

Options for Every Lifestyle
Annual Events
Where We Live

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GREAT PLACES:

Cincinnati, OH





“I’m a foodie, and what has been going on in Cincinnati the past five years—from ethnic to gourmet foods, local breweries, and craft cocktails—is amazing. With all the activities and parks, it’s also easy to spend an afternoon along the Ohio River.”

– Karen Dews
Sales Analyst

So Much to Do in Cincinnati

Arts & Culture

Downtown Cincinnati is home to the Aronoff Center for the Arts. A block from Fountain Square, its three theatres host, among other things, the Cincinnati Ballet and touring productions of Broadway plays and musicals. The Cincinnati Symphony Orchestra, Cincinnati Pops, and Cincinnati Opera all perform at the newly renovated Music Hall downtown. Head uptown to Eden Park to enjoy the Cincinnati Art Museum, which features more than 67,000 works.



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Moerlein Lager House



Wendy Pramik



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Food & Drink

Cincinnati is home to Skyline Chili and Graeter's Ice Cream, while its popular goetta sausage reflects the city's German heritage. In fact, Oktoberfest Zinzinnati is the largest in the U.S. and attracts 500,000 visitors annually. Lovers of artisanal foods—and great people watching—head to Findlay Market in the historic Over-the-Rhine (OTR) neighborhood just a few blocks from downtown. Dining and nightlife options abound, from the Jack Cincinnati Casino to The Banks district downtown.



Bluestone Creative



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21c Museum Hotel



Robert Webber



Sports & Recreation

Cincinnati has been a baseball town for more than a century, and today's Reds play at the Great American Ball Park on the banks of the Ohio River. Paul Brown Stadium is home to the NFL's Bengals. Each August, tennis lovers head to nearby Mason to see the sport's biggest stars at the Western & Southern Open. Outdoor enthusiasts flock to Cincinnati's many parks, including Eden Park and Smale Riverfront Park. The Flying Pig Marathon each spring is both a road race and the largest weekend party in town.

Family Life

Fiona the hippo is just one of the many attractions at the Cincinnati Zoo and Botanical Garden. One of the finest zoos in the nation, it includes more than 580 animal species. Just across the Ohio River, the Newport Aquarium showcases sea life from around the world. The Cincinnati Museum Center at Union Terminal is a mecca for children of all ages. In addition to the Duke Energy Children's Museum, it also houses the Museum of Natural History & Science and OMNIMAX Theater. Water park lovers can head north to Mason to Beach Waterpark or Kings Island, which is also the largest amusement park in the Midwest.



A large, dense crowd of people, many wearing red Cincinnati Reds clothing, cheering and clapping. The crowd is diverse in age and appearance, with many individuals wearing red t-shirts, caps, and scarves. Some are wearing sunglasses, and many have their hands raised in the air, suggesting a lively event. The background is filled with more people, creating a sense of a large gathering.

Annual Events

Whatever your age or interest, Cincinnati offers a wide range of festivals and other events for every season.

Summer

- Brew Ha-Ha
- Bunbury Music Festival
- Cincinnati Music Festival
- Midwest Regional Black Family Reunion
- Paddlefest
- Cincinnati Pride Festival
- Riverfest



Jennifer Mauer

Western & Southern Open

- Cincy Summer Beerfest
- Glier's Goettafest
- Cincinnati Reds at the Great American Ball Park
- Riverbend Music Center Performances

Fall

- Festival of Lights
- MidPoint Music Festival
- Oktoberfest Zinzinnati
- Hallzooween

Winter

- Bockfest
- Cincinnati International Wine Festival
- Cincy Winter Beerfest



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Macy's Light Up the Square

Skating at Fountain Square Ice Rink

Spring

- Cincinnati May Festival
- Cincy-Cinco



Amanda Davidson

Flying Pig Marathon

- Cincy Fringe Festival
- MusicNOW Festival
- Findlay Market Parade
- Taste of Cincinnati

Where We Live

With dozens of unique neighborhoods, Cincinnati appeals to a broad range of interests and lifestyles. Employees who prefer suburban living have plenty of options on both sides of the Ohio River. Learn more about just a few of the locations Smithfield employees call home.

Anderson Township



A 35-minute drive from Smithfield's offices, this suburb offers families affordable housing, great shopping, and highly rated schools. Anderson Township is close to downtown and just minutes away from the Riverbend Music Center, Coney Island, and many other attractions along the Ohio River.

Blue Ash

Affordable homes and the top-rated Sycamore Community School District



are just two of the many draws of this popular suburb—a 20-minute drive from both Smithfield's offices and downtown Cincinnati. Summit Park is a popular local destination.

Bridgetown

Northwest of downtown, this Cincinnati suburb is a 35-minute drive from Smithfield's offices. Bridgetown has been named among Sperling's "Best Places," offering affordable housing, excellent public schools, and plenty of shopping. The nearby Dunham Recreation Center is a popular hub for a variety of activities.

Cincinnati

Hyde Park, Oakley, and Over-the-Rhine are among the Cincinnati neighborhoods that Smithfield employees call home. Hyde Park offers retail shops, art galleries, restaurants, and craft breweries that make it an appealing choice for singles. Oakley is equally popular



among young professionals as well as families that prefer an urban lifestyle. Its historic 20th Century Theatre is a popular concert venue. The transformation of the historic Over-the-Rhine neighborhood has made it one of the city's most sought after places to live among young singles. Lovers of artisanal and specialty foods head to Findlay Market, Ohio's oldest continuously operated public market.

Florence, Kentucky



In demand by both singles and young families, Florence is a 40-minute drive from Smithfield's offices. It offers numerous outdoor recreational opportunities and is also close to downtown Cincinnati. Florence Mall is a popular shopping destination, and thoroughbred racing fans enjoy Turfway Park.

Mason



Affordability, plentiful outdoor attractions, and highly rated public schools have helped land Mason on several "best places to live" lists. Just 25 minutes from Smithfield's offices, Mason is home to the largest amusement park in the Midwest. It also hosts the prestigious Western & Southern Open.

West Chester



Recently named one of *Money's* "Best Places to Live", West Chester is a 10-minute drive up I-75 from Smithfield's offices and 25 minutes north of downtown. This suburb's strong school district makes it popular among young families. West Chester is also home to the National Voice of America Museum of Broadcasting.

Additional Resources

Tourism

CincyUSA
cincyusa.com

Cincinnati USA Regional Chamber
cincinnati-chamber.com

Local Governments

Cincinnati, OH
cincinnati-oh.gov

Anderson Township, OH
andersontownship.org

Blue Ash, OH
blueash.com

Florence, KY
florence-ky.gov

Mason, OH
imaginemason.org

West Chester, OH
westchesteroh.org

Schools

Cincinnati Public Schools
cps-k12.org

Boone County Schools
boone.k12.ky.us

Forest Hills School District
foresthills.edu

Lakota Local Schools
lakotaonline.com

Mason City Schools
masonohioschools.com

Sycamore Community Schools
sycamoreschools.org

Local Media

Cincinnati.com
cincinnati.com

WLWT5
wlwt.com



Skyline view from Over-the-Rhine district

Cincinnati, OH



Cincinnati offers dozens of historic neighborhoods and a newly flourishing waterfront that is helping redefine the city for the 21st century.

The thriving Over-the-Rhine District, the Reds and the Bengals, and the many parks that line the Ohio River are just a few of its many attractions.

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