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New York City

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VISION

To ensure that every young New Yorker reaches adulthood on a path to long-term economic security with the tools they need to build the lives they want.

OVERVIEW

The New York City design team is designing a strategy for NYC to build an infrastructure that enables equitable and effective early college programming for all students, including year 13 models. The team’s work addresses institutional and regulatory barriers to the scaling and effectiveness of early college/career pathways programming.

ORGANIZATIONS / ENTITIES REPRESENTED ON DESIGN TEAM

- The Fund for Public Schools
- The New York City Department of Education
- The City University of New York
- The Mayor’s Office of Youth Employment
- The Partnership for New York City
- ExpandED Schools
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“I felt more prepared for college and my career path because these exposure opportunities sharpened my motivation, determination, and confidence to realize my passion, while giving me the sense of what it would take for me to reach my ultimate career goal.”

— High School Student

HIGHLIGHTS

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