



July 26-30, Penn State University, University Park, PA

WHAT IS THE SUMMER SCHOOL?

The 40th UALE Northeast Summer School for Union Women is a four-day residential program sponsored by the United Association for Labor Education. The school brings together rank-and-file members, staff, and officers of unions and workers' rights organizations to strengthen their knowledge and understanding of the U.S. labor movement. UALE advocates education as an essential tool to develop new activists and leaders who will grow and transform the labor movement.

THE PROGRAM

All participants will choose from workshops designed to improve leadership skills and capacities. Multi-day workshops will be offered to allow for in-depth learning experiences and practical application. The courses are designed to promote: the development of self and of relationships; organizational leadership; how labor's values and issues intersect; and an understanding of the economic and political forces shaping today's labor movement.

Summer school instructors are intergenerational pairs of union officers, staff, and labor educators from universities and unions. Throughout the week, experts on current labor issues share their knowledge and wisdom as guest speakers. Evening activities and events provide opportunities to network and have fun!

REGISTER ONLINE TODAY!

Register early, as space is limited. To register online, please visit: <http://tinyurl.com/o9n3st2>

You will receive confirmation of registration, as well as an information packet and course selection material by email. If you are unable to register online, please return the attached form with the full registration fee no later than June 26, 2015. Registrations received after June 26 will be accepted if space remains available and will be charged at \$35 late fee.

ACCOMMODATIONS AND FEES

This year's school will be hosted by the LABOR School at Penn State University and held at the University Park campus. Participants stay on campus in updated, single dorm rooms with private bathrooms. All rooms are non-smoking.

The \$565 residential fee includes tuition, housing, and meals for the four days of summer school.

The \$325 commuter fee includes tuition and two meals per day.

Penn State is accessible by car or bus. Parking on campus is available for an extra charge of \$25 for the week. Travel information will be included in your registration packet. Directions are available at: <http://tinyurl.com/o9n3st2>

Childcare may be available off-site for those who need this service. Contact Mary Bellman at mary.bellman@psu.edu for more information.

SCHOLARSHIPS

A limited number of partial scholarships are available and will be awarded based on individual need. We ask that you approach your union or central labor body to cover your registration costs before you apply for a scholarship. The scholarship form is available online or by contacting Amy Dietz at ard5@psu.edu.

CANCELLATION AND REFUNDS

All cancellations must be received in writing by letter, email or fax. Full refunds minus a \$25 cancellation are available until June 26, 2015. Cancellations made after June 26, 2015 will incur an additional \$100 charge. Registered participants who fail to cancel in writing prior to the start of the summer school and do not attend the program will not receive a refund except in extreme circumstances addressed on a case-by-case basis.

REGISTRATION

Name (First, MI, Last) _____ Union and Local or Organization: _____

Home Address:

_____ City: _____

State: _____ Zip: _____

Phone _____ Email _____

Check here if you are willing to share contact information with other participants

Special Accommodations (please describe your needs)

REGISTRATION FEE:

Residential (\$565)

Residential with Parking Pass (\$590)

Commuter (\$325)

PAYMENT:

Enclosed is a check payable to PENN STATE UNIVERSITY

Please bill my union or organization

Union contact person and address

SEND FORM AND REGISTRATION TO:

The LABOR School

The Pennsylvania State University

506 Keller Building

University Park, PA 16802

**Please return registration form and fee by
June 26, 2015**