

Latino Community Stage



Workshop
Summary

My Money My Future

Workshop Description

Various life and academic goals involve financial decision making. Therefore, our relationship with money can significantly contribute to the quality of our lives. Far too often we're not taught financial skills to manage our money, which makes attempting to balance school and work very difficult to do. There is no clear guidance on steering clear of debt, personal savings, and considering loans for academic progression. Such lack of guidance and deep understanding can lead to long-term setbacks, missed opportunities, and stress. Although financial literacy is a lifelong journey, this workshop will provide practical money management strategies designed to make informed financial decisions. By the end of this workshop participants will have learned practical skills intended to prevent common pitfalls that can linger for years and prepare aspiring students for financial stability.

Target Audience

- High school, community college, and university students
- Ideal for student led clubs/orgs, nonprofits, symposiums, & conferences
- Juniors, seniors, and grad students

Primary Objective

Develop financial literacy skills designed to prevent common pitfalls and prepare students for financial stability

Our Goals

- Present better understanding of useful financial concepts and strategies
- Bring awareness of link between financial literacy and academic progression
- Provide best practices for approaching financial decision making
- Establish financial goals that are unique to each student

Desired Outcomes

- The ability to put in practice financial strategies to improve personal finances
- Increased awareness of link between financial literacy and academic progression

Topics Covered

- Understanding financial literacy
- Beyond Budgeting
- School vs. Work Balance
- The pros and cons of loans
- Common money traps
- My Money My Future

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Length of Workshop:

Workshop can be adapted to meet the needs of the group or event.

Where?

Due to covid restrictions, we are offering virtual workshops at this time. However, if your group would still like an in-person workshop at your facility, please let us know to make arrangements.

Workshop Fee:

One virtual workshop is free for the group. However, workshop series fee will depend on number of participants in cohort group and length of workshops. Program or organization is responsible for fee. All workshops are intended to be free for all students.

Book a Workshop

Contact our Event Coordinator at <https://www.latinocommunitystage.org/contactus> if you have any further questions or to book a workshop.

- Do workshop participants have to be Latino/a? Nope! Although the Latino/a population is our primary demographic, everyone is welcome to take part and contribute to workshops.

Important Notes:

- What's the process like? We keep things simple! Our event coordinator will answer any additional questions and send a simple checklist that will help organize the workshop or your event.
- Is there acting or theater involved? Why Latino Community Stage? Ah no, not at all. Much of what we do is about putting the best and brightest Latino/as on a *global stage* to celebrate their accomplishments. Take a look at LatinoCommunityStage.org.