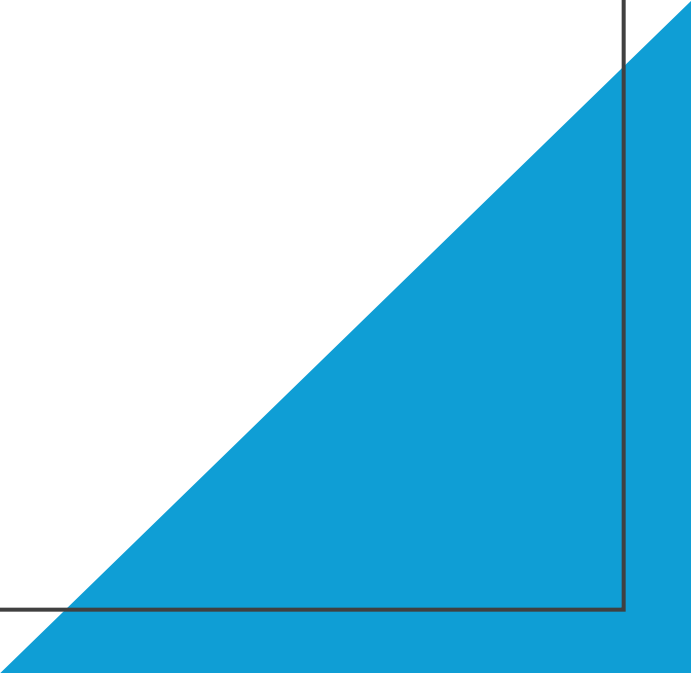


**The Staten Island
Foundation**

The Elizabeth Dubovsky Fellowship in Social Work

2025-2026 Fellowship Application Information
Session

Agenda

- Overview of The Staten Island Foundation
 - Background of the Fellowship Application and Expectations
 - Review Site Selection and Considerations
 - Q & A
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Community Agreements

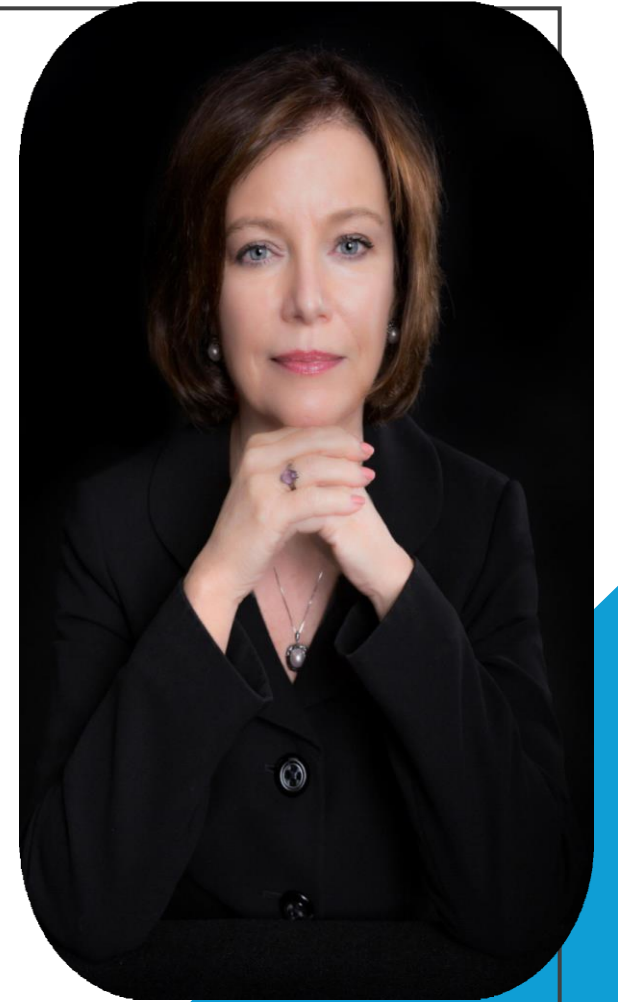
- Please feel free to...
 - Share
 - Ask questions
 - Have dialogue with us and one another!

This is not a lecture – we want to get to know one another!



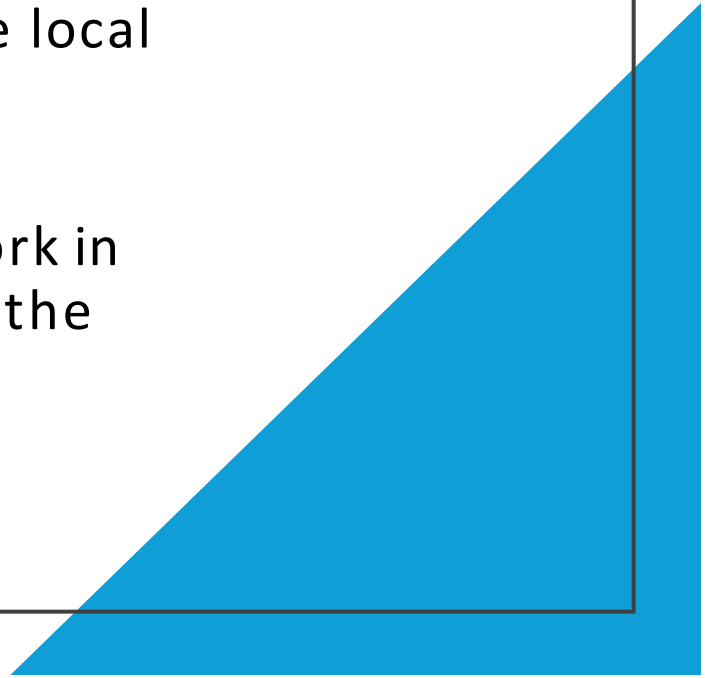
Celebrating Betsy's Legacy

- life-long learning
- empowering residents to create their own solutions to community challenges
- collaboration and thinking about systems
- diversity, equity, inclusion and belonging



Mission Statement

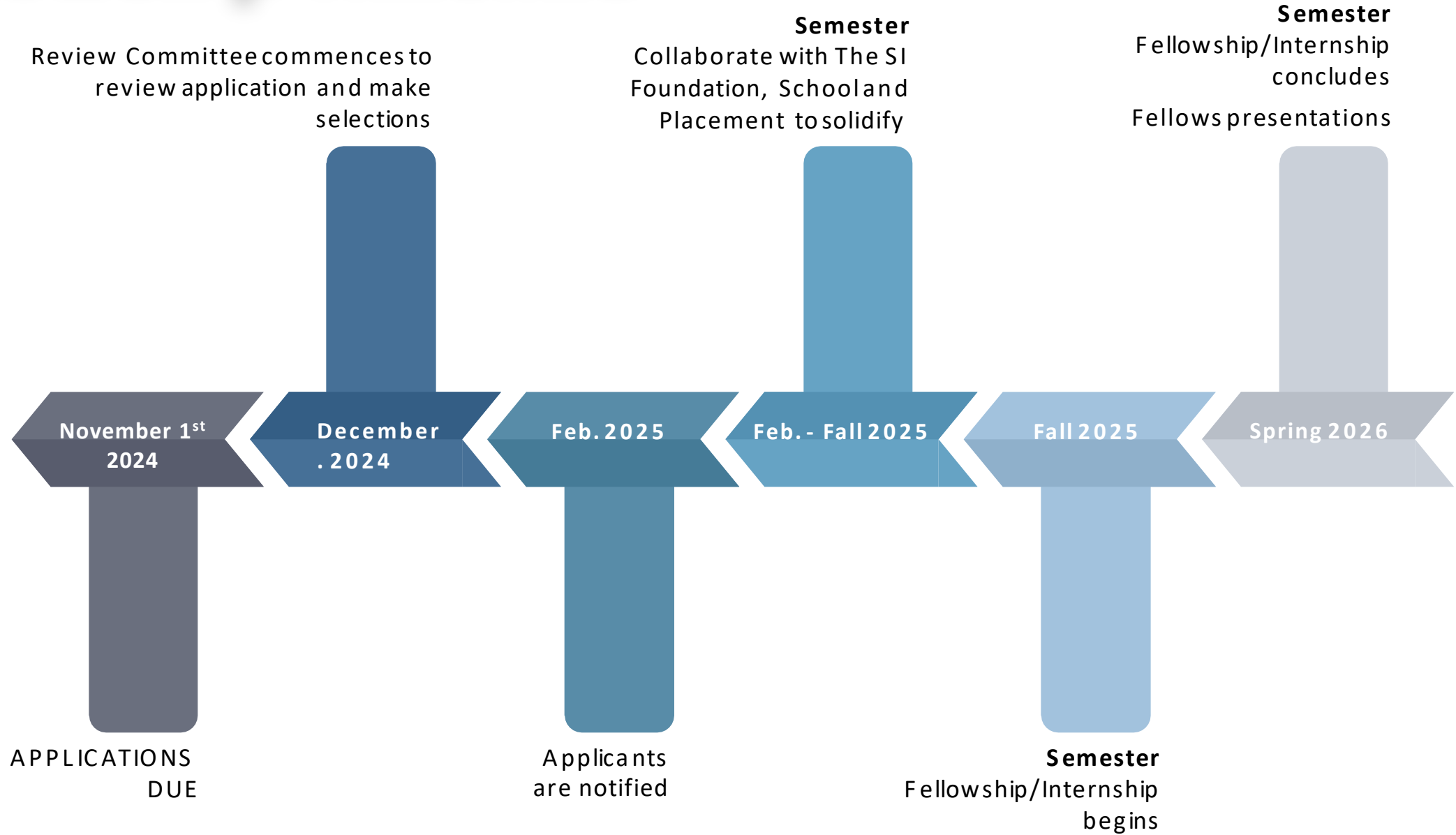
- The mission of The Staten Island Foundation Elizabeth Dubovsky Fellowship in Social Work is to strengthen the local social work field by supporting emerging professionals.
- Through the Foundation's network of nonprofits and other partners, Fellows will expand their capacity to work in collaboration with community to improve outcomes for the Staten Island residents they serve.



Fellowship Criteria

- Fellows must be currently residing in Staten Island.
- Fellows should demonstrate a commitment to continuing their career on Staten Island.
- Fellows should demonstrate an active interest in community engagement.
- Fellows must be accepted into a social work program and may be part time or full time in either an undergraduate or graduate program at the time of applying.
- Fellows must commit to a full academic year from Fall 2025 through Spring 2026.
- Fellows must only apply if they have no other source paying for time spent completing internship hours such as a grant, paid work counting as internship hours etc.
- Fellows must commit to being placed at a Staten Island non-profit organization with willingness to participate with the fellowship program and guidelines. Funding will be paid to the participating non profit internship site to pay the fellow. Funding will not be provided to the fellow directly.
- Fellows must commit to learning sessions held monthly throughout the academic year and other events including but not limited to networking conferences, press releases etc.
- Fellows must commit to submitting a final report and survey about their experience.

Fellowship Timeline



Q & A



Contact Us

If you have any questions or concerns, please contact us at:

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