



The following information was recently provided to NYSTRS' participating employers. As a Retirement System delegate, it is important you are aware of these issues.

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2013 Winter-Spring Schedule of PREP Seminars

No matter how far along you are in your career, careful financial and retirement planning are critical. NYSTRS' **Pension & Retirement Education Program (PREP)** is designed to help members of all ages accomplish that. Members can tailor PREP to fit their needs by staying for the entire seminar (from 8:30 a.m. - 3:15 p.m.) or just those modules that help them the most: NYSTRS benefits; financial planning; Social Security; estate planning; retirement—a new beginning; filing for retirement; and, retirement income.

PREP seminars are free, and sessions are held throughout the year across the state. Our winter-spring 2013 PREP schedule is now available on the Retirement Planning > PREP page of our website at www.nystrs.org. Please forward this information to your staff as soon as possible so those wishing to attend can register before slots are filled. Instructions for making reservations, which will be accepted in the order they are received, are included on the schedule.

Please copy the schedule and post in locations frequented by your staff. A printable schedule is available in the electronic version of this Administrative Bulletin available on the Employers > Administrative Bulletins page of our website.

Thank you for your assistance in spreading the word about this important member program.

Delegate News dating from 2000 to the present are available on our website at www.nystrs.org. Select the Delegates tab and visit the [Delegate News](#) page.



Pension & Retirement Education Program (PREP)

No matter how far along you are in your career, careful financial and retirement planning are critical. A NYSTRS PREP seminar can help members of all ages. Tailor the program to fit your needs! Stay the full day or just attend the modules that help you most: NYSTRS benefits; financial planning; Social Security; estate planning; retirement—a new beginning; filing for retirement; and, retirement income. Seminars run 8:30 a.m. to 3:15 p.m.; registration begins at 8 a.m. There is no fee to attend and your spouse/companion is welcome to come along, but you must make a reservation in advance. *(Note: Seminars are not designed for one-on-one retirement counseling.)*

Winter-Spring 2013 Schedule of PREP Seminars

Make reservations at www.nystrs.org using your MyNYSTRS account (see the “My Tools” tab) or by calling (800) 348-7298, Ext. 6180, weekdays from 8:30 a.m. to 4:15 p.m.

ALBANY March 1 (Friday) April 9 (Tuesday) May 6 (Monday) NYSTRS Headquarters 10 Corporate Woods Drive Albany, NY 12211	FISHKILL April 19 (Friday) Ramada 542 Route 9 Fishkill, NY 12524	L.I.–RONKONKOMA March 15 (Friday) April 20 (Saturday) May 2 (Thursday) Courtyard by Marriott 5000 Express Drive South Ronkonkoma, NY 11779	ROCHESTER February 8 (Friday) April 3 (Wednesday) Radisson Hotel Airport 175 Jefferson Road Rochester, NY 14623	UTICA April 11 (Thursday) Radisson Hotel 200 Genesee Street Utica, NY 13502
BUFFALO February 9 (Saturday) Buffalo Marriott Niagara 1340 Millersport Highway Amherst, NY 14221	ITHACA February 21 (Thursday) Clarion 1 Sheraton Drive Ithaca, NY 14850	MOUNT KISCO March 23 (Saturday) April 26 (Friday) Holiday Inn 1 Holiday Inn Drive Mount Kisco, NY 10549	ROCHESTER March 9 (Saturday) Rochester Marriott Airport Hotel 1890 Ridge Road West Rochester, NY 14615	<h2 style="margin: 0;">Start Your PREP Today!</h2>
BUFFALO March 8 (Friday) April 4 (Thursday) Millennium Airport Hotel 2040 Walden Avenue Cheektowaga, NY 14225	L.I.–MELVILLE February 23 (Saturday) March 16 (Saturday) May 3 (Friday) Melville Marriott 1350 Old Walt Whitman Road Melville, NY 11747	OWEGO May 10 (Friday) Owego Treadway Inn and Conference Center 1100 State Route 17C Owego, NY 13827	SYRACUSE February 20 (Wednesday) May 9 (Thursday) Holiday Inn 441 Electronics Parkway Liverpool, NY 13088	

RESERVATIONS: When calling, you must provide your EmplID or Social Security number, address, and home phone number (and the same information for your spouse/companion if (s)he is a member and will attend too). Please bring your latest *Benefit Profile* with you to the seminar. *If you make a reservation but cannot attend, please call the number above to cancel, so we can offer this reservation to another member.*