

Project Team Information

Kaitlyn Turnbull, RN

Kaitlyn Turnbull is a Registered Nurse and the founder of Refuge Properties LLC. She currently provides care for women through the nonprofit Network of Life, supporting mothers throughout pregnancy and the postpartum period. Her experience in healthcare has given her a deep appreciation for the importance of safe, healthy, and supportive communities.

Recognizing the housing needs of healthcare professionals and graduate students, Kaitlyn established Refuge Properties LLC to provide high-quality housing for professional students throughout the Pittsburgh region. She is also an active community volunteer, serving for many years with Urban Impact Foundation and Allegheny Center Alliance Church. Her commitment to neighborhood revitalization and community well-being reflects her passion for creating environments where individuals and families can thrive.

Rev. Kenneth Turnbull

Ken Turnbull earned his bachelor's degree from the Pennsylvania State University before completing his theological education with the Christian and Missionary Alliance. He served Allegheny Center Alliance Church for more than 40 years in leadership roles, including Operations Pastor and Community Pastor.

Throughout his tenure, Ken oversaw the planning, construction, maintenance, and management of the church's North Side campus, which includes multiple buildings serving the surrounding community. Most recently, he led the development of the Community Hub, a collaborative initiative that provides shared space and infrastructure for numerous nonprofit organizations serving the Pittsburgh region. His extensive experience in construction management, facilities development, and community partnerships will guide the implementation and construction phases of this project.

Brenden Bogolin, M.Arch., LEED AP BD+C

Brenden Bogolin earned his bachelor's degree from Arizona State University and his Master of Architecture from Carnegie Mellon University. He is an architect with SmithGroup in downtown Pittsburgh and is a LEED Accredited Professional in Building Design and Construction (LEED AP BD+C).

Brenden has received professional recognition for his innovative design work, including the Young Architects Studio Competition Award of Excellence from the Pittsburgh chapter of the American Institute of Architects (AIA Pittsburgh). He was responsible for developing the architectural renderings and conceptual site design for this project, bringing expertise in sustainable design, urban planning, and community-centered development.

