

CATALYSTS FOR INTELLECTUAL CAPITAL 2020

AN INDEPENDENT STUDENT-LED ECONOMIC THINK TANK AT BINGHAMTON UNIVERSITY

CIC CAREER PARTNERSHIP PROGRAM

OVERVIEW

The Catalysts for Intellectual Capital 2020 (CIC2020) are developing the CIC Career Partnership, a program designed to facilitate interaction between Binghamton University students and professionals in Greater Binghamton. Intended to act as a tool, it will provide community members with the opportunity to engage with the creative young minds as well as give students an appealing and non-traditional outlet to learn about career options and the “real world”.

WHAT IS A CIC MENTORSHIP?

The beautiful thing about a mentorship is that it can take infinitely different forms. The only limitation of a mentorship is its need for someone with knowledge and experience and another person looking to obtain it. The CIC Career Partnership Program hopes to serve as a repository for mentors and mentees to identify and connect to one another.

WHAT IS THE COMMITMENT?

It is free to be a mentor - the only cost is your time. A mentorship offers a broad range of commitment options, allowing anyone the opportunity to be a mentor. Your time is valuable, especially to a mentee, and a mentorship can be as minimal as half an hour, but can turn into a life-long relationship.

A mentorship can include activities such as:

- ♦ Conversing via phone, e-mail, or in person
- ♦ Meeting over lunch
- ♦ Introducing work environment
- ♦ Job shadowing

HOW CAN I GET INVOLVED?

Provide a completed CIC-CP Mentor Information Form to the CIC2020 Directorate. Forms are available at www.cic2020.org/CICPartnership. They can be submitted via mail, e-mail, or in person.

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