

The Realization Project

Cohort 2 Fellowship

(October 1 2021 - May 30, 2022)

The RP Fellowship features a Fall and Spring Colloquium. These learning experiences are designed to empower young adults to fulfill their visions for success in work and life by securing sustaining employment, viable housing, and a renewed sense of self-worth.

Col·lo·qui·um *noun* /kə'lōkwēəm - a seminar series dealing with a current, cutting-edge concern

Learning Objectives

The overall purpose of the Fall Colloquium is for participants to enhance their sense of clarity, confidence, and motivation **to identify and secure stable employment and housing.**

Fall Colloquium Participants Will:

- Demonstrate initiative in creating solutions to identified employment barriers.
- Establish goals and strategies that support employment, learning, and healing.
- Apply proven principles and competencies to obtain employment and achieve goals.

The 4 primary learning areas are:

1. Employment Qualification
2. Goals & Accountability
3. Financial Literacy
4. Fitness & Wellbeing

Schedule (unless otherwise expressed in writing):

Fall 2021 Oct 9 - Nov 18, 2021

Mondays and Wednesdays 5:00-6:30pm (Virtual; Cameras on)

<https://zoom.us/j/7884794432?pwd=djBLSEpCajc1TWpxYmZZYm1KOHhmZz09>

Meeting ID: 788 479 4432

Passcode: 2021

Saturdays 9:00-10:30am (IRL)

LBCC LAC Campus - Veterans Stadium North Lawn

5000 E. Lew Davis Drive

Long Beach, CA 90808

Rules for Realization

- I. Arrive early
- II. Think big
- III. Keep learning
- IV. Write your goals
- V. Speak truth in love
- VI. Live within your means
- VII. Work hard
- VIII. Keep your word
- IX. Make no excuses
- X. Celebrate others' wins

Expectations for Project Staff

- Maintain an environment of safety and respect, where all voices are heard.
- Facilitate an effective learning environment through activities, discussions, and other presentations.
- Remain available to meet with participants before and after class as required.
- Provide timely disbursement of available resources including housing assistance

Expectations for Intensive Colleagues

- Maintain commitment to sobriety and success
- Prioritize meeting attendance and participation.
- Complete brief reading and writing assignments
- Ask for help when there is a question or problem.
- Actively pursue goals.

Attendance Policy

Any student missing more than 4 sessions may be withdrawn from the project.

Realization Fellowship Participant Agreement

The following criteria/agreements were established to guide the process and mutual understanding

between participants and Realization Project staff for the Cohort 2 Fellowship (October 1 2021 - May 31, 2022. The Project will provide agreed upon housing support, mental health resources, and employability training. To participate in the summer intensive program, you must understand and abide by the agreements reported in this document.

As a participant in the Realization Project Fellowship (Cohort 2), I agree to:

- Commit to a process of learning and growth
- Maintain attendance and punctuality
- Complete assignments related to achieving personal goals for work, housing, education, and wellbeing
- Demonstrate steady progress toward sustainable housing or other goals
- Acknowledge areas for growth, feedback, and accountability from staff and participants
- Professionally advocate for oneself and others.
- Display curiosity: seek out opportunities to learn and advance
- Establish, maintain, and/or leverage relationships with people who can help one professionally.
- If you will be late or absent from a meeting and/or class, please inform ERt staff at least 24 hours in advance to be allowed an excused absence.
- The Realization Project director may remove any participant from the program for violence against participants or staff, drug abuse, excessive absences or tardies, lack of engagement in the employment process, not following this agreement, or other reasons deemed reasonable by the project staff. Unholding common humanity and civility

I have read, understand, and agree to abide by the terms of this agreement.

Participant Signature



October 9, 2021

Project Staff