# The Urban Male Leadership Program
# &
# CREAR Futuros Mentorship Program
# CALENDAR

## Empowerment

Leadership

Recruitment

Academic Success

Retention

Mentorship

Graduation

# Passport to Success

## August—December 2019

# The Urban Male Leadership Program

I would like to offer my most sincere and encouraging welcome to all freshmen, transfer and continuing Lehman College students.

The Urban Male Leadership Program (UMLP) at Lehman College is dedicated to the progressive development and ultimate success of all Lehman College students with an emphasis on Black and Latino males in higher education. When students participate in this energetic program, they succeed. Students strengthen their academic skills, and develop personally and professionally.

Students are able to strengthen their ***"Passport to Success***" by participating in the UMLP Circle of Support mentoring, Academic Intervention and Success counseling and workshops, as well as leadership and personal development workshops, and the annual Leadership Retreat. Those who utilize these resources offered by the UMLP are Inducted into the program as UMLP Outreach Ambassadors at the Annual Induction and Awards Ceremony. To start participating in this exciting initiative, please stop by the UMLP office located in the Old Gym Building, Suite 302.

The UMLP is committed to "***Bringing forth greatness…one student at a time."***

Ms. Carla Harris, Vice Chairman and Managing Director at Morgan Stanley with UMLP Students and Michael A. Deas, Director for the UMLP.

***Michael A. Deas, LMSW***
***Director***
***Urban Male Leadership Program***

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# AUGUST 2019

| SUN | MON | TUE | WED | THU | FRI | SAT |
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| | | | | 1 | 2 | 3 |
| 4 | 5 | 6<br>Freshman New Student Orientation: | 7<br>CDAD Advising 10:00AM-4:00PM | 8 | 9 | 10 |
| 11 | 12 | 13<br>Transfer student Orientation | 14<br>CDAD Advising 10:00AM-4:00PM ) | 15 | 16 | 17 |
| 18 | 19 | 20<br>CDAD Advising 12:00PM-6:30PM | 21<br>CDAD Advising 10:00AM-4:00PM | 22 | 23 | 24 |
| 25 | 26<br>Last day to drop with 100% tuition refund | 27<br>Fall 2019 Classes Begin | 28 | 29 | 30 | 31 |

*All program locations and times found at rear of calendar.*

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***Alade S. McKen, M.S.Ed***
***Assistant Director of the Urban Male Leadership Program***

I want to start by welcoming you all to campus and I hope you have a great academic year. Attending Lehman College allows you to grow in a safe environment and learn from some of the best faculty and staff in the nation! As the new Assistant Director of the Urban Male Leadership Program, I am here to provide you with the necessary support to help you achieve your academic and personal goals.

I am looking forward to working closely with you during your academic journey. Your active participation in our program will help enhance your personal development and prepare you for the ever-so competitive workforce. It is my hope that you accomplish your goals and make your dreams a reality during your time at this institution. Lastly, I want to thank you for making a commitment to the Urban Male Leadership Program and the overall Lehman College community by joining a community of thought leaders and trailblazers focused on self-improvement.

UMLP Male and Female Inducted Leaders at the Annual Induction and Award Ceremony

# SEPTEMBER 2019

| SUN | MON | TUE | WED | THU | FRI | SAT |
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| 1 | 2<br>**Labor Day College Closed**<br> | 3 | 4 | 5<br>**Classes Follow a Monday Schedule:** | 6 | 7 |
| 8 | 9 | 10 | 11 | 12 | 13<br>**Leadership Breakfast Retreat**<br>**NYC CREAR Futuros Kick-Off** | 14<br>**Leadership Retreat** |
| 15<br>**Leadership Retreat** | 16<br>**Financial Aid Census Date** | 17 | 18<br>**Welcome Reception: 3pm –5pm East Dining Room** | 19 | 20 | 21 |
| 22 | 23<br>**First Day of Fall** | 24 | 25<br>**CREAR Futuros Info-Session 3pm—5pm** | 26 | 27 | 28 |
| 29<br> | 30<br>Rosh Hashanah<br>**No Classes Scheduled** | | | | | |

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# HISPANIC HERITAGE MONTH
# El Mes de la Herencia Hispana
## September 15 – October 15

I am a proud Lehman Alumna, working on campus allows me to give back to the college that gave me the skills to excel. Through my time on campus, I became passionate about the issues affecting disenfranchised communities and working to eliminate socio-economic disparities. In addition, I've worked and continue to work with the Office of Community Engagement & New Student Programs, on projects that enrich the students and the surrounding community. Additionally, I have experience with mentoring, administration, community outreach, and student programs. As the new liaison for the CREAR Futuros Program at Lehman College, I am committed to the success of Latinos and all students of color.

In 1988, the celebration was expanded beyond a week and recognized as National Hispanic Heritage Month. The celebration now covers the period of September 15th to October 15th and honors the rich contribution of Latino Americans. During National Hispanic Heritage Month, let us renew our commitment to ensuring that Lehman College remains an institution where the talents and potential of all our students can be fully realized, especially within initiatives like the Urban Male Leadership Program and CREAR Futuros.

***Patricia Mendez***
***(Lehman Alumna)***
***CREAR Futuros Program Liaison***

***Samuel Polanco, CREAR Futuros Mentor and Former Governor David Patterson for New York State sharing a moment at the UMLP Awards and Scholarship Brunch.***

CREAR FUTUROS

# OCTOBER 2019

| SUN | MON | TUE | WED | THU | FRI | SAT |
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| | | 1<br>Rosh Hashanah<br>No Classes<br>Scheduled<br>14th Annual BMI<br>Conference | 2<br>Hispanic<br>Heritage Month<br>Event 9am-3pm<br>East Dining Hall | 3 | 4 | 5 |
| 6 | 7 | 8<br>Yom Kippur<br>No Classes<br>Scheduled | 9<br>Yom Kippur<br>No Classes<br>Scheduled<br>CREAR Futuros<br>NYC Latino's<br>Leaders Day | 10 | 11 | 12<br> |
| 13 | 14<br>Columbus Day<br>College Closed<br> | 15 | 16<br>Classes follow a<br>Monday schedule | 17 | 18 | 19 |
| 20 | 21<br>Mid-Term<br>Coffee Cluster<br>1pm-4pm<br>OG 302 | 22 | 23 | 24 | 25 | 26 |
| 27 | 28 | 29 | 30 | 31<br> | | |

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I believe the roles of educators and administrators are both critical and complex as we strive to provide optimal learning conditions that will enable students to self-actualize and succeed. As such, my staff works collaboratively with faculty and various administrators to remove potential barriers that may impede Lehman College students from gaining the competencies needed in their future careers. The Office of the Vice President for the Division of Student Affairs is dedicated to nurturing and promoting a student's sense of individuality and at the same time help students understand her/his inherent connection to others. It is my honor to serve as your Executive in Charge for the Division of Student Affairs. From my family to yours,

***"I wish you a Happy and Safe Thanksgiving!"***

***Dr. Stanley Bazile***
***Executive in Charge***
***The Division of***
***Student Affairs***

# NOVEMBER 2019

| SUN | MON | TUE | WED | THU | FRI | SAT |
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| | | | | | 1 | 2 |
| 3 | 4 | 5 **Election Day** | 6 | 7 | 8 | 9 |
| 10 | 11 **Veterans Day** | 12 | 13 **Final Prep Coffee Cluster 1pm-4pm OG 302** | 14 | 15 | 16 |
| 17 | 18 | 19 | 20 **Mentorship Forum** | 21 | 22 | 23 |
| | 25 | 26 | 27 **Thanksgiving College Closed** | 28 **College Closed** | 29 **College Closed** | 30 **College Closed** |

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**ON BEHALF OF THE UMLP AND CREAR FUTUROS STAFF AND STUDENTS**
**WE WISH YOU AND YOUR FAMILY A SAFE AND**
**HAPPY HOLIDAY!**

# DECEMBER 2019

| SUN | MON | TUE | WED | THU | FRI | SAT |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 **FALL FINALE 9AM-1PM EAST DINING HALL** | 7 |
| 8 | 9 | 10 | 11 | 12 **Last Day of Classes** | 13 **Final Exams** | 14 **Final Exams** |
| 15 | 16 **Final Exams** | 17 **Final Exams** | 18 **Final Exams** | 19 **Final Exams** | 20 **End of the Fall Term** | 21 **First Day of Winter** |
| 22 **HANUKKAH BEGINS** | 23 | 24 **Christmas Eve** **College Closed** | **25** **Christmas Day** **College Closed** | 26 **KWANZAA** **Begins** | 27 **College Closed** | 28 **College Closed** |
| 29 **College Closed** | 30 **HANUKKAH ENDS** | 31 **New Year's Eve** **College Closed** | | | | |

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|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| AUGUST | 6 | 9:30 a.m. – 5:00 p.m. | Freshman New Student Orientation | APEX | |
| | 13 | 12p.m. – 6:30 p.m.<br>6:00 p.m. – 9:00 p.m. | Transfer Student Central<br>Transfer New Student Orientation | Music Building, East & Faculty Dining Room | |
| | 15 | 12:30pm | Pizza Planning Summer Social Session UMLP Student | Old Gym RM 302 | |
| | 20 | | Cancellation deadline for low enrolled section | | |
| | 23 | | 2nd Cancellation for enrollment through August 20th | | |
| | 26 | | Last day to drop with 100% tuition refund | | |
| | 27 | | Fall 2019 Classes Begin | | |
| SEPTEMBER | 2 | | Labor Day No Classes | College Closed | College Closed |
| | 5 | 3:00pm-5pm | AIS Mentoring Workshop | Old Gym Rm 302 | |
| | 5 | | Classes Follow a Monday Schedule | | |
| | 13 | 3pm—5pm<br>11:00 am—2:00pm | UMLP Welcome Reception<br>CREAR Futuros NYC Kick-Off | Music Building | East Faculty Dining Room |
| | 13—15 | | Leadership Retreat | Edith Macy Conference Center | Briarcliff Manor, NY |
| | 17-19 | | Graduation application period for the Jan/Feb 2020 class | | |
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| | 20 | | Mentoring Workshop | TBA | TBA |
| | 24 | 1pm-2:30pm | CREAR Futuros info session | TBA | TBA |
| | 28 | 1pm-2:30pm | CREAR Futuros info session | TBA | TBA |
| | 30 | | Rosh Hashanah<br>or Day | No Classes Scheduled | No Classes Scheduled |

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| OCTOBER | 1 | 9:00am-7:00pm | 14th Annual CUNY BMI Conference or Day | BMCC | Coach Bus/UMLP |
| | 2 | 9:00am-3:00pm | Hispanic Heritage Monthly Event | East Dining Hall | East Dining Hall |
| | 8 | | Yom Kippur | College Closed | College Closed |
| | 9 | 11:30am -2:00pm | Yom Kippur<br>CREAR Futuros Latino's Leaders Day | College Closed | College Closed |
| | 14 | | Columbus Day | College Closed | College Closed |
| | 21 | 1pm-4pm | Mid-Term Coffee Cluster | Old Gym Suite 302 | TBA |
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| NOVEMBER | 5 | | Election Day | | |
| | 11 | | Veterans Day | | |
| | | 3pm-5pm | CREAR Futuros Workshop | TBA | |
| | | 3pm-5pm | AIS Workshop | Carmen Hall, Room 210 | |
| | | 3pm-5pm | Mentoring | Carmen Hall, Room 210 | |
| | 27-30 | | Thanksgiving Holiday | College Closed | College Closed |

**Save the Date:**
**December 6, 2019**
**9am– 1pm**
**Music Building, East Dining Room**
**The Urban Male Leadership Program Fall Finale**
**Keynote Speaker**
**Assistant Minister at Abyssinian Baptist Church,**
**Reverend Rashad Raymond Moore**

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| **DECEMBER** | **6** | **9:00am-1:00pm** | **UMLP Fall Finale, Keynote Speaker Rev. Rashad Moore** | **Music Building** | **East Dining Room** |
| | **12** | | **Last Day of Classes** | | |
| | **13-20** | | **Final Exams** | | |
| | **20** | | **End of Fall Term** | | |
| | **22** | | **Hanukkah Begins** | | |
| | **24** | | **Christmas Eve** | **College Closed** | **College Closed** |
| | **25** | | **Christmas Day** | **College Closed** | **College Closed** |
| | **26** | | **Kwanzaa Begins** | **No Classes** | **No Classes** |
| | **30** | | **Hanukkah Ends** | | |
| | **31** | | **New Year's Eve** | **College Closed** | **College Closed** |

## Save the Date

## The Urban Male Leadership Program

## 4th Annual Awards

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## Scholarship Brunch

## Saturday, February 29, 2019

## 11:00am-2:00pm

## The Eastwood Manor, Bronx New York

***Contact Alade McKen, via email at Alade.McKen@Lehman.cuny.edu for more information.***

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The Urban Male Leadership Program is a collective of resources, focusing on the recruitment, retention, and graduation of college students. Students receive academic support, mentoring, and tutoring, while also participating in personal empowerment workshops, speaker series, peer study groups, alumni networking, leadership retreats, and discussion forums. We are dedicated to the success and progressive development of all Lehman students, with an emphasis on Black and Latino males. The program is open to all students and is committed to more than creating leaders; it is committed to changing lives.


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