

# Barry University

## Center for Community Service Initiatives

### COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT SYMPOSIUM

March 29, 2023

*Cultivating Campus–Community Collaboration for Collective Impact*

#### CALL FOR PROPOSALS

Submission deadline: Friday, January 27

**Barry University's Center for Community Service Initiatives invites students, faculty, staff, and community partners to submit proposals for presentations at the Ninth Annual Community Engagement Symposium on March 29, 2023. The Symposium is being organized around the theme "Cultivating Campus–Community Collaboration for Collective Impact."**

► Campus–community collaboration may take various forms, including volunteer service, service-learning, community-based research, fieldwork/student teaching/clinical placements, and community-focused internships.

► *Collective impact* generally indicates "the commitment of a group of important actors from different sectors to a common agenda for solving a specific social problem." In this context, it refers to a significant or major effect of campus–community collaboration on the community, especially through the creation of (potentially) lasting solutions to critical social issues.

<b>Presentation Title:</b>	The title of the proposed presentation must be included in the proposal.
<b>Presenters' Names and Brief Biographies:</b>	Presenters should be listed in the order that they will appear in the program; brief bios will be included in the program.
<b>Presentation Formats:</b>	The presentation must be either audiovisual (e.g., use of PowerPoint slides) or a panel discussion. All concurrent presentations will be for 50 minutes. However, two 20-minute presentations by students may be scheduled for a 50-minute session (with 10 minutes left for Q&A).
<b>Community Partnership:</b>	The name of at least one community partner must be specified.
<b>Community Impact:</b>	The impact of a course, program, or project on the community—or on a community organization or group—must be highlighted in the proposal.
<b>Session Participant Engagement:</b>	Information on how the presentation will engage attendees must be included in the submission.
<b>Abstract:</b>	An abstract of approx. 80 words should mention the course, program, or project; indicate either the community impact or the nature of the impact; and highlight other key elements of the presentation.

Peer reviewers will evaluate all proposals based on partnership, community impact, participant engagement, and abstract. For more information, contact Dr. Glenn Bowen at [gbowen@barry.edu](mailto:gbowen@barry.edu).