

# COMMUNITY FORWARD FELLOWSHIP



**COMMUNITY &  
CIVIC ENGAGEMENT**  
DIVISION OF STUDENT AFFAIRS

Community Forward Fellows will learn and develop a combination of knowledge, skills, and values that they will use during their community-based placement and beyond. Below are learning objectives with activities that will help Fellows continue to learn and grow, and reach objectives.

Learn more about the Community Forward Fellowship at:

<https://www.uncp.edu/campus-life/community-civic-engagement/student-opportunities/community-forward-fellowship>

Learning Objective	Year 1 Activities	Year 2 Activities
Understand the principles and practices of servant leadership.	Participate in CCE led workshops and seminars on applying servant leadership in practical settings.	Participate in CCE led workshops and seminars on applying servant leadership in practical settings.
Apply student development theory to personal and professional growth through real-world context.	Enroll, participate, and complete in UNV 2000: Student Development Theory for Spring semester.  Reflect on personal experiences and identify areas of growth and development.	Engage in professional development activities such as attending CPE sessions, networking events, and/or participating in experiential learning opportunities.
Enhance awareness of the needs and challenges within the surrounding community.	Complete service-learning project in UNV 2000.  Conduct community needs assessments and research to understand local challenges.	Collaborate with community-based organizations to identify specific needs and develop projects or initiatives to address them.
Cultivate a sense of civic responsibility and social engagement.	Participate in volunteer activities and community service projects such as: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● CFF workshops</li> <li>● CCE hosted volunteer opportunities and events</li> <li>● Complete a minimum of 10 of service hours</li> </ul>	Organize and lead service projects with community-based organizations that engage peers in service.

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Establish a network of connections and collaborations with the UNCP community and CFF fellows	Attend networking events, meet-ups, and social gatherings to connect with peers and professionals.	Collaborate with CFF fellows on joint projects or initiatives. Such as, not limiting to: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>MLK Week of service volunteer group</li> </ul>
Apply servant leadership principles in a practical setting within a community-based organization.	-	Complete an on-site placement with a community-based organization, serving in a leadership role and applying servant leadership principles.
Develop professionalism and career readiness skills through real-world situations.	Attend on-campus workshops or seminars on professional etiquette, communication skills, and resume building.	Engage in mock interviews or internships to gain practical experience and develop professional skills.
Develop project management and leadership skills through hands-on experience.	-	Lead or manage a service project within a community-based organization, overseeing its planning, execution, and evaluation.
Enhance cultural competency and embrace diversity through community engagement efforts.	Engage in cultural competency workshops or training sessions. Participate in culture and diverse based events held on-campus to increase awareness.	Collaborate with diverse groups or communities to develop and implement inclusive programs or initiatives.
Reflect on personal growth and identify areas for continued development as a servant leader.	Engage and participate in regular self-reflection and facilitated reflection sessions with peers.	Engage and participate in regular self-reflection and facilitated reflection sessions with peers.  Present at CFF Symposium on community-based placement, learnings, and personal growth.

**If you have questions about the Community Forward Fellowship, please reach out to Fellowship Facilitators:**

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