donner, Executive Director, Every Hour Counts - Moderator
- 11:40 am**      **Lunch**
- 12:10pm**      **Luncheon Keynote Presentation**  
Dr. Nikolai Vitti, General Superintendent, Detroit Public Schools Community District
- 12:30 pm**      **Context and Background of OST System Building in Detroit**  
Terry Whitfield, The Skillman Foundation  
Sara Plachta Elliott, Youth Development Resource Center
- 12:45 pm**      **Breakout Sessions**  
Presidents Conference Center  
Escort Room, room #331  
Navigator Room, room #333
- 1:30 pm**      **Breakout Session Share-Outs**  
Presidents Conference Center
- 1:50 pm**      **Closing Reflections**  
David McGhee, Program Director, The Skillman Foundation
- 2:00 pm**      **Submit Feedback and Adjourn**

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