

# MTB NEWS

February 2022

It takes  
MORE THAN  
BOOTSTRAPS  
to succeed



## CONGRATULATIONS!

Please join More Than Bootstraps to congratulate our High School Fellows on their college acceptances so far. We are very proud of you!

### Jennifer

Caldwell University, New Jersey City University, William Paterson University  
and Kean University

### Marisol

Montclair University and William Paterson University

### Ashley

Kean University

## LET'S BRAG!

It is a known fact that women do not brag about their accomplishments or self-promote their contributions as much as men. MTB is working to change that narrative with the young women we support. We're giving a special shout-out to **Kamila Gell**, College Student Leader, who made the Dean's List in Fall 2021.



## Learning LinkedIn

Watch as experienced LinkedIn user, Donna Vallario, helped our college student leaders and social work interns navigate the platform's features.

## It's Tax Season

Tax season is here and as you're preparing your filing documents, check out what services United Way of Northern New Jersey offers by clicking [HERE!](#)



## PRODUCTIVITY IN A PANDEMIC

It has been challenging for first-generation and first-year students who had been studying remotely for the past year and a half. Click on the video to watch our College Student Leaders discuss some of their challenges and successes of the Fall 2021 semester.



### **Bragging About Your Story/Experiences for an Interview**

#### **MTB Full Group Meeting**

February 12, 2022

10:00 - 11:00 am Full Group Meeting

### **Career Designs**

February 17, 2022

7:30-8:30 pm

### **Creating Your College List - Full Group Meeting (Juniors)**

#### **MTB Full Group Meeting**

March 5, 2022

10:00-11:00 am

### **Paying for College - Full Group Meeting (Seniors)**

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### **Recruiting New High School Fellows**

During the week of March 13, MTB will hold two remote informational meetings for interested current sophomores in the Passaic Public Schools. Stay tuned!

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