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## **Nonprofit Employee Stands Out In Two Leadership Programs**

**DETROIT, October 19, 2011** –Sarida Scott of Community Legal Resources was selected to participate in the Leadership Detroit Class XXXIII and was also recruited for the Detroit Revitalization Fellows Program.

Leadership Detroit is a year-long community leadership program to enhance leadership skills and gain insight and knowledge of regional issues among senior-level executives in southeast Michigan. Sarida Scott is one of 69 local leaders selected to participate in the program this year. Participants represent a cross-section of the community, including business, organized labor, government, education, media, civic groups, health services and community organizations.

[Click here](#) for a complete list of the Leadership Detroit Class XXXIII roster.

The Detroit Revitalization Fellows Program is a new program which combines two years of full-time employment with executive development-style education. There will be extensive networking opportunities, along with professional coaching and mentoring. Run by Wayne State University, Scott was recruited for the fellowship program for her demonstrated leadership and experience working in many capacities in Detroit.

[Click here](#) for a complete list of the Detroit Revitalization Fellowship Roster.

“We have always been proud of Sarida and the work she does here at Community Legal Resources,” said Heidi Mucherie, chief executive officer, “it is so great to see her talents recognized by both of these outstanding programs.”

Scott will remain in her position as chief program officer at Community Legal Resources while participating in both programs.

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**About Leadership Detroit**

Leadership Detroit aims to provide the foundation for a lifelong commitment to leadership by creating awareness of key issues that affect the Detroit region and to challenge emerging and existing community leaders to bring about positive change in the community through informed leadership. Topics covered during the 10-month program include health care, transit, education, arts and culture, diversity and public safety. For more information, please visit [detroitchamber.com/ld](http://detroitchamber.com/ld)

**About Detroit Revitalization Fellowship Program**

The Detroit Revitalization Fellowship Program is designed to attract, develop and retain promising young professionals who will help lead the economic revitalization and development of Detroit. This talent pool is being cultivated in order to build the capacity of public, for-profit, nonprofit and quasi-public organizations, including Detroit's anchor institutions.

**About Community Legal Resources**

Community Legal Resources supports and empowers nonprofit community organizations in Michigan that serve low-income individuals and communities – with an emphasis on community economic development – by providing pro bono legal services and technical assistance. Founded in 1998, CLR has provided over \$10 million in free legal assistance to over 1000 nonprofits in Michigan and vacant property related assistance to over 200 community organizations in Detroit. Find CLR at [www.clronline.org](http://www.clronline.org) and on Facebook, Twitter, LinkedIn and Peplemovers.

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