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Register Now for Student Leadership Trainings

MassAAL/MCAE Student Leadership Trainings will be held on five Thursdays to prepare adult learners for this year's Adult Literacy Awareness Day rescheduled for Thursday March 31, 2011.

- January 27, 2011
- February 3, 2011
- February 10, 2011
- February 17, 2011
- March 3, 2011

A snow date has been reserved for Thursday March 10. All trainings are from 9:15 am to 1pm and will be held in the MCAE office located at 101 Tremont Street, Suite 812, Boston, MA.

MassAAL/MCAE Student Leadership Trainings will focus on advocacy and media skill development for adult learners. A continental breakfast and light lunch will be served. The training will conclude with a trip to the State House to visit legislative offices. Adult learner leaders and accompanying practitioners are encouraged to notify local legislators of your visit on that day.

[Click here](#) for more information and the registration form. Please send the registration form to MassAAL by Fax # (617) 445-5989 or email MassAAL2011@hotmail.com.

New Date for Adult Literacy Awareness Day: Thursday March 31, 2011

Adult Literacy Awareness Day (ALAD) will be celebrated at the Massachusetts State House in the Gardner Auditorium at 11am on Thursday March 31, 2010. At the rally, speakers will include current students and graduates of adult basic education programs as well as elected officials. Before and after the rally we encourage you to plan to visit with legislators that represent adult learners from your program. Bring as many students and staff from your program as possible. To RSVP for ALAD email Teha Woodrow, MassAAL Associate at MassAAL2011@hotmail.com.

[New Post to Working Conditions Blog!](#)

Check out the latest post "Working and Learning Conditions in ABE: A graphic representation." at the Working Conditions blog "Making a Living (?) in Adult Education."

Join the conversation at "[Making a Living \(?\) in Adult Education](#)" and post your comments! Let's continue the conversation about our ABE working conditions! Poor working conditions not only impact ABE practitioners, they impact ABE students!

If you would like to submit your thoughts, send articles or posts to Working Conditions committee blogmaster Jana Pickard-Richardson (janapr02@gmail.com) or leave a comment on the blog. We're looking forward to hearing from you. [Check it out!](#)

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