



# NEW YORK STATE MY BROTHER'S KEEPER INITIATIVE

REGENTS WORKGROUP ON IMPROVING OUTCOMES FOR BOYS AND YOUNG MEN OF COLOR

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PROGRAM UPDATES

STATUS OF PROGRAM EVALUATION



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# NEW YORK CITY MBK ON BROADWAY

**NYS MBK Objective:** To ensure equitable access to high quality schools and programs



NYC MBK students and mentors visit Broadway to see Thoughts of a Colored Man.



Guests were treated to a panel discussion on the business of Broadway.

# EXPANDING MBK

**NYS MBK Objective: To improve opportunities and outcomes for boys and young men of color**



Schenectady CSD relaunched its MBK initiative and unveiled its logo.



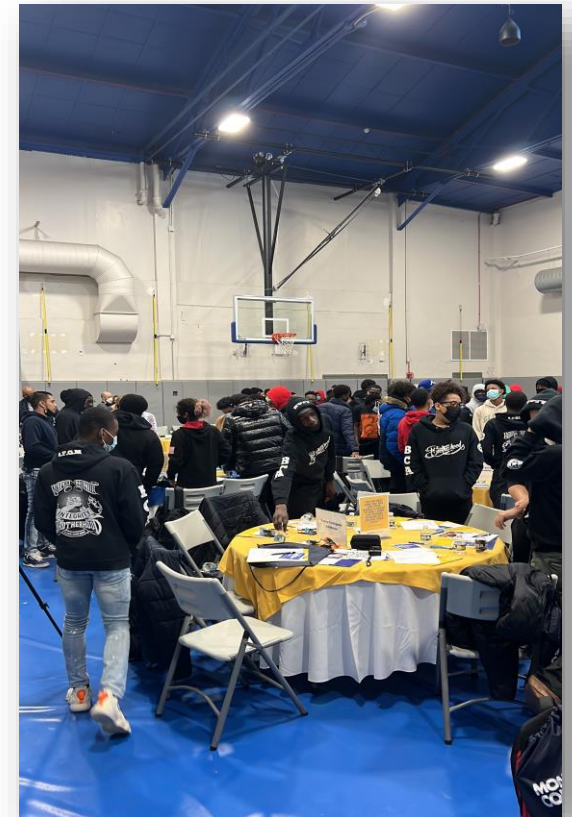
Elmont, Uniondale, Sewanhaka, and Roosevelt school districts, all in Nassau County Long Island, became NYSED MBK Communities.

# MBK (TOC II) IN THE BRONX

**NYS MBK Objective: To increase the participation rate of historically underrepresented and economically disadvantaged individuals in teaching careers**



**MONROE  
COLLEGE**




# ELITE COLLEGE ESSAY WRITING MASTERCLASS

**MBK National Objective: Graduating from high school ready for college and career**



MBK Fellows with then Regent Young at the first leadership retreat

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**For HS Seniors in NYSED approved MBK Communities**

**TOPICS:**  
The WHY of college essays  
The FOUR Secrets of an ELITE Essay  
Selecting a writing prompt  
Plus so much more!

**ELITE College Essay Writing Masterclass**  
Part 1 October 13, 2021 5-7 PM  
Part 2 October 20, 2021 5-7 PM  
Via ZOOM


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# MBK FELLOWS *WHEN I WAS PUERTO RICAN* MASTERMIND

**NYS MBK Objective: Using differentiated approaches based on need and culture**

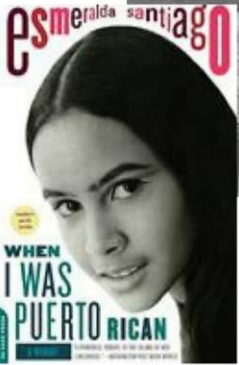


MBK Students at the NYS Legislature





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**THURSDAYS  
AT 6**  
January 13, 20, 27th  
and  
February 3, 10th



MBK Fellows Mastermind on  
***When I Was Puerto Rican***

ZOOM link provided by your  
MBK Community Coordinator



# TEACHER OPPORTUNITY CORPS II (TOC II) STATEWIDE MEETING

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## 17 Colleges and Universities



TOC II students at Teachers College with their mentor Dr. Yolanda Sealey-Ruiz



SUNY Oswego TOC II students bonding outside of the classroom



# CUNY EVALUATION RESEARCH OBJECTIVES



**Identify and assess student outcomes.**



**Identify where to **build on success** and make improvements.**



**Review effectiveness of program administration.**



**Explore strategies for improved student outcomes.**

# MBK SYMPOSIUM

## Gathering of MBK Communities to:

Hear insights and perspectives from the students

Highlight best practices from local, state, and national leaders

Inspire participants to improve opportunities and outcomes for boys and young men of color

Induct the 2022 MBK Fellows



Dr. Lester W. Young, Jr.  
Chancellor  
NYS Board of Regents



Hon. David Banka  
April 28th Keynote



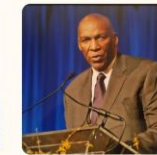
Principal Kafele  
April 29th Keynote



Dr. Betty A. Rosa  
Commissioner  
NYS Education Dept



Dr. Ghody  
Muhammad



Dr. Alfonso Wyatt



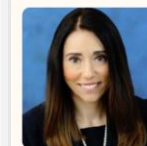
Dr. Anael Alston



Anibal Soler



Induction of  
2022 MBK Fellows



Jolene T. DiBrango



Dr. Monique  
Darrisaw-Akil



Dr. Eddie Ferguson



Dr. Pedro Noguera



Dr. Ron Ferguson

2022 VICE CHANCELLOR EMERITA  
ADELAIDE L. SANFORD SCHOLARSHIP AWARDS





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