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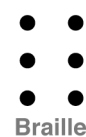
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Hours:
Monday, Tuesday, Thursday & Friday
9:00 am – 5:00 pm
Wednesday
10:00 am – 6:00 pm



Linking Employment, Academics & Disability Services at Hunter College

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Helping Students with Disabilities Succeed since 1988

WHAT IS THE LEADS PROJECT?

LEADS is a unique partnership between the City University of New York (CUNY) and Vocational & Educational Services for Individuals with Disabilities (VESID) created to provide students with disabilities at Hunter College with the skills to make realistic academic and career choices that will result in successful career outcomes.

In collaboration with the Office of AccessABILITY, VESID assists students to define a career goal and based on the student's financial status, provide funding for tuition, book vouchers, transportation assistance, job placement and much more.

GOALS OF THE PROJECT

- Establish itself as a national model of collaboration between the university and the state vocational rehabilitation agency.
- Serve as a best practices demonstration project and a training resource for the development of programs that prepare students with disabilities for realistic and successful employment outcomes.

ELIGIBILITY

Hunter students with disabilities who are currently registered in degree or non-degree programs are encouraged to inquire about the program.

There are no fees for the program and participation is voluntary.

SERVICES

- **Major Counseling**
- **Career Counseling**
- **Job Seeking Skills**
- **Job Placement Assistance**
- **Training Regarding ADA/504**
- **Internship Assistance**

This new and exciting program is free for all eligible students.

STUDENTS' RESPONSIBILITIES

- Students must submit medical, educational or psychological documentation regarding their disabilities or medical conditions.
- Students must have a realistic career goal.
- Students are responsible to complete the appropriate documentation to determine eligibility for project as provided by the LEADS Counselor.
- Students must meet with the counselor on an ongoing basis.

WORKSHOPS

Students will have the opportunity to explore career options and learn how to successfully partake in the job search process. The LEADS Project is available for qualified students with disabilities at no cost. All services are totally free and confidential. To find out if you are eligible for this opportunity, stop by the Office of AccessABILITY and meet with the LEADS counselor.

Workshop topics include:

- **Résumé/Cover Letter Writing**
- **Interview Skills**
- **Dress for Success**
- **Picking a major/career choice**
- **Completing a Job Application**
- **Creating a Job Portfolio**

SCHEDULING AN APPOINTMENT

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or call to schedule an appointment with Patricia:(212) 650-3580
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