

# EDUCATION FELLOWSHIP

“This Education Fellowship aligned with my goals to expose, educate, and empower everyone in my community. I love giving back to my community because the community is me.”

— Robert ('23 ED Fellow)



**100%**  
of past & current  
fellows receive career  
advising & assistance.

### Workshop Topics may include:

- Restorative Justice practice in school and communities
- Education Policy & Advocacy
- Community Development & Action
- Leadership, Change & Improvement in Education
- Adult Literacy & Public Libraries Education Programs
- Educational Technology & Digital Citizenship
- Curriculum & Racial Justice in the education space.

## About the BPI Education Fellowship

The BPI Education Fellowship is an academic and professional development program to prepare formerly incarcerated individuals to become leading professionals in the educational space.

The BPI Education Fellowship is a professional development program that engages participants with a variety of experts and practitioners across the diverse field of education. Together, we will think through specific models for change that advocate for greater educational access and opportunity for historically underserved communities. Participants will deepen their understanding of the educational landscape through the lens of community engagement and build skills integral to this field.

### You are eligible for the BPI Education Fellowship if you are/have:

- Formerly incarcerated individual
- Completed Associate Degree
- Are employed in an education-related field or actively seeking further study or a career in education-related fields
- Proof of COVID-19 Vaccination (Required of all Bard College students and employees)

### The BPI Education Fellowship commitment includes:

- Commitment of 9 months
- Two monthly cohort-wide academic and professional development events
- Individualized instruction, advising, and one-on-one engagement with experts and practitioners
- A series of small projects that lead into the Education Symposium final project
- \$6,000 stipend disbursed quarterly



The Fellowship's tutorial model of advanced education in tandem with the cohort sessions will enable each Fellow to broaden and deepen both their general and specialized knowledge in the educational field.

**Reach out to learn more.** If you are interested in the Fellowship or would like to nominate someone, please feel free to reach out to Leslie-Ann Murray, BPI Director of Education Programs, at [lmurray@bard.edu](mailto:lmurray@bard.edu) / 845-417-9851

**Please note: This fellowship will be in-person at our New York City office for individuals residing within 90-minutes of our office.**

[Check out our website for more details.](#)