



College Connections Project  
Manhattan Educational Opportunity Center  
163 West 125th Street, Room 1412  
New York, NY 10027

**Call today!**

212-961-4333

Meetings by appointment only.

[www.meoccollegeconnections.org](http://www.meoccollegeconnections.org)  
[www.man.eoc.suny.edu](http://www.man.eoc.suny.edu)  
[collegeconnections@man.eoc.cuny.edu](mailto:collegeconnections@man.eoc.cuny.edu)



THE STATE UNIVERSITY OF NEW YORK  
Manhattan Educational Opportunity Center

# COLLEGE CONNECTIONS PROJECT



**“I wanted to go to college, but I didn’t know what questions to ask. Then I found the College Connections Project.”**  
*--Nurise M., Enrolled at LaGuardia Community College*

## The CCP at the MEOC

The College Connections Project provides comprehensive college access services to New York City adults. The CCP aims to inspire, motivate, and empower non-traditional adult students to seek higher education.

The CCP is a TRIO Educational Opportunity Center program funded by the US Department of Education and based at the Manhattan Educational Opportunity Center (MEOC). The MEOC is administered by Borough of Manhattan Community College and offers adult education programs, including ESL, HSE, and a College Prep program, at no cost.

## Our Services

- One-on-One College Advising
- Financial Aid Application Assistance
- College Planning Workshops
- CUNY Assessment Test Preparation
- College Application Fee Waivers  
(Eligibility limited)

## Results

- 1,000 students participate in CCP advising and workshops each year (39% have prior college credits).
- More than \$3 million in financial aid is awarded to CCP participants annually.
- 64% of CCP college-going participants enroll at CUNY community colleges. Other popular choices are CUNY senior colleges and SUNY Empire State College.



**“My dreams of going to college became a reality with the help of the MEOC College Connections Project.”**

*–Yvonne R., Enrolled at SUNY Empire State College*

## Getting Started

Call 212-961-5853 or email [collegeconnections@man.eoc.cuny.edu](mailto:collegeconnections@man.eoc.cuny.edu) to schedule an advising appointment.

Visit [www.meocollegeconnections.org](http://www.meocollegeconnections.org) to register for a workshop.

## Eligibility

- Age 19 or older
- Citizen, legal permanent resident, or eligible non-citizen
- New York City address
- Not currently in college