



LUNCH & LEARN

# Leadership Workshop: Managing Generational Differences

July 23rd, 2025

12:00 PM - 2:30 PM

**Christian Financial Credit Union**

35100 Van Dyke Ave., Sterling Heights, MI 48312

## DETAILS

What happens when four generations come together in one workplace? Find out in this engaging and interactive workshop on *Managing Generational Differences*, led by two knowledgeable instructors from Macomb Community College, Angela McLean and Nicole Parnell, who bring a blend of academic insight and real-world experience. You'll explore how different generations approach everything from communication to teamwork, all through a mix of research, storytelling, and practical takeaways you can apply right away.

Step into the conversation everyone's having— even if it's not always out loud. Whether you're managing a multigenerational team or simply looking to bridge generational gaps, this session will offer fresh perspectives and tools to help you build stronger, more collaborative teams.

## SCHEDULE

<b>12:00 - 12:30 PM</b>	Lunch
<b>12:30 - 2 PM</b>	Leadership Workshop
<b>2 PM</b>	Networking

## COST

In-Person Cost (Includes Lunch): \$35 per person

- Payments can be made by using the link below or completing the registration form.

## RSVP

Please RSVP no later than Wednesday, July 16th, 2025.

To register for the event please visit, [https://metroeast.mcul.org/Education\\_Events](https://metroeast.mcul.org/Education_Events) or scan the code.



# Angela McLean

Angela McLean is a dedicated educator and human resources expert, serving as a full-time faculty member at Macomb Community College and an experienced HR coach and consultant. With over 22 years of teaching experience, Angela has made a lasting impact on her students, consistently earning high ratings and multiple awards for excellence in teaching.

She holds a Bachelor's degree from Michigan State University and a Master's degree from Wayne State University, and is SHRM-certified, demonstrating her expertise in human resources and organizational leadership. Each semester, Angela teaches over 200 students, equipping them with the skills and knowledge they need to succeed in their careers. She also is a facilitator for economic development programs at Wayne State University, and an executive facilitator and coach for area businesses.

A strong advocate for student endeavors, Angela actively supports graduates in finding opportunities within the local community, fostering connections between emerging professionals and organizations that align with their aspirations. Her mission is to develop "best bosses"!

A long-time credit union member and advocate, she is also a strong supporter of the credit union philosophy, emphasizing financial empowerment and community-focused banking. She brings this same commitment to her teaching, fostering a dynamic and engaging learning environment that prepares students for success.



# Nicole Parnell

Nicole Parnell is an accomplished leader in digital banking and education, currently serving as the Digital Channel Director at Michigan Schools and Government Credit Union. With over a decade of experience at the organization, she has steadily progressed from a Branch Manager to her current role, where she spearheads digital initiatives and enhances member experiences.

Beyond her corporate leadership, Nicole is deeply committed to education, having spent 10 years as an adjunct faculty member at Macomb Community College, where she shares her expertise and passion with students. She holds a Bachelor's degree from Central Michigan University and a Master's degree from Walsh College.

Nicole is a dynamic leader who has successfully led teams of 60+ individuals, fostering a culture of growth, mentorship, and collaboration. She thrives on coaching and training others, firmly believing that feedback is essential for professional development.

A "military brat" who grew up across the United States and even in Iceland, Nicole's diverse background has instilled in her adaptability, resilience, and a global perspective—all of which she brings to her work every day.





# METRO EAST CHAPTER OF CREDIT UNIONS

## SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

The Metro East Chapter of Credit Unions' scholarship program is designed to assist credit unions of all asset sizes with providing training for their staff and funding for political action in which they would not otherwise be able to participate. The Chapter awards scholarships in amounts not to exceed \$500 in one calendar year. Scholarships are awarded as funds are available at the time of application. Please remember that scholarship funds are also available from the Michigan Credit Union Foundation and CURE and you are encouraged to apply for those funds first.

Include a two or three paragraph narrative to explain how the Credit Union has supported the educational and political action efforts of the individual throughout the year and/or the other avenues that have been utilized (CURE, MCU Foundation, etc.)

Application Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Contact Person: \_\_\_\_\_

Credit Union: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Participant Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Name of Course/Seminar/Activity: \_\_\_\_\_

Total Cost: \_\_\_\_\_ Amount of scholarship request: \_\_\_\_\_

### Eligibility:

- ▶ Employees or volunteers of credit unions in the Metro East Chapter.
- ▶ A member of the Committee will call you to discuss the purpose of the scholarship and make a recommendation to the committee based on the information you provide.
- ▶ Funds may be used for educational purposes and political action efforts that are approved by the Committee and that are Credit Union related.
- ▶ Members of the Scholarship Committee are eligible to receive funds, but they are not allowed to vote regarding the award.

### Send your application to:

FreeStar Financial Credit Union  
ATTN: Vicki McIntosh  
P.O. Box 2800  
Mt. Clemens, MI 48046  
Cell phone: 586-381-8913  
vmcintosh@freestarfinancial.com

**Now is a great time to apply for a scholarship to help meet your Credit Union's educational needs or to participate in Political Action Efforts!**

### SCHOLARSHIP OPPORTUNITIES

**Events hosted by the Metro East Chapter, the MCUL, CUES and CUNA, such as:**

Educational events  
Conferences  
Seminars and Webinars  
Political Action Events  
STAR, MERIT, VAP, RegTrac Courses  
CUNA Management School  
Certified Executive Programs  
Customized Training  
Assistance with resources like on-site speakers, staff development and training material.