

Ashley Cangelosi Llewellyn, M.S.

Ashley Cangelosi Llewellyn serves as Development Director for the St. Tammany Economic Development Foundation (STEDF).

In her role, Ashley oversees the holistic development of STEDF's programs and of its strategic partnerships. She leads and enhances initiatives focused on business attraction, business retention, and site development while coordinating STEDF's outreach to the business community. In 2014, Ashley established a Workforce Development Series which continues to engage business, education, nonprofit, and governmental partners in conversations about workforce needs.



In 2015, she was recognized as a finalist for the 2015 Outstanding Millennial in Economic Development award.

Ashley has demonstrated a tireless commitment to economic development, education, and professional development, beginning in 2010 when she chose to pursue a Master of Science in Economic Development at the University of Southern Mississippi. As a graduate student, Ashley assisted the Trent Lott National Center for Excellence in Economic Development, creating innovative programs to strengthen the Center's relationships with entrepreneurs, economic development professionals, and government officials.

In 2016, Ashley completed coursework for LIDEA's Certified Louisiana Economic Developer (CLED) certification and the University of Oklahoma's Economic Development Institute, qualifying her to take the IEDC's Certified Economic Developer (CEcD) certification exam in December.

In addition to her work at STEDF, Ashley serves on the board of James Storehouse Louisiana, on the Fundraiser Development Committee for the Junior League of New Orleans, and on the Professional Development Committee for LIDEA. She is a member of Chi Omega Fraternity, where she serves on the National Ritual Education Team, and she is a lifetime member of the University of Southern Mississippi Alumni Association.

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