MY VOICE, MY FUTURE



SELF-ADVOCACY SERIES

TO APPLY

APPLICATION DUE SEPTEMBER 30

October 21 - December 6, 2024 via Zoom

Connect with peers and professional mentors who are blind and visually impaired! Learn tools and ways to access your community and lead an independent life! Attend 8 out of 13 workshops and earn a prize! Bonus prizes available if you attend all 3 Empowerment Through Play workshops.

Empowerment Through Play

Learn how to take charge of your story and your life!

Orientation & Mobility/Independent Living

Learn about independent travel and living, such as navigating the airport and cooking!

Social Hour

Play games, join conversations, make friends!

Speaker Retreats

Connect with adults who are blind and visually impaired to learn about their careers and create connections.

Virtual Art Gallery Tour

Participate in a dynamic virtual tour of art made by artists with disabilities!

NATIONAL NARRATIVE WRITERS



PAID WORK-BASED LEARNING OPPORTUNITY

APPLICATION DUE SEPTEMBER 30

October 21 - December 6, 2024 via Zoom

Interview Randolph-Sheppard vending operators in multiple states in order to write narrative profiles on the operators and their businesses to be delivered across LEAP's communications' platforms – from social media, to websites, to e-newsletters. Join us to strengthen your interview and writing skills! Includes access to My Voice, My Future Workshops.

Wages: \$13.67/hour (Or at your state's minimum wage, if higher)

Skills & Qualifications:

- Independently access Zoom;
- Independently access Google Suite;
- Communicate effectively;
- Problem-solve daily challenges;
- Manage time appropriately;
- Complete and submit hiring paperwork by deadline





GAME DESIGN



UNPAID CODING CRASH COURSE

REGISTRATION DUE SEPTEMBER 23

October 21 - December 6, 2024 via Zoom

Learn game design and programming by writing and coding an accessible role playing game! Programming will be in the Quorum Programming Language, an evidence-based language designed to be inclusive and accessible. Includes access to My Voice, My Future Workshops.

Skills & Qualifications:

- Computer/laptop (Mac or Windows) that you can download software to. Tablets, phones, and Chromebooks will not work.
- Effectively use a Braille display connected to your computer or laptop, if needed.
- Possess basic typing skills, ie. finding common keys on the keyboard.



