

Anchor Institution-Community Engagement in Newark: Striving Together

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Educational & Economic Opportunity

Anchor Institutions Task Force



...an advocacy and movement building organization to create and advance democratic, mutually beneficial anchor institution-community partnerships.

“We call the country’s attention to the striking rise in double segregation by race and poverty for African American and Latino students who are concentrated in schools that rarely attain the successful outcomes typical of middle class schools with largely white and Asian student populations.”

Gary Orfield, et al., *Brown at 62: School Segregation by Race, Poverty and State*

Express Newark

- Shine: A Portrait Studio
- Community Media Center
- Design Consortium
- Makerspace
- Art Gallery
- Book Arts Studio
- 2D/3D Printing Studio
- Newest Americans
- Writers @ Newark
- *Newark Reporter*
- Institute of Jazz Studies exhibits

Hahne & Co. Building



Partners

NJPAC, WBGO, Newark Museum, Aljira, HYCIDE Magazine, Newark Print Shop, Talking Eyes Media, VII documentary collective

EXPRESS NEWARK UP CLOSE

GUESTS

HOSTED BY



ANNE ENGLOT
Rutgers University, Newark



VICTOR DAVSON
Aljira Center for Contemporary Art



LYNEIR RICHARDSON
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TEHSUAN GLOVER
The Newark Times

TUESDAY **FEBRUARY 9, 4PM**

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POWER HOUR



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Media + Arts
Entrepreneurship



EXPRESS
NEWARK



Newark Print Shop:
Samer Fouad
Lisa Conrad
Steve McKenzie



Wednesday Night
Print Club:
All U Can Print \$10



Records at Play:
The US @ 50 Exhibit

Creativity & Resilience

THE IRONBOUND ISSUE

Connecting Newark Youth to College

NEWARK
CITY OF LEARNING COLLABORATIVE
— 25% by 2025 —

ESSEX COUNTY COLLEGE

NJIT
New Jersey Institute of Technology
THE EDGE IN KNOWLEDGE

RUTGERS
UNIVERSITY | NEWARK

PILLAR
COLLEGE

Prudential

audible
an amazon company

Panasonic

Newark Public Schools
CITY OF NEWARK

Urban League of Essex County Young Professionals

FREE SAT BOOT CAMP
"Approach Is Everything"
A workshop designed to help high school students improve their SAT score

Saturday, September 24, 2016
10am – 2pm

Rutgers University - Newark
Ackerson Hall - Rm 123
180 University Avenue
Newark, NJ 07102

Eventbrite Registration:
Visit College4All.eventbrite.com

College Application Fair
(High School Seniors only)
FREE
Saturday, October 15, 2016
10am – 3pm

Rutgers Business School
1 Washington Park
3rd Floor, Student Lounge
Newark, NJ 07102

Students must bring:

1. Official High School Transcript
2. Copy of ACT/SAT Scores
3. Copy of Senior Class Schedule
4. Minimum of: 2.5 GPA, 17 ACT, 900 SAT

Register for: 10am – 12pm or 1pm – 3pm
Join us for a free Financial Aid Workshop from 12pm – 1pm
freecollegefair.eventbrite.com

- 6 College Success Centers launched across Newark by RU-N's Abbott Leadership Institute, serving 400 students since 2015
- 1,200 Newark students in Mayor's Summer Youth Employment Program
- City-wide college fair
- NCLC Leadership Institute monthly workshops on academic and soft skills
- 8-Week SAT prep course taken by 125 local students
- Monthly professional development for Newark guidance counselors at all 16 Newark Public Schools high schools
- Parent engagement & FAFSA completion
- 200 students annually in College Freshman Institute

Pre-College to College Pathways

Pathways to Achievement & Success

- Youth empowerment through creative place-making
- 3D design, photo portraiture, printmaking, theater, gallery curation, public speaking
- Goal mapping, SAT prep, college advising
- Initial cohort of 150 10th graders; 600 by year four

THE KRESGE FOUNDATION

- Blended cohort of 50: traditional 10th graders & opportunity youth 16-24
- Mapping individualized paths to college/career development
- Saturday Academies social justice curriculum supports youth voice, empowerment, development of global perspective on justice and citizenship: life planning, self-awareness, leadership, Newark history, advocacy
- Grow to 200 participants by year four

PAS students learning 3D design
at Express Newark



FORDFOUNDATION

Mobilizing for Anchor Engagement



**Cornwall
Center for
Metropolitan
Studies**

IMPROVEMENT
IN ACTION



YouthBuild “Opportunity Youth”



Rutgers CLiME
Center on Law, Inequality & Metropolitan Equity

**Fair Housing Under The Mt. Laurel Doctrine Is
Resurrected In New Jersey**

**Issues Brief: Child Poverty In Essex County,
2000-2015**

Dispatches From Terrell Homes

CARDOZO
LAW REVIEW



**The Constitutionality of Racially
Integrative Purpose**

Elise C. Boddie
Rutgers Law School

Assuring Access, Cultivating Talent

RU-N Talent & Opportunity Pathways

RU-N to the TOP

- Newark residents with household adjusted gross income (AGI) is \$60,000 or less AND students transferring to RU-N with associate's degree from NJ county college, and whose household AGI is \$60,000 or less: scholarships covering 100% of undergraduate tuition & fees (after federal, state, and external scholarships have been awarded).
- All students admitted to RU-N's Honors Living-Learning Community (HLLC) receive 100% residential scholarships covering the full cost of room and board.

Impact to Date

- Undergraduate enrollment up 13.2% since 2013
- 825 RU-N to the TOP scholars in 2016-17
- Newark resident enrollment up 23% from 2015, 47% from 2013
- NJCC transfer enrollment up 21% since 2013
 - 43% of NJCC transfers are from Essex, Hudson & Passaic CCs

Honors Living-Learning Community

A state-of-the-art facility serving upwards of 500 first-and second-year students; dining, recreational, and academic space; curricular themes of "Local Citizenship in a Global World;" and increased enrollment of the talented students from Greater Newark, as they live and learn at RUN with students from all over the world.

HLLC Entering Class 2016

- 60 students; 38 first-year, 22 transfer
- 52% from Newark
- 86% students of color
- 47% first-generation college-going
- Includes students who are parents, formerly incarcerated, formerly homeless, formerly in foster care

Places of Collaboration



P3: A Collaboratory for Pedagogy, Publicly Engaged Scholarship & Professional Development

Fit out Dana Library's third floor to support the emerging new professoriate, from preparation of graduate students for diverse career trajectories, through identification and recruitment of promising scholars, providing the best supports for a successful career to retirement and even emeriti engagement:

- Experimental classrooms
- Resource library
- Leading-edge instructional technology
- Seminar/conference rooms for professional development

Publicly Engaged Scholarship: Recursive Benefits



**Significant
societal
problems
cannot be
solved without
full inclusion**

**Inclusion
will result
in better
scholarship
and a better
society**



**Higher education
– community
engagement
focused on locally
manifested global
problems is a
good way to
realize full
inclusion**

