

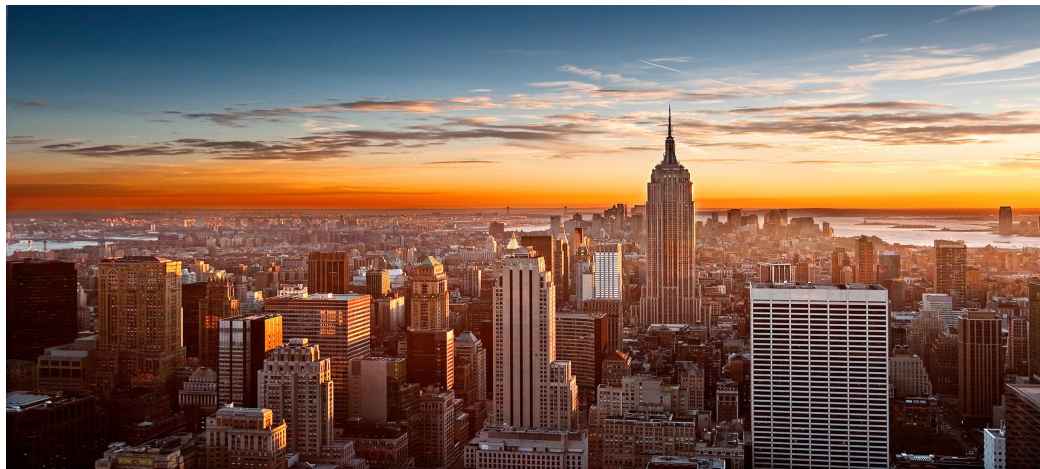
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American Society for Public Administration

March 2023



ASPA New York Metro Chapter NEWSLETTER



A MESSAGE from the CHAPTER PRESIDENT

Spring is in the air (even if we have a few days until the actual equinox! And we at the NY Metro Chapter are celebrating with our *first post-pandemic in-person membership meeting* on **Tuesday, March 21** (see [Announcements](#) below).



We also have more details on our Annual Meeting and Awards Dinner on **May 23, 2023** (save the date) at Pace University's Bianco Room from 6-8:30 p.m. (see [Announcements](#) below). Food will be served, and we're hoping to announce speakers soon. We will also be giving out our annual awards for Outstanding Practitioner, Outstanding Academic/Researcher, and Outstanding Student, with up to two winners per category. Please consider nominating yourself or others for one of these honors!

And finally, as I said last month, it's not too early to think about getting more involved with the chapter leadership. We are currently seeking roles for committee chairs and committees, and seeking nominations for President-Elect and four council seats for 2023-24 and 2023-25 respectively. We are also seeking one or two individuals to fill the roles of **Secretary** and/or **Social Media Director**. Please consider joining our group of dedicated public service professionals and educators to make the NY Metro Chapter the best it can be in '23! To nominate yourself or others, please see the contact information in the [Announcements](#) below.

See you all soon!

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads 'Ric'.

Ric Kolenda, President

ANNOUNCEMENTS

New York Metro Chapter March 2023 Membership Meeting

Our March meeting will be our first post-pandemic in-person meeting, tentatively planned for **Tuesday, March 21**. Look for more details to come, including a guest speaker announcement. Please RSVP to get your free tickets here: [Reception Tickets](#).

New York Metro April 2023 Chapter Executive Council Meeting

Our April Executive Council business meeting will be held at **7:30 p.m. on Thursday, April 20**. All ASPA members are invited. Please register to attend this Zoom meeting here: [Zoom Registration](#).

New York Metro Chapter Annual Meeting 2023

Mark your calendars, the New York Metro Chapter 2023 Annual Meeting is scheduled to be held on **Tuesday, May 23, 2023**. Meetings began in February, but it's not too late to join! Please contact Steve Rolandi, Committee Chair, at (914) 441.3399 or e-mail to: srolandi@jjay.cuny.edu or srolandi@pace.edu if you want to participate on the Committee.

Call for Nominations for Chapter Leadership

The American Society for Public Administration, New York Metro Chapter is seeking nominations for President-Elect (2023-24) and four Council members (2023-25). To learn more, please go to the [Leadership Nominations](#) page on our website, or contact Immediate Past President and Nominations Chair Ras Laurent at nominations@aspany.org.

Journal of Public Affairs Education: Call for Book Reviewers

The Journal of Public Affairs Education is dedicated to advancing teaching, learning, and scholarship in public affairs. Currently, this journal is seeking book reviewers to read and discuss major findings for selected texts in the field of public affairs/public policy. To learn more, email Dr. Rachel Emas: rachelemas@gwu.edu, or Dr. Stephanie Dolomore: stephanie.dolomore@gallaudet.edu.

If you have an announcement that you would like to share with the group in our next newsletter, please email us at info@aspany.org.

EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES

<https://aspany.org/jobs>

Government Grants Manager

Company: YWCA of Brooklyn

Location: Brooklyn, NY

Salary: \$80,000 - \$90,000

[Click here to apply](#)

Policy Associate, Law Enforcement Leaders/Justice Program

Company: Brennan Center for Justice

Location: New York, NY

Legal Advocate – Domestic Violence Advocate

Company: Urban Justice Center

Location: Temporarily remote (New York, NY)

Salary: \$46,299 - \$49,905

[Click here to apply](#)

Special Agent

Company: Federal Bureau of Investigation (FBI)

Location: Nationwide

Salary: \$78,000 - \$153,000

[Click here to apply](#)

Forensic Court Reporter (Master's Level)

Company: CASES

Location: Brooklyn, NY

Salary: \$55,000

[Click here to apply](#)

Assistant/Associate/Full Professor – Political Science (Chinese Politics)

Company: City University of New York

Location: Hunter College (New York, NY)

Salary: Assistant Professor: \$52,267 - \$90,375

Associate Professor: \$67,784 - \$107,789

Full Professor: \$83,878 - \$129,310

[Click here to apply](#)

Metropolitan Transportation Authority (MTA) Careers

Job openings: https://hcm.mymta.info/psc/HCPRD/SELFSERVICE/HXMS/c/HRS_HRAM.HRS_APP_SCHJOB.GBL?FOCUS=Applicant&FolderPath=PORTAL_ROOT_OBJECT.HC_HRS_CE_GBL2&IsFolder=false&IgnoreParamTempl=FolderPath,IsFolder

The Chief: <https://www.thechiefleader.com/job-center-exams-city-certifications/index.html>

Announcements for state and federal examinations and positions in New York City and Westchester County.

If you have an job posting that you would like to share with the group on our website and/or in our next newsletter, please email us at info@aspany.org.

FELLOWSHIP & SCHOLARSHIP OPPORTUNITIES**Empire State Fellowship Program**

The Empire State Fellows Program is a full-time leadership training program that prepares the next generation of talented professionals for careers as New York State policymakers. The incoming class of Empire State Fellows will serve from September 2023 to September 2025, and receive an annual salary of \$85,000, plus a generous benefits package. At the end of the

program.

Application: <https://www.ny.gov/new-york-state-fellowship-programs/empire-state-fellows-program>

Submission deadline: Monday, April 3, 2023, 11:59 pm

New York State Public Health Corps (NYPHSC)

The NYSPHC Fellowship Program provides full-time and part-time positions with placements at the NYSDOH, LHDs or other public health system partners. Candidates for the NYSPHC Fellowship Program include individuals with training or experience in nursing, allied health, healthcare, social services, communications, information technology, logistics, planning, education, data science, emergency health, and public health are encouraged to apply. Fellows - \$41,000; Graduate Fellows - \$54,000; and Senior Fellows: \$64,000.

Submission deadline: Open

[Click here to apply](#)

The New York State Office of the Attorney General – Undergraduate and Graduate Student Opportunities

The Attorney General serves all New Yorkers in numerous matters affecting their daily lives. The Attorney General's Office is charged with the statutory and common law powers to protect consumers and investors, charitable donors, the public health and environment, civil rights, and the rights of wage-earners and businesses across the State. In fulfilling the duties of the State's chief legal counsel, the Attorney General not only advises the Executive branch of State government, but also defends actions and proceedings on behalf of the State.

Submission deadline(s): Varies

[Click here to apply](#)

John D. Solomon Fellowship for Public Service

The John D. Solomon Fellowship for Public Service provides an opportunity for 10 graduate students in the New York City area to complete a nine-month paid fellowship at a New York City government agency or nonprofit organization.

Submission deadline: March 26, 2023

[Click here to apply](#)

Walter W. Mode Scholarship

The Mode Scholarship is awarded from a special ASPA Endowment fund named in honor of Walter W. Mode, the 30th National President of ASPA and a public administrator with a distinguished record of public service at the federal and international levels. A \$1,500 scholarship is awarded for graduate study in public administration to a student who demonstrates a commitment to a career in the public service.

This is a self-applying scholarship award for ASPA members. Nominations by non-members, or nominations on behalf other members, will not be accepted. The applicant must provide information on the following:

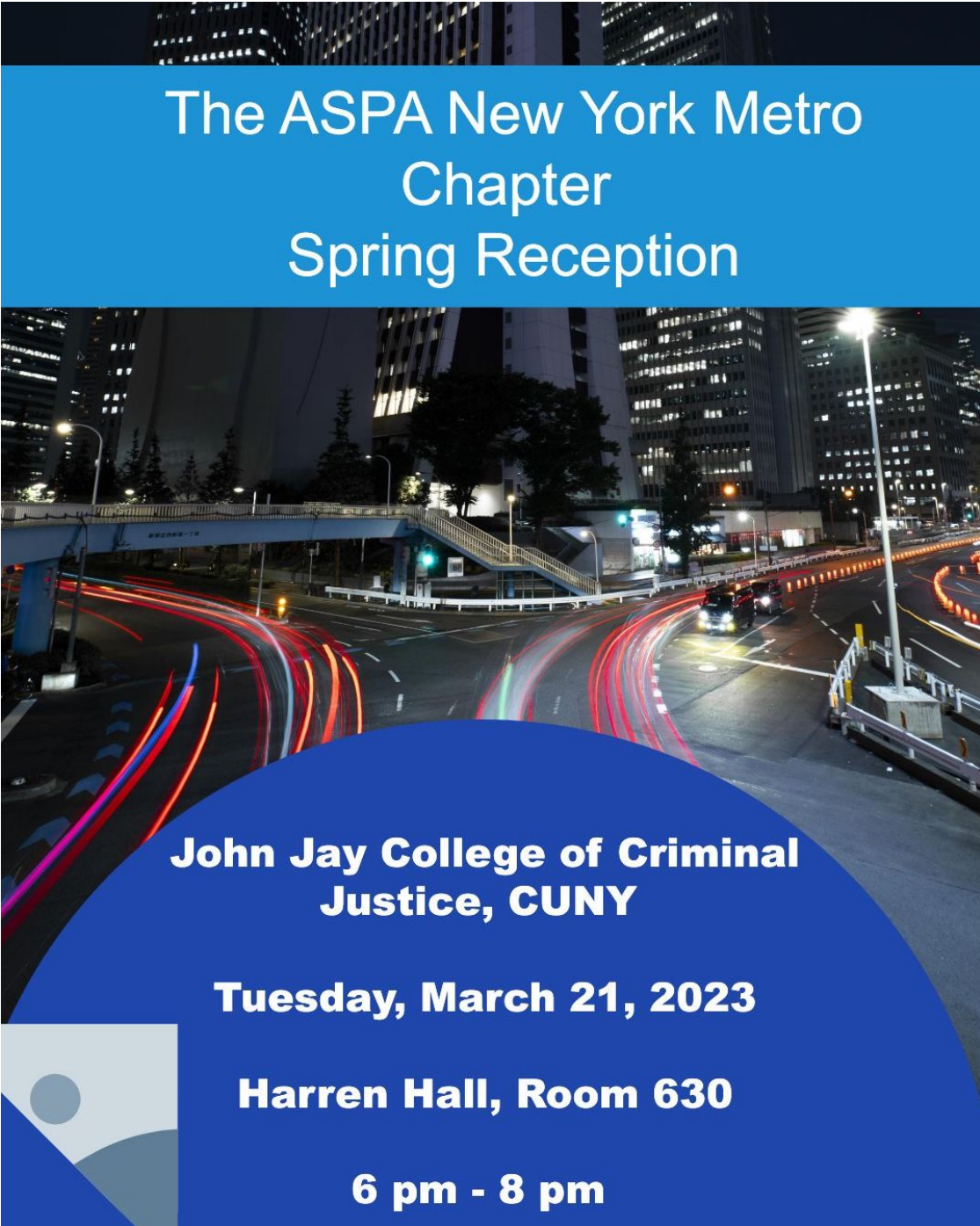
Their commitment to public service

- Information on their intended or current graduate study program
- Their educational history (names, addresses and dates of institutions attended, as well as

- Involvement/activities with ASPA at the Chapter-, Section-, Regional-, National- and/or International-level
- Community and other service activities
- Any awards, scholarships, or other special recognition and
- Other personal information the applicant may wish to share with the selection committee

Application: <https://www.aspanet.org/ASPA/Make-Connections/Awards/Walter-W-Mode-Scholarship.aspx#:~:text=Mode%2C%20the%2030th%20National%20President,career%20in%20the%20public%20service.>

Submission deadline: Open

A nighttime photograph of a city street intersection with light trails from cars. The scene is illuminated by streetlights and building lights, creating a vibrant urban atmosphere. The light trails are primarily red and white, curving through the intersection. In the background, several tall buildings are lit up, and a pedestrian bridge is visible. The overall tone is blue and white, matching the text overlay.

The ASPA New York Metro Chapter Spring Reception

**John Jay College of Criminal
Justice, CUNY**

Tuesday, March 21, 2023

Harren Hall, Room 630

6 pm - 8 pm

2023. Please join us for light snacks and reconnecting with our members and friends, public management professionals, academics and students.

You can get your free tickets here: [Reception Tickets](#)

MEMBER ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS

Our Past President, **Stephen Rolandi** (2018 - 2019), presented at the Larchmont Public Library on voter suppression, Tuesday, March 7th, 2023. During his talk, he shared the following, “Voter suppression is a strategy used to influence the outcome of an election by discouraging or preventing specific groups of people from voting. It was a critical issue in the 2022 mid-term elections and will certainly be one in 2024. Americans cherish the right to vote as a cornerstone of our democracy and constitutional republic. How did voter suppression come about? What can we as citizens do to diminish it?”

If you have an accomplishment that you would like to share with the group in our next newsletter, please email us at info@aspany.org.

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