

PROVIDING EQUITABLE INTERNET ACCESS FOR ALL NEW YORKERS



An important discussion on digital equity and New York State's plans to ensure connectivity across the Mid-Hudson region.

Join us to provide input on issues of digital equity in your area!

The STEM Alliance, in partnership with Empire State Development's ConnectALL Office, invites residents and local organizations to contribute to this public, free INTERNET AND DIGITAL EQUITY LISTENING SESSION.

ConnectALL is an initiative from Governor Kathy Hochul to deliver affordable internet access to millions of New Yorkers, bolster digital equity and transform the state's digital infrastructure.

The STEM Alliance, ConnectALL and the Mid-Hudson partners are looking to gain input from those working to close the digital divide and improve the well-being of marginalized populations including:

- Local and county government leaders
- Regional planning and economic development organizations
- Internet service providers
- Educational institutions
- Workforce development organizations
- Non-profit organizations serving vulnerable New Yorkers

This event will include a discussion of existing barriers to internet access and the resources and opportunities we need to close the digital divide.

Partners for Digital Equity in Mid-Hudson include: **Mercy College, Mid-Hudson Library System, Ramapo Catskill Library System, Southeastern New York Library Resources Council, The Stem Alliance, Westchester County Association, Westchester Digital Inclusion Coalition, and Westchester Library System**

March 24, 2023 • Time 10am – 12 noon
SUNY Purchase

Durst Family Humanities Building
735 Anderson Hill Road, Purchase, NY 10577

We invite you to participate in person or virtually.

Please register with the link or QR code below:

<https://www.eventbrite.com/e/559050062787>



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DIGITAL EQUITY is achieved when all individuals and communities have the information technology capacity needed for full participation in our society, democracy, and economy. Digital equity is necessary for civic and cultural participation, employment, lifelong learning, and access to essential services.

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