



Community Best Practices Forum:

Supporting College Access, Readiness, and Success for Undocumented Students

Wednesday, December 5, 2012, 9:30-11:30am

Macaulay Honors College (35 W 67th Street), Lecture Hall

AGENDA

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| <p align="center">9:30 – 9:40</p> | <p align="center">Welcome and Introduction</p> |
| <p align="center">9:40 – 10:40</p> | <p>Working with Undocumented Students: Key Issues <i>Presentations & Panel</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>Allison Baker</u> – Attorney, Immigration Law Unit, Legal Aid Society • <u>Daniel Wallace</u> – Policy Analyst, NYC Mayor’s Office of Immigrant Affairs • <u>Cassie Magesis</u> – Deputy Director of College Readiness, Urban Assembly; Trainer, Goddard Riverside Options Institute • <u>Charlotte Henson-Butler</u> – Recruitment Coordinator, CUNY Welcome Center <p>Q&A</p> <p>Intended Takeaway: <i>Participants will gain an understanding of the key issues and resources available around working with undocumented students. More specifically, participants will learn about relevant issues in immigration law as well as Deferred Action, and will review important things to know about the college and financial aid application processes.</i></p> <p>Resources:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>PPT presentations</u> • Immigration Clinic Outreach Schedule (<i>The Legal Aid Society</i>) • Letter to NYCDOE staff regarding Deferred Action (<i>DOE & the Mayor’s Office of Immigrant Affairs</i>) • Deferred Action for Childhood Arrivals: Collecting Documents (<i>Mayor’s Office of Immigrant Affairs</i>) • Scholarships for which Undocumented Students are Eligible (<i>Options Institute, Goddard Riverside Community Center</i>) |

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| <p>10:40 - 11:25</p> | <p>Supporting Undocumented Students <i>Discussion led by:</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>Jaqueline Cinto</u> - Co-Founder & Youth Services Coordinator, New York State Youth Leadership Council • <u>Sonia Guinansaca</u> - Board Member, New York State Youth Leadership Council <p><i>Intended Takeaway:</i> <i>Participants will learn more about the NYSYLC's programs and services, and will share ideas about how to support undocumented youth by discussing a series of case studies that focus on advocacy and opportunities to work together as a community.</i></p> <p><i>Resources:</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>PPT presentation</u> • Tips to Advocate for Undocumented Youth (NYSYLC) |
| <p>11:25 - 11:30</p> | <p>Closing & Announcements</p> |