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Welcome to the New AAUW Empire State NYC Branch!

Members of the New AAUW Empire State NYC Branch meet the 1st Friday of each month at the Harvard Club in NYC from 5:30 pm to 7:00 pm to discuss current issues related to women's education and other issues. Please join us for drinks and conversation.

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The Harvard Club, 35 W 44th Street, New York, NY 10036

## Closing the Pay Gap with AAUW



We are working to empower women nation-wide with skills to effectively negotiate their salary and benefits and become agents of change in their communities. **Attend AAUW's online or in person workshops**, bring an AAUW salary negotiation training to your community, or share our programs and become an advocate for equal pay. To start your free online salary negotiation workshop, click on the link: <https://salary.aauw.org/>

Our next in person workshop will be held at the New York Institute of Technology on Thurs. Feb. 20, 2020 from 12:30 pm to 2:30 pm. To register click on [https://www.nyit.edu/events/aauw\\_work\\_smart\\_salary\\_negotiation\\_workshop](https://www.nyit.edu/events/aauw_work_smart_salary_negotiation_workshop)

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## A LETTER FROM THE EMPIRE STATE VIRTUAL BRANCH PRESIDENT, MARIA ELLIS



Dear Friends,

As we start the year 2020, I am pleased to share with you that AAUW continues to be committed to train 10 million women in salary negotiation by 2022. Therefore, the Empire State NYC Branch Leadership is working with the New School and the New York Institute of Technology to teach Start smart/Salary Negotiation workshops in the Spring and the Fall semesters.

We encourage you to attend our online or in person workshops, bring an AAUW salary negotiation training to your community, or share our programs and become and advocate for equal pay. Our next in person workshop will be held at the New York Institute of Technology on Thurs. Feb. 20, 2020 from 12:30 pm to 2:30 pm. For more information email mellis@fsacap.com. To start your free online salary negotiation workshop, click on the following link: <https://salary.aauw.org/>

The Empire State NYC Branch continues to promote education and pay equity for women and girls and creating interesting mission-based programs. I am pleased to report that are now holding our monthly in person meetings at our AAUW NYC Fellows' workplace and we are being hosted by companies such as Google and Goldman Sachs. If you have not yet renewed your membership or want to become a member, please join us by clicking on the link below:

[https://svc.aauw.org/RECore/wMembership/NewJoinBranch\\_Enter.asp?branchid=NY2091](https://svc.aauw.org/RECore/wMembership/NewJoinBranch_Enter.asp?branchid=NY2091)

I would like to thank our Communications Committee for continuing to work on creating a series of AAUW NYC Fellows video library and plan to film five videos. Let us know if you would like to join our social media team to help us with content for our website, U-Tube, Facebook, Instagram, etc. Please see the current videos available to share.

[https://drive.google.com/file/d/1KV-vtFIECnl7Pp4HmMO7hDqKlx\\_cqLs/view](https://drive.google.com/file/d/1KV-vtFIECnl7Pp4HmMO7hDqKlx_cqLs/view)

In closing, I would like to invite you to join us at our next EYO Planning meeting which will be held on Tues. Jan. 28<sup>th</sup> from 5:30 pm to 7 pm. Also, you are welcome to join us for drinks and a piano concert at the Harvard Club on Friday, Jan. 31<sup>st</sup> at 6:30 pm. Space is limited. Please RSVP asap.

All the very best,

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To become a member or to renew your membership click on the link below.

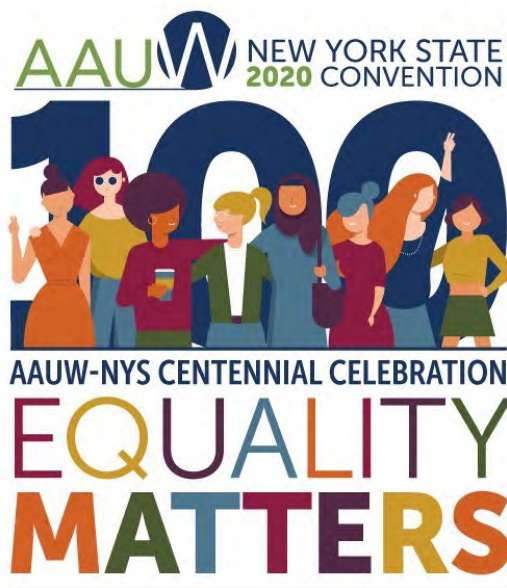
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## AAUW-NYS Centennial Lapel Pins!



To celebrate both our centennials (AAUW-NYS and WOMENS' SUFFRAGE), we are offering centennial lapel pins. There is a limited number of the pins, and sales at our introductory price of \$75 end January 30.

## 2020 AAUW-NYS Convention



SAVE the DATE: AAUW-NYS Convention

April 24-26, 2020, Rochester, NY

Conventions provide an opportunity to vote on state officers, build awareness about AAUW and its mission, and meet members from across the state.

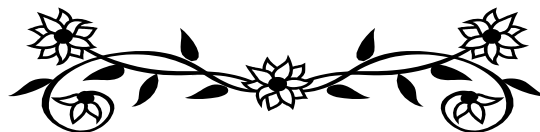
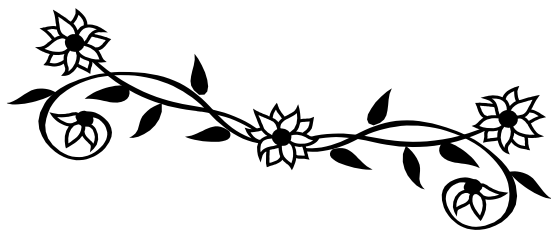
## 2020 AAUW-NYS Summer Leadership Conference

SAVE the DATE

2020 NYS Summer Leadership Conference

July 2020

Cazenovia College, Cazenovia, NY



Fall Outing with our College of Mount Saint Vincent Mentees!



Black Rock Forest  
Cornwall, NY  
Sunday, October 13, 2019



Empire State NYC Branch hosting  
the College of Mount Saint Vincent  
Mentees for a XMAS Concert &  
Dinner at the Harvard Club,  
Monday, December 9, 2019!



## Empire State NYC Branch Leadership and AAUW NYC Fellows Meeting at Google in NYC, Tuesday, November 12, 2019



AAUW Partnership with Google & EYO STEM Program

AAUW NYC Fellows: Valerie Streit, Jessica Sims; Estelle Kone, Danielle Guindo, Read Alliance; Whitney Oriana; Emmelina De Feo  
Maria Ellis, Empire State NYC Branch President, EYO Co-Director  
Lorrin Johnson, EYO Co-Director; Dr. Rani, Empire State NYC Branch Treasurer

## Empire State NYC Branch Leadership and AAUW NYC Fellows Meeting at Goldman Sachs in NYC, Tuesday, December 10, 2019

AAUW Partnership with Goldman Sachs & EYO STEM program



AAUW Empire State NYC Leadership: Estelle Kone, Emmelina De Feo, Maria Ellis, Jessica Sims; C.S. Rani

EYO Planning Meeting at the College of Mount Saint Vincent



Maria Ellis, Jessica Sims; Lorrin Johnson, Susan Appel, Dr. Rani

Westchester & Empire State NYC Branch  
Members EYO Planning Meeting at  
the College of Mount Saint Vincent  
Friday, December 13, 2019  
12:00—2:00 p.m.

Empire State NYC Branch Attending the SUNY New Paltz Global Summit in NYC



SUNY New Paltz Global Summit  
New York, NY  
Wednesday, December 11, 2019

