

# SOCIAL WORK LEAD 2021

## Save the Date & Start to Plan!

- **WHAT:** Legislative Education & Advocacy Day (LEAD) is an opportunity for social work students from across New York State to advocate with government in support of issues critical to the social work profession & the communities we serve. Usually we meet in Albany. Due to COVID19, LEAD will involve a series of virtual events this year.
- **WHY:** To Advocate for Racial Justice, by supporting the Racial Equity Bill S8209 (Kennedy)/ A10319 (People-Stokes)
- **WHEN:** Kick-Off Event, Tuesday, March 2, 2021, 9:30am-12pm
- **WHERE:** Online, through a series of Virtual Events! More info to come!
- **HOW TO GET INVOLVED:**
  - Identify a staff/ faculty member to serve as the LEAD liaison for the 2021 event. Email liaison's name and contact info to [kathryn.krase@yu.edu](mailto:kathryn.krase@yu.edu)
  - Inform your students about the event, and prepare them to participate in the virtual event
  - Is your social work program planning a virtual Social Work Month or LEAD/Policy-related event that you would like to open up to social work students-at-large? Let us know! We'd love to help spread the word for you!
- **HOW TO REGISTER STUDENTS:** Information to follow about how students register for individual events.
- **QUESTIONS?** Contact the LEAD Planning Team

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