

Olin/United Way Board Fellows Program

Make a difference.

Board governance. Social impact. Leadership development. The Olin/United Way Board Fellows program connects you with a talented WashU student to serve on your nonprofit board. These yearlong board fellowship engagements, serving agencies supported by the United Way of Greater St. Louis, allow a student to provide fresh thinking, detailed analysis and valuable recommendations to your organization.



OLIN BUSINESS SCHOOL AT WASHINGTON UNIVERSITY

Olin graduate student consultants

Olin graduate student consultants full-time MBA, part-time MBA, executive MBA and WashU law school students

1 student per organization

1

year of service

January to December



Recent Agencies

- American Diabetes Association
- Boys & Girls Club of Bethalto
- Call for Help
- Center for Hearing & Speech
- Center for Women in Transition
- Illinois Center for Autism
- LifeBridge Partnership
- Salvation Army Senior Services Plus Inc.
- Sherwood Forest

1 project per fellowship

recent projects have focused on marketing, finance/accounting, operations/supply chain management, strategic organization/strategic management



Nonprofit

board engagement focus

No fee

to participate

Confront challenge, create change.

Our students are informed by numbers, driven by principle. We challenge them to look beyond the bottom line and carefully consider what will make the biggest impact and do the most good.

The CEL leadership team partners with you to match a WashU Olin student to the mission and specific needs of your organization. In addition to serving on your board as a voting member for one year, your fellow is responsible for executing a project designed to provide lasting social impact.

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Our Board Fellow helped to improve engagement of existing board members given her level of professionalism. Ideas have been implemented as a result of her hard work, and this will increase our board’s effectiveness for years to come.”

Kim Schave
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The Center for Experiential Learning

Olin’s Center for Experiential Learning links the classroom with the world of business. With faculty support and guidance, talented Olin students apply leading-edge practices and practical management solutions to your business challenges.

Comprehensive Strategic Engagement	Startup Ecosystem	Social and St. Louis Impact	International Immersion
CEL Practicum	CEL Entrepreneurial Consulting Team Finance Metrics Clinic Marketing Metrics Clinic	Small Business Initiative Taylor Community Consulting Program Olin/United Way Board Fellows Program	Madagascar Sustainability Initiative



Participation requirements

1. Host fellow from January to December
2. Allow fellow to fully participate in voting and governance
3. Hold four or more meetings per year, plus additional committee meetings
4. Immerse fellow in issues, annual matters and responsibilities
5. Provide fellow with a mentor, usually a member of the board

Find out more.

Visit our website, olin.wustl.edu/cel, and click on the “Apply for a Project” button.

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