

Facilitator Bios



Mayor Chris Dobrozsi has been a City Council member since 2009 and was selected as mayor for a two-year term on December 2, 2015 and again on December 6, 2017. He moved to Montgomery in 1998 with his wife, Michelle, and family. They have two sons – Andrew and James. Chris served on the City’s Landmarks Commission for nine years before joining City Council and is a 2008 graduate of the Montgomery Citizens’ Leadership Academy.

Chris has more than 29 years of experience in the development and construction of mixed-use, Class A office, medical office, retail, residential and industrial real estate. Utilizing his past roles in architecture, construction, estimating, land development, vertical development and leasing, Chris has led the development of several high-quality projects throughout the Greater Cincinnati region. He has served in numerous volunteer roles including Sycamore Schools Executive Advisory Committee, Ohio-Kentucky-Indiana Regional Council of Governments Board Member, Boy Scouts’ merit badge counselor, youth sports coach – baseball, soccer and lacrosse, Urban Land Institute Product Council Chair and A Kid Again board member. Chris holds a bachelor’s degree in architectural engineering and an associate’s degree in civil construction engineering, both from the University of Cincinnati.



Ray Kingsbury will act as moderator and guide for the Montgomery Citizens’ Leadership Academy. He has two children, Adam and Lindsey, and is married to Connie Schmitt Kingsbury. Ray and Connie live in Covington, Kentucky. A graduate of Bowling Green State University and Xavier University, Ray has spent over forty years in local, regional and state government, and various non-profits. Ray’s interests include travel, sports, camping, hiking and volunteerism.



Matthew Vanderhorst served as Information Technology Director for the City of Montgomery from July 2001 through August 2006, Customer Service Director from August 2006 through June 2014 and currently serves as Community and Information Services Director. He has been employed in the information technology and customer service fields since 1997. His prior experience includes serving on active duty in the United States Air Force from 1988 to 2001 as a Healthcare Network Administrator and Web Site Developer. Matthew received his Bachelor of Science Degree in Information Technology from the University of Phoenix. He is also a graduate of the Leading, Educating and Development Program from the University of Virginia, Weldon Cooper Center for Public Service.



Faith Lynch joined the City of Montgomery in 2011, and now serves as the communications and engagement coordinator for the City . She has over 15 years' experience in project management, marketing, and communications for local government. Faith earned both her bachelor's degree and Masters in Public Administration from Ohio University. Prior to working for the City of Montgomery, Faith worked for the Montgomery County Auditor and the Franklin County Municipal Court. She makes her home with her husband, Dan, and sons, Payton and Jude, in Delhi Township. Faith is a member of the the Public Relations Society of America-Cincinnati Chapter and earned her Accreditation in Public Relations (APR) in 2018. She serves on the awards committee for the chapter. Faith is a graduate of the Leading, Educating and Development Program (LEAD) at the University of Virginia, Weldon Cooper Center for Public Service.



Angela Easton moved to Cincinnati from northwestern Michigan nine years ago and has been a resident of Montgomery for five years. She currently works in supply chain for Duke Energy as the Midwest Gas Material Planner. Her family has been a licensed foster home in Hamilton County for over seven years and recently celebrated the adoption of their third child. Angela is a MCLA Class of 2018 graduate.



Li Sun was born and grew up in China. He gained his BSc.in Biology in China, and went to London to complete his graduate studies (Ph.D.) He joined Proctor & Gamble's research and development center in England, and lived and worked in England; Kobe, Japan; Beijing, China; and now Cincinnati. Li and his family have lived in Montgomery since 2000. He is married to Ling Peng and they have two kids, Rachael and Henry. He served as Chairman of the Board of Directors for the Greater Cincinnati Chinese Chamber of Commerce. Li also served as a member of the Executive Advisory Council for Sycamore Community Schools. His hobbies include hiking, gardening, cooking and watching movies. Li is a MCLA Class of 2016 graduate.