

YOUNG PROFESSIONAL OF THE YEAR AWARD FINALISTS

Shermiah Holland

Chief Information Officer and Co-founder, EnVue Health

Shermiah Holland is the Chief Information Officer and Co-founder of EnVue Health, where she spearheads technical innovations to close the gap in access to quality care and ensure health care is inclusive and specialized based on the patient's needs. She has started a consultancy firm (Holland Consultancy) that helps organizations adopt AI and leadership development. She provides consultation to entrepreneurs on how to scale their business, financial

management, operations, and leadership, with two portfolio companies signed in early 2025. Her background in health care, business, and tech has allowed her to deliver technology to rural health care communities and trusted partnerships in the tribal communities across the United States. She is the owner of the Peach Cobbler Factory in Lexington, KY, Louisville, KY, and Houston, TX. She has contributed to the growth of the franchise from two stores in 2022 to 150 stores open across the country, with 250 additional stores committed. She is a Certified Project Manager (PMP), portfolio manager, program director, software developer, and business strategist. She has a deep knowledge of building businesses across various industries. She holds a BS in Computer Science, a BS in Mathematical Economics, and a BS in Biology from the University of Kentucky. She obtained her MBA, MSBA, and license in Franchise Management from the University of Louisville, and a Healthcare Management certification from Cornell University. She embarked on the entrepreneurial journey to fuel economic growth and uplift the economy for various communities, starting in her home state. She is a beacon for women in technology and business, curates high-performing teams to align with business vision, mission, and values, and is a mentor to women in STEM.



Why Should This Nominee Be Recognized as Kentucky's Young Professional of the Year?

Shermiah Holland should be recognized as Kentucky's Young Professional of the Year because she is a powerful force for change whose work exemplifies innovation, leadership, and community impact. She is not only a trailblazer in health care technology and business, but a deeply rooted advocate for inclusivity, economic empowerment, and the advancement of business across the Commonwealth. Her work is transforming the way care is delivered by using inclusive, specialized, patient-centered technologies to close health care access gaps, especially in Kentucky's rural and marginalized areas. Her solutions are improving lives, reducing disparities, and setting a new standard for digital health care equity. Shermiah's entrepreneurial leadership is equally impressive. Holland Consultancy allows her to provide mentorship and support to Kentucky-based businesses, guiding them in adopting cutting-edge AI tools while providing strategic guidance on scaling operations, financial literacy, and leadership development. She's also a proud Kentucky franchise owner who has played a critical role in growing the Peach Cobbler Factory brand from two stores to

over 150 nationwide in a two-year timeframe. Shermiah's work embodies the values of progress, service, and opportunity. She is a mentor to women in STEM, a role model for young professionals, and a builder of inclusive, high-performing teams aligned with purpose. Her accomplishments are extraordinary, but it is her heart for the people of Kentucky that makes her truly deserving. She is not only shaping the future, but she's also making sure it's one where every Kentuckian has a chance to thrive.