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### **New York State Teachers' Retirement System**

### **Administrative Bulletin**

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### Winter/Spring 2011 <a href="Pension-&-Retirement-Education-Program">Pension & Retirement Education Program (PREP)</a>

No matter how far along you are in your career, careful financial and retirement planning are critical. NYSTRS' **Pension & Retirement Education Program (PREP)** is designed to help members of all ages accomplish that. Members can tailor PREP to fit their needs by staying for the entire seminar (from 8:30 a.m. - 3 p.m.) or just those modules that help them the most: NYSTRS benefits; financial planning; Social Security; estate planning; adjusting to your new life; filing for retirement; and, retirement income.

PREP seminars are free, and sessions are held throughout the year and across the state. Instructions for making reservations, which will be accepted in the order they are received, are included on the enclosed seminar schedule. PREP information is also available through the Retirement Planning page of our Web site at www.nystrs.org.

Please copy the enclosed PREP schedule for winter/spring 2011, and post the schedules in locations frequented by staff. We ask you to post this material as soon as possible, so those wishing to attend can register before slots are filled.

Thank you for your assistance in spreading the word about this important member program.

Enclosures

Administrative Bulletins dating from 2000 to the present are available on our Web site at www.nystrs.org. Select the Employers tab and visit the Administrative Bulletins page.



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### Pension & Retirement Education Program (PREP)

No matter how far along you are in your career, careful financial and retirement planning are critical, and NYSTRS' PREP seminar can help members of all ages. Tailor the program to fit your needs! Stay the full day or jus attend the modules that help you most: NYSTRS benefits, financial planning, Social Security, estate planning, adjusting to your new life, filing for retirement, and retirement income. Seminars run 8:30 a.m. to 3 p.m.; registration begins at 8 a.m. There is no fee to attend and your spouse/companion is welcome too, but you must make a reservation in advance. (*Note:* <u>Seminars are not designed for one-on-one retirement counseling.</u>)

### 2011 Winter/Spring Schedule

Make reservations at www.nystrs.org using the "My Tools" tab on your MyNYSTRS account or by calling (800) 348-7298, Ext. 6180, weekdays from 8:30 a.m. to 4:15 p.m.

# ALBANY February 9 (Wednesday) March 18 (Friday) April 8 (Friday) NYSTRS Headquarters

### ITHACA May 13 (Friday) The Clarion Triphammer Road & Route 13

### L.I.-HAUPPAUGE January 29 (Saturday) February 11 (Friday) Islandia Marriott Long Island 3635 Express Drive North Exit 58, LIE

#### L.I.-MELVILLE February 12 (Saturday) April 27 (Wednesday) Melville Marriott 1350 Old Walt Whitman Rd. Exit 49N, LIE

### L.I.-RONKONKOMA March 24 (Thursday) Courtyard by Marriott 5000 Express Drive South Exit 60, LIE

### L.I.-UNIONDALE January 28 (Friday) April 28 (Thursday) Long Island Marriott 101 James Doolittle Blvd

#### MOUNT KISCO March 11 (Friday) April 29 (Friday) Holiday Inn 1 Holiday Inn Drive Exit 37, Saw Mill River Parkway

#### OWEGO May 11 (Wednesday) Owego Treadway Inn and Conference Center 1100 State Route 17C

# ROCHESTER April 7 (Thursday) Rochester Marriott Airport Hotel 1890 Ridge Road West

### ROCHESTER January 21(Friday) February 23 (Wednesday) Radisson Hotel Airport 175 Jefferson Road

Henrietta

# SYRACUSE February 25 (Friday) May 12 (Thursday) Holiday Inn 441 Electronics Parkway Liverpool Exit 37, NYS Thruway

#### UTICA February 24 (Thursday) Radisson Hotel 200 Genesee Street

\*This hotel, for many years a Holiday Inn property, may be under a different franchise by the time of the seminar, but will still host this meeting.

**RESERVATIONS:** When calling, you must provide your EmplID or Social Security number, address, and home phone number (and the same information for your spouse/companion if (s)he is a member and will attend too). <u>Please bring your latest Benefit Profile</u> with you to the seminar. If you make a reservation but cannot attend, please call the number above to cancel, so we can offer this reservation to another member.

### 10 Corporate Woods Drive **BUFFALO**

January 22 (Saturday) March 3 (Thursday) Buffalo Marriott Niagara 1340 Millersport Highway Amherst

#### **BUFFALO**

**April 6** (Wednesday) Millennium Airport Hotel 2040 Walden Avenue Cheektowaga

### FISHKILL March 25 (Friday) Hudson Hotel and Conference Center\* Route 9

Exit 13, I-84