

# Helping You Earn a College Education

## AFSCME and the National Labor College

### What is the National Labor College?

The National Labor College (NLC) is the nation's only accredited higher education institution devoted exclusively to educating union members and activists like you. The NLC and AFSCME have formed a partnership that can help you jump start or complete your college education.

### NLC Degree Programs

The National Labor College degree programs provide:

- Labor-based curricula designed to meet your needs as a union leader.
- Low residency, flexible format so you can earn while you learn.
- Credit for prior learning, military service and other training.

### The AFSCME – NLC Connection

The NLC recognizes AFSCME's high quality, rigorous training programs as an integral part of its degree program. Union members enrolled in the AFSCME training programs listed below may be eligible to earn up to 15 college credits that count toward a NLC degree.

### Take an AFSCME Course and Gain College Credit

If you are enrolled in or have taken any of the following AFSCME training programs, you may be well on your way to earning your Bachelor's degree:

- Member Educator Program (4 credits)
- Volunteer Member Organizer (1 credit)
- Stewards in Action (1 credit)
- Strategic Campaign Planning for Building a Stronger Union (1 credit)
- National Educators Exchange (1 credit)
- Public Speaking (1 credit)
- Co-Creating Mobilizing Education (1/2 credit)
- Safe Jobs: Health & Safety Training (1/2 credit)

### AFSCME Scholarships Available for NLC Degree Programs

AFSCME members and staff enrolled in the National Labor College Bachelor's degree may be eligible for a *Nadra Floyd Memorial Scholarship* worth up to \$2,000 per year. Full-time AFSCME local, council or international staff and local union officers and staff with substantial organizing responsibilities may qualify for a \$10,000 *Joey Parisi Memorial Scholarship*.

For more information, contact:

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