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Kansas City is home to a very supportive community of empowered women—more than one million strong in the KC area. This reference guide is meant to highlight opportunities for women to find their community right here in KC. While not comprehensive, this guide should serve as a great starting point. We hope you feel at home here and encourage you to partake in these available resources, amenities and opportunities.

FRIENDLY FACES/AMBASSADORS



These are a few locals who are friendly, accessible and ready to welcome you to Kansas City. Don't hesitate to reach out to them to become more familiar with the community of empowered women in Kansas City and to help you make new connections.



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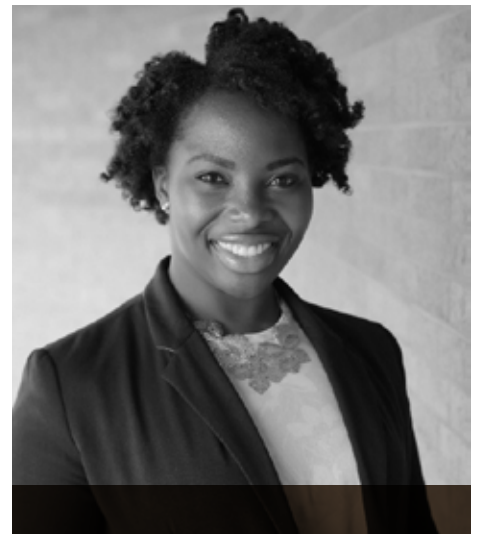
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WOMEN'S FOUNDATION APPOINTMENTS PROJECT

Appointments Project is a resource for women that can provide training and may advocate on an applicant's behalf when applying to public boards, commissions, task forces, and/or committees.

CENTURIONS LEADERSHIP PROGRAM

The Centurions Leadership Program of The Greater Kansas City Chamber of Commerce spends two years exploring the opportunities and issues of the Kansas City metropolitan area. The program prepares a representative cross-section of the community's emerging leaders for their role in shaping the future of greater Kansas City.

CENTRAL EXCHANGE EMERGING LEADERS PROGRAM

The Emerging Leaders Program joins high potential women for a year-long course focused on empowering you through actionable education. From sessions with real-life examples shared by regional thought leaders to active-learning based small group sessions, graduates leave with the skills and tools to take your leadership to the next level.

KANSAS LEADERSHIP CENTER

The Kansas Leadership Center (KLC) is a non-profit organization committed to fostering leadership for stronger, healthier and more prosperous Kansas communities.

WOMEN'S LEADERSHIP INITIATIVE

The mission of the Urban Land Institute's Women's Leadership Initiative is to raise the visibility and number of female leaders within ULI and the real estate industry as a whole. WLI regularly hosts events and opportunities for high-level conversations with accomplished female leaders in the industry.

SOUTH KANSAS CITY LEADERSHIP PROGRAM

The South Kansas City Leadership program aims to educate and motivate potential leaders for volunteer positions in the South Kansas City community and the metropolitan community at large, along with giving a systematic program to familiarize participants with the community's opportunities, needs, problems and resources.

PROFESSIONAL NETWORKING

AMERICAN BUSINESS WOMEN'S ASSOCIATION

WOMEN'S FOUNDATION

CENTRAL EXCHANGE

CREW KC

WOMEN IN DESIGN

SOCIETY OF WOMEN ENGINEERS

WIN FOR KC | WOMEN'S INTERSPORT NETWORK

KC WOMEN IN TECH

ONEKC FOR WOMEN

WOMEN'S BUSINESS NETORKING

JUNIOR LEAGUE OF KANSAS CITY

NATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF WOMEN IN CONSTRUCTION

100+WOMEN WHO CARE

MARK YOUR CALENDAR

KC BUSINESS JOURNAL'S BIZWOMEN MENTORING MONDAY

FEBRUARY

KC BUSINESS JOURNAL'S WOMEN WHO MEAN BUSINESS

APRIL

LEADERSHIP LYCEUM

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UMKC WOMEN OF COLOR LEADERSHIP CONFERENCE

JUNE

JUST FOR HER EXPO

JUNE

LIVING IN VITALITY CONFERENCE

SEPTEMBER

STEMMY AWARDS

SEPTEMBER

ATHENA AWARDS

SEPTEMBER

TEDXKCWOMEN

OCTOBER

WOMEN IN SCIENCE & ENTREPRENEURSHIP

OCTOBER

WILL WORK FOR CHANGE ANNUAL LUNCHEON

DECEMBER

STRAWBERRY SWING INDIE CRAFT FAIR

EVENTS
THROUGHOUT
THE YEAR

WOMEN'S SELF DEFENSE SEMINAR

SESSIONS
THROUGHOUT
THE YEAR

Information on this guide was sourced from survey responses of individuals in the KC region who self-identify with this community.