

NEWS for Youth Work Professionals

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NEWS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

Help Students Prepare for Summer Internships at the 2015 [STEP-UP](#) Mock Interviews

April 13-16, 4:45-6:15pm, Minneapolis Convention Center
Join 500+ professionals to help 1,800 young people complete their STEP-UP work-readiness training. Find more details and sign up for one or more evenings [here](#).

Mock Interviewers Needed at Job Corps Event

March 25, •Morning session: 9-11:30am •Afternoon session: 1:-3:30pm, Hubert Humphrey Job Corps, St. Paul. Help Job Corps students practice their interviewing skills. You will receive questions and feedback forms. If you can do both sessions, we'll buy lunch. Contact [Cate Smith Edlund](#).

Help the Minneapolis Foundation Transform Education

March 19 & 20, Hope Community Inc., 1925 Portland Ave. Minneapolis parents are invited to participate in a research study about their children's educational experience. The study is also seeking interviewers and reporters. Find more info [here](#). Breakfast, lunch, and refreshments provided.

Funding for Youth Programs & Professional Development

Your voice and activism are needed through March and April....Make an appointment for an in-person visit, make a call or send messages to state senators and representatives.
•Find who represents you [here](#). •Get legislators contact info [here](#). •See attached talking points and contacting template.



Minneapolis Youth Congress at Afterschool Advocacy Day at the Capitol March 10. 150+ youth workers and youth brought the message for more funding for youth programs!

Join the Minneapolis Global Youth Service Day 2015

Plan a service-learning, youth activism or civic engagement project between the dates of April 13-19. Every group that registers (see attached forms for details) will receive a recognition party pack with a framed certificate, balloon and \$25 gift card. Questions? Need ideas or resources to plan your project? Contact [Julie Graves](#).

EVENTS

Youth Violence Prevention Week Activities

See attached flyer "YVP Week Schedule".

East Side Youth Work Practitioners

Mar. 18, 9:30-10:30am, ESNS, 1700 2nd St NE
Ignite Afterschool & Sprockets: mini-training and legislative update: how to help increase funding for afterschool.

Hiawatha Academy Immersion Day

March 20, 8AM-9PM, [Register here](#).
See our elementary and middle schools and meet the leaders of our founding high school, all in one day.

Community Connections Conference

March 21, 9AM-3PM, Minneapolis Convention Center
A look at creative engagement. [Learn more here](#).

The Brothers and Fathers Institute

March 25, 8:30AM-2:30PM, Humphrey School, U of M
City of Minneapolis Youth Violence Prevention Week event. This conference is designed to uplift and encourage young fathers and young men, ages 14-24. [Register](#).

[NanoDay 2015 Family Event](#) – Open to the Public

Sat., April 4, 1-4 PM, Sabathani, 310 E 38 St., Minneapolis
Learn about nanoscale science and engineering. A suggested donation of \$5/family is requested. Advance registration is appreciated but not required. More @ 612-821-2329. Send registration requests to [Bobby Lay](#).

Rally for Foster Care and Adoption Initiative

Saturday, April 11, 1:30-3pm, Sabathani Community Center
Food, free parking, entertainment, kid friendly. See flyer.

[Minneapolis Teen Job Fair](#)

Saturday, April 25, Noon-3PM, Minneapolis Central Library

[Save the Date: Annual Community Empowerment through Black Men Healing Conference](#): June 25-26

32nd Upper Midwest Conference on Adolescents & Children In Need

May 14 & 15, Ramada Plaza Minneapolis. Visit the [website](#) for more information and to register.

20th Annual High School Graduation Celebration

May 20, Metropolitan Ballroom, 5418 Wayzata Boulevard
"Education and Graduation: It's a Family Affair," honors Twin Cities' African and African American high school graduates. Learn more and RSVP [here](#).

OPPORTUNITIES FOR YOUTH

Class of 2015 Community Yearbook

Graduating seniors of African descent can be part of the "Class of 2015 Community Yearbook" Spokesman Recorder special edition by submitting a simple bio and photo [here](#) by March 30. This is all free!

Cecil E. Newman Scholarship

Graduating seniors of African descent can apply for this scholarship by completing an essay describing 2 people who played a big part in their successful graduation. Deadline: 5pm, March 30. More info [here](#).

[Employment & Opportunity Guide for Mpls Youth](#)

Find out who is hiring. Get job search tips. Discover employment resources. Locate non-job opportunities.

1 Day Job Shadow Experience at the State Legislature

For high school or post-secondary undergrad students who identify as a person of color living in MN. Send resume by Mar. 15 to mhiggins@mnico.org and a 200 word response to the question: Why do you want to be part of this event? Find more information [here](#).

Minneapolis Fire Department Explorer Program

Leadership development program for Minneapolis youth ages 15-21. Learn more and apply [here](#), or call 311.

Dunwoody College Career Awareness Program

June 15-July 17, 9AM-3PM. For high school juniors and seniors. Students have college level courses and are introduced to Dunwoody tech classes. Receive a \$100 weekly stipend, a free bus pass and food. [Click here](#).

Free Capri Theater Musical Opportunities for Youth

Capri Glee! Choir: April 6 - May 13, For grades K-5 and 9-12, 2027 West Broadway. [Glee registration](#).

Start the Music: SPCO Concert for Children and Families

March 28, 10am-12:00pm, Introduce young listeners (ages 3 to 6+) to classical music. [Info and registration](#).

[Youth Opportunity Center: March Calendar](#)

For homeless and /or precariously housed youth.

The Southside Village Boys & Girls Club

Summer session starts June 8 at E. 39 St. & Chicago Ave. Open all summer, Mon- Fri, 9:30am-5:30pm, June 8-Aug. 14. \$5 Membership. Info and registration [here](#).

tpt is looking for African American students!

Twin Cities Public is handing the mic to African American students. We invite students to answer a question: What does success mean to you? Find more info [here](#) or email REPRESENT@tpt.org, or call Cassandra at 651-229-1357.

[Camp Bovey Summer Camp](#)

Learn new skills! Nutritious meals and snacks daily.

ADULT TRAINING

[Pathways Transition Partnership Training](#)

Online training for those working with youth & young adults.

YPQA Reliability for the External Assessor

April 7-8, 8:30-4:30 both days), St. Paul Campus, U of M [Register online](#).

[Challenging Behaviors in Youth - Strategies for Intervention](#)

April 9, 2015, 9am-4pm, Minneapolis Sheraton Midtown
Learn how to structure interactions for positive outcomes with youth who exhibit challenging behaviors. \$157.00

Minnesota Statewide Conference on Traumatic Stress in Children & Families: Using and adapting evidence-based interventions to help children and families

April 29, 2015 8:30AM-12:30PM, TCF Bank Stadium, U of M
For more info and to register, visit [Eventbrite](#). Free

[Essentials of Asset Building for Trainers and Facilitators](#)

April 30 - May 1, 2015, 8:30AM-4:00PM, U of M Continuing Education Conference Center, 1890 Buford Avenue, St. Paul

[The Perseverance Process: Strategies for Strengthening Academic Motivation and Persistence](#)

May 6, 2015, 8:30-4PM, U of Continuing Education Conference Center, 1890 Buford Ave, Room 42A, St. Paul

ADULT EMPLOYMENT

[Hiawatha Academies Is Hiring](#)

National Youth Leadership Council Seeking Digital Training and Program Manager

Read the [job description](#). Apply by March 30.

[The YMCA Is Hiring](#)

College Health Corps VISTA: MHD Youth Violence Prevention [See position description](#). Apply by April 3rd.

[YouthCARE's Camp Sunrise Accepting Summer Applications](#)

A variety of positions open for those with little youth work experience to those with more extensive experience.

[2015 Minnesota Education Job Fair](#)

April 13, 10AM-3PM, Minneapolis Convention Center
Open only to MN College and university students and alumni.

[Jobs at East Side Neighborhood Services](#)

[City of Minneapolis Job Seeker Bulletin](#)