



Be a Career Mentor in LEAP's Summer Work Program!

Looking for a virtual summer community engagement opportunity that is sure to have a positive impact? Want to help youth explore their interests and develop their goals? Then, look no further! This summer, partner with LEAP for our Summer Work Program, and serve as a career mentor to empower students to achieve social and economic mobility!

Interested?

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THE CAREER MENTOR EXPERIENCE:

- Work 1-1 with a mentee to develop a career-based learning project
- Share your expertise and provide insight into a career field
- Help cultivate workplace skills
- Build a lasting professional connection with a mentee
- Prior to the program, all matched mentors will participate in a training

THE MENTEE EXPERIENCE:

- Develop and present a learning project aligned with individual career interest
- Match career goals with strengths and values
- Participate in weekly workplace readiness workshops
- Expand your social network and build your social capital

THE MENTORING SESSIONS:

- From July 6th to August 12th, meet weekly for about 60-minutes
- During these "Lunch & Learns," work together on the project by researching the given topic, discussing what real-world need exists in that career field, and developing an end-presentation
- Use weekly discussion plans provided by LEAP to guide the meetings
- To prepare, the mentor may spend between 30-minutes to an hour (totaling a rough 2-hour weekly commitment), while the mentee will work 8-12 hours per week

WHO ARE THE STUDENTS AND HOW ARE THEY MATCHED?

- The program is free and open to all local high school students; however, we are targeting students from underserved populations, such as those who may be first-generation-to-college or economically disadvantaged
- The mentor is matched with a student who has similar career interests

Have questions? Reach out to LEAP's Career & Outreach Coordinator (Madison Seligman) at mseigman@leap4ed.org

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