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WEBINARS FOR MEMBERS

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Communication and Fostering Workplace Solidarity

60 to Zero in 60 Seconds: De-Escalating Difficult Behaviors with the FMCS

This session provides tips for listening and communication skills that can help change the emotional state of your most agitated co-workers. Presenters Valerie Harragin and Krystil Smith from the Federal Mediation and Conciliation Service share techniques to change the face of conflict. Attendees will explore concepts that include affect labeling and how to use it, how to ignore words and focus on emotions, how to capitalize on venting, and using declarative statements.

Facilitated by: Valerie Harragin and Krystil Smith

Broadcast Date: December 13, 2023

Runtime: 95 minutes

Appreciative Inquiry: A Tool for Positive Change

Appreciative Inquiry is a positive approach to building morale and making improvements in organizations and relationships. Communications expert and organizational development strategist Trish Westwater shares how appreciative inquiry can help union leaders work positively through conflicts, motivate members, and help find common ground for moving forward.

Facilitated by: Trish Westwater

Broadcast Date: October 9, 2024

Runtime: 35 minutes

The Art of Inquiry with the FMCS

Asking the right questions the right way is a key skill for anyone who wants to be an effective problem-solver in the midst of conflict. In this session, Carolyn T. Brommer and Valerie Harragin from the Federal Mediation and Conciliation Service will teach participants to have a greater self-awareness about why they ask particular questions, be able to distinguish between curious and helpful questions, and better identify empowering vs dis-empowering questions. Learn how to re-frame conflict to encourage collaboration and joint problem-solving through the use of questions.

Facilitated by: Carolyn T. Brommer and Valerie Harragin

Broadcast Date: November 18, 2022

Runtime: 85 minutes

Constructive Engagement at Work with the FMCS

Giving and receiving feedback can be a tricky situation, particularly in workplace settings. Effective feedback is beneficial in the workplace as it fosters growth, motivation, performance improvement, and overall collaboration among employees. This webinar, taught by Krystil Smith from the Federal Mediation and Conciliation Service, focuses on the planning, delivery, and receipt of constructive feedback, and how to construct feedback objectively.

Facilitated by: Krystil Smith

Broadcast Date: August 18, 2023

Runtime: 90 minutes

Information & Media Literacy 101: Exploring Critical Methods for Creative Minds

Information and Literacy Expert Rayheem Eskridge introduces essential information and media literacy skills. You'll learn to evaluate sources, spot misinformation, and build stronger habits around how you seek, create, use, and share information across your work and daily life. Sharpen your critical lens and support more intentional choices in how you engage with the world around you.

Facilitated by: Rayheem Eskridge

Broadcast Date: December 27, 2025

Runtime: 90 minutes

The Power of Apology with the FMCS

In this webinar, presenters Valerie Harragin and Krystil Smith from the Federal Mediation and Conciliation Service share six elements that make for an effective apology and share tools that will help you heal relationships, build trust, and create a safer and more productive workplace culture.

Facilitated by: Valerie Harragin and Krystil Smith

Broadcast Date: July 25, 2023

Runtime: 85 minutes

Time Management on Your Side: Strategies for Leaders

Improve your productivity and your quality of life with time management skills! Join facilitator, author, and coach Carissa Halton from Edmonton, Alberta to learn strategies to help you reduce distractions, stop procrastinating, meet deadlines, and prioritize your activities and tasks.

Facilitated by: Carissa Halton

Broadcast Date: October 23, 2025

Runtime: 80 minutes

Tips from the Bargaining Table to the Dinner Table

When we spend a large portion of our lives working, our co-workers can be described as our “work family”. Can what we have learned at work about leadership, problem-solving, and conflict management in collective bargaining possibly be useful as we engage family and friends during the holidays and other family gatherings? We believe so! Join key staff from the Federal Mediation and Conciliation Service’s Institute for Conflict Management in a webinar to find out how to approach those “difficult conversations” that might be just around the corner.

Facilitated by: Federal Mediation and Conciliation Service Institute for Conflict Management

Broadcast Date: December 18, 2022

Runtime: 95 minutes

Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion

African American Women and the 157-Year Movement for Labor and Voting Rights

Dr. Danielle Phillips-Cunningham from Rutgers discusses how Black women have been at the forefront of labor reform, challenging inequalities and integrating labor and voting rights activism over 157 years of struggle for comprehensive labor rights.

Facilitated by: Dr. Danielle Phillips-Cunningham

Broadcast Date: February 28, 2022

Runtime: 55 minutes

Allyship in Our Workplaces and in Our Union

IATSE and the Federal Mediation and Conciliation Service (FMCS) offers strategies to build equitable and inclusive workplaces through allyship.

Facilitated by: Federal Mediation and Conciliation Service

Broadcast Date: January 5, 2023

Runtime: 90 minutes

A Brief History of Native American Tribal Sovereignty in the U.S.

IATSE DEI Co-Chair Liz Pecos explains what tribal sovereignty is and explores the history of how U.S. policy and struggles of the past shaped tribal sovereignty and still influence us today.

Facilitated by: Liz Pecos

Broadcast Date: December 27, 2025

Runtime: 80 minutes

Chicano and Latino Workers at the Heart of the U.S Labor Movement

Join the IATSE Education Department and the IATSE DEI Committee to explore how Mexican, Chicano and other Latino workers have shaped the labor movement in the United States. Learn about worker actions, organizing, and strikes led by significant labor leaders that helped pave the way for Latino workers' fight for justice and economic dignity that continues today.

Facilitated by: Liz Pecos, Manny Diaz, Neftali Nieves-Reyes

Broadcast Date: September 18, 2026

Runtime: 80 minutes

Cognitive Bias with the FMCS

A lively webinar with the Federal Mediation and Conciliation Service (FMCS) that explores the ways our brains operate with an overload of info and resort to subconscious shortcuts resulting in biased thinking. Learn to become aware of cognitive bias and how to think before acting.

Facilitated by: Federal Mediation and Conciliation Service

Broadcast Date: October 7, 2022

Runtime: 100 minutes

DEI Essentials: Building an Inclusive Culture in Our Unions and Workplaces

Sustainable Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion (DEI) initiatives are meaningful and action oriented. IATSE DEI Committee Co-Chair Liz Pecos teaches how to create an environment of belonging in your union and workplace and educations on DEI concepts and terminology.

Facilitated by: Liz Pecos

Broadcast Date: February 9, 2024

Runtime: 85 minutes

Equity, Diversity and Inclusion Basics

Labor and Racial Justice Educator Diana Robinson reviews DEI concepts and explores what we can do to be anti-racist individuals as well as what the government can do to ensure there is equity for workers in the entertainment industry.

Facilitated by: Diana Robinson

Broadcast Date: February 28, 2022

Runtime: 55 minutes

The Great Migration

Join Gus Wood, Asst. Professor in the Labor Education Department at the University of Illinois to explore the history behind the migration of African American families and workers from the rural south to the industrial north between 1915-1945, and how this shift from sharecropping to factory work and eventually government jobs helped shape the labor movement through resilience, organizing and protests.

Facilitated by: Gus Wood

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Runtime: 85 minutes

The IATSE Road Show: Why Unions Matter

Labor Educator Diane Thomas-Holladay teaches what role unions have in balancing political and economic democracy. Look through an intersectional lens at the history of union labor, specifically IATSE-covered work, including key policies and people leading up to today.

Facilitated by: Diane Thomas-Holladay

Broadcast Date: September 9, 2021

Runtime: 75 minutes

The IATSE Road Show: Why Unions Matter (Canada)

Labor educators Drs. Wayne Lewchuck and David Goutor look through an intersectional lens at the history of the labour movement in Canada, focusing on policies and events that shaped modern labor.

Facilitated by: Wayne Lewchuck and David Goutor

Broadcast Date: April 3, 2025

Runtime: 85 minutes

Implicit/unconscious Bias and Microaggressions

The Federal Mediation and Conciliation Service (FMCS) explores unconscious bias and microaggressions, impact on individuals and the workplace and tools for mitigating them to help foster cultural change.

Facilitated by: Federal Mediation and Conciliation Service

Broadcast Date: September 24, 2022

Runtime: 80 minutes

Land Acknowledgements: Why We Acknowledge the Land We Are On

Co-Chair Liz Pecos of the IATSE DEI Committee presents a webinar on land acknowledgements and reviews what they are, when to use them, how to create one, and resources for crafting authentic land acknowledgements for your meetings, events or gatherings.

Facilitated by: Liz Pecos

Broadcast Date: December 25, 2023

Runtime: 70 minutes

Seven Americans Who Changed the Course of Capitalism

IATSE Representative Jennifer Halpern looks at figures whose ideas and actions transformed American capitalism. The impact on Black and Indigenous exploited for capitalistic advancement is covered, including focus on W.E.B. Du Bois, who advocated for Black economic power.

Facilitated by: Jennifer Halpern

Broadcast Date: December 29, 2025

Runtime: 65 minutes

Straight Talk About Gay Pride

Join IATSE Pride Committee Chair Nate Richmond to learn about LGBTQ+ terminology, the difference between gender and sexuality, and why we celebrate Pride.

Facilitated by: IATSE Pride Committee Chair Nate Richmond

Broadcast Date: July 7, 2021

Runtime: 60 minutes

Supporting LGBTQ+ Members: How to Run a Tight Allyship

Co-Chair Nate Richmond of the IATSE Pride Committee presents a webinar on ways the union can support LGBTQ+ workers through committees and events, local union operations, inclusive health plans and support through obstacles.

Facilitated by: Nate Richmond

Broadcast Date: June 20, 2022

Runtime: 55 minutes

Syncopated Stages: 200 Years of Black Performers on Broadway

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Facilitated by: Adam Wassilchalk and Doug Reside

Broadcast Date: March 26, 2026

Runtime: 65 minutes

Voting Rights: Know Our Past & Guide Our Future

Join presenters Chelsey Cartwright from the League of Women Voters, Kimberly Butler-Gilkeson and Malakhi Simmons from the IATSE DEI Committee, and Robyn Cavanagh from the IATSE Education and Training Department to learn about the history of voting rights in the U.S. covering policy on who was eligible to vote and when, past and current voter suppression efforts and the populations most affected, and what you can do to protect this essential right.

Facilitated by: Chelsey Cartwright, Kimberly Butler-Gilkeson, Malakhi Simmons, and Robyn Cavanagh

Broadcast Date: October 13, 2024

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Women and Labor: Our Pivotal Historic Moment

Join Gender Studies scholar and historian, Dr. Lane Windham and Women and Gender Studies scholar Dr. Danielle Phillips-Cunningham for an eye-opening session about women's labor leadership and the past, present and future of worker power.

Facilitated by: Dr. Lane Windham and Dr. Danielle Phillips-Cunningham

Broadcast Date: November 16, 2021

Runtime: 80 minutes

En Français

Loi Sur Le Statut De L'artiste Au Québec — Implications

Ce webinaire vise à présenter la réalité particulière des relations de travail sous la Loi sur le statut de l'artiste dans le secteur des productions audiovisuelles au Québec. This webinar seeks to present the specific realities of Labour relations under the Quebec status of the artist legislation for the audiovisual production sector.

Facilitated by:

Broadcast Date: January 9, 2025

Runtime: 90 minutes

Pourquoi Les Syndicats Sont Importants

Qui agit comme rempart au pouvoir corporatif? - Quel rôle jouent les syndicats dans le développement du Canada? Comment le pouvoir de la force ouvrière bâtit une économie qui crée des emplois, augmente les salaires et fait la promotion d'une meilleure qualité de vie en général?

Facilitated by:

Broadcast Date: November 18, 2022

Runtime: 115 minutes

Procédures D'assemblée (Code Morin)

Cette formation sur les procédures d'assemblées délibérantes permettra aux participants de mieux comprendre les rôles et responsabilités des parties prenantes, tant les membres que la présidence d'assemblée. Cette formation reprendra les procédures communes et courantes dans l'application du Code Morin pour le bon déroulement des séances (proposition, amendement, point d'information, etc.). La formation inclut une portion pratique où les participants seront amenés à utiliser les procédures plus communes dans le cadre d'une simulation d'assemblée générale. Tout au long de la formation, des exemples seront présentés pour expliquer les procédures et les responsabilités des membres et de la présidence d'assemblée délibérante pour maintenir le bon ordre de la séance.

Facilitated by:

Broadcast Date: July 10, 2024

Runtime: 70 minutes

Environmental

Climate Change, Disaster Response and the IATSE

As our climate changes, IATSE workers are exposed to more frequent and intense natural disasters at work and at home. Join the IATSE Green & Disaster Response Committees for a webinar on how to prepare for and respond to climate-related emergencies. Actionable tips on sustainability at work will also be discussed!

Facilitated by: IATSE Green & Disaster Response Committees

Broadcast Date: May 1, 2025

Runtime: 85 minutes

Emotional Sustainability in the Face of Climate Anxiety

Kick-off Earth Month with the IATSE Education Department! This webinar features Climate Psychologist Dr. Wendy Greenspun, who leads us through a conversation on building emotional sustainability and resilience in a changing climate.

Facilitated by: Dr. Wendy Greenspun

Broadcast Date: March 5, 2024

Runtime: 90 minutes

Green Tips from IATSE Kin

Join IATSE members as they share best practices and ideas for creating a more sustainable future.

Facilitated by: IATSE Kin

Broadcast Date: May 25, 2022

Runtime: 85 minutes

IATSE Goes Green! A Conversation with the Broadway Green Alliance

Join IATSE Green Committee Chair, Stasia Savage as she facilitates a conversation with panelists from the Broadway Green Alliance. Topics discussed will include sustainability in the entertainment industry, BGA resources, how to get involved, and much more.

Facilitated by: Stasia Savage

Broadcast Date: May 20, 2023

Runtime: 60 minutes

The Impact of Climate Change on IATSE Worker Safety and Health

Wildfires, Heat, Natural Disasters. Climate Change impacts everyone, but it can have a profound effect on the safety and health of workers in the entertainment industry. Join the IATSE Education and Training Department for a timely conversation with Dr. Ismail Nabeel of the Mt. Sinai Selikoff Centers for Occupational Health and Molly Braverman, Director of the Broadway Green Alliance to discuss our world's changing climate, its impact on IATSE workers, and how we can protect ourselves moving forward.

Facilitated by: Dr. Ismail Nabeel and Molly Braverman

Broadcast Date: August 18, 2023

Runtime: 90 minutes

Sustainable Tips for Workers in the Entertainment Industry

Join us for a discussion between environmental leaders in the entertainment industry at the Broadway Green Alliance and the Green Spark Group to reflect on issues such as sustainability in entertainment, as well as steps IATSE workers can take to promote earth-friendly practices at work.

Facilitated by:

Broadcast Date: June 6, 2021

Runtime: 60 minutes

Financial Health and Future Planning

Career Planning and Wellbeing During Industry Change

Behind the Scenes (BTS) presents a webinar on how changes in the entertainment industry may prompt career transitions. A team of panelists assembled by BTS discuss the ups and downs of the industry and share how to create strategies for planning and earning as your career may expand or transition. You will learn how to brush up on skills like creating effective cover letters and resumes and learn how to stay mentally healthy during industry change and changes to your career.

Facilitated by:

Broadcast Date: June 17, 2026

Runtime: 80 minutes

Don't Wait, Plan Your Estate!

Estate planning is about more than just money – it's never too early to start thinking and planning! Please join Naomi Rodda, Motion Picture Television Fund's Director of Home & Community-Based Services for an important discussion about the nuts and bolts of estate planning. Learn more about topics including Medicare, durable powers of attorney, advanced directives, will versus trusts and more.

Facilitated by: Naomi Rodda

Broadcast Date: November 3, 2025

Runtime: 60 minutes

Give Yourself a Financial Checkup

Give yourself a financial checkup with presenters from Money Management International, a nonprofit partner of Union Plus. Learn how to assess your current situation; create a priority-based spending plan; manage credit and debt; save and invest for the future; calculate your net worth; and navigate unexpected situations.

Facilitated by: Money Management International

Broadcast Date: January 20, 2025

Runtime: 85 minutes

When Income Decreases but the Bills Don't

Join Tara Alderate, Senior Director and Education Specialist from Money Management International, to develop a multi-pronged approach for managing expenses through lean times. Learn strategies and tools to help you assess your current financial situation and analyze your available resources to create a priority-based spending plan. Learn resources, tools and programs to help manage debt including how to work with your creditors and manage your income and expenses.

Facilitated by: Tara Alderate

Broadcast Date: November 3, 2025

Runtime: 85 minutes

For Trainers

Outcomes by Design: Using Outcomes to Plan and Lead Strong Trainings

Join IATSE Education & Training Department's International Representative Jeff Kennedy in a follow up to the Solidarity by Design webinar to learn how to design trainings with the end in mind by developing a clear outcome that guides every stage of planning and delivery.

Facilitated by: Jeff Kennedy

Broadcast Date: June 17, 2026

Runtime: 55 minutes

Solidarity by Design: Research-Backed Strategies to Make Your Meetings and Trainings Engaging

Join IATSE Education and Training Department's International Representative Jeff Kennedy to discover research-backed strategies from Universal Design for Learning to make all of your presentations clear and engaging. Leave with a new approach to designing and modifying meetings or trainings to meet the needs of every member.

Facilitated by: Jeff Kennedy

Broadcast Date: April 11, 2026

Runtime: 55 minutes

History

African American Women and the 157-Year Movement for Labor and Voting Rights

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Broadcast Date: December 27, 2025

Runtime: 80 minutes

Bread and Roses: The Women of the Lawrence Textile Strike of 1912

The working women of Lawrence, Massachusetts played a pivotal role in the Textile Strike of 1912, also known as the Bread and Roses Strike. Join the IATSE Education and Training Department to learn how women led the way towards this turning point for the labor movement.

Facilitated by: the IATSE Education and Training Department

Broadcast Date: November 24, 2025

Runtime: 60 minutes

Celebrate the 90th Anniversary of the National Labor Relations Act

Learn the history of how this landmark legislation came to pass and celebrate its anniversary with the IATSE Education and Training Department.

Facilitated by: IATSE Education & Training Department

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Health & Safety, Living Wage, & Quality of Life: Lessons from Women's Labor History

CUNY Labor Studies Professor Stephanie Luce shares stories of women labor activists who fought to improve conditions for themselves and others, through unionization and legislation. The Triangle Shirtwaist Factory Fire; The 1946 Retail Workers Strike; and The 9 to 5 Movement are covered.

Facilitated by: Stephanie Luce

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Women for the Working People: Frances Perkins

Join the IATSE Education & Training Department to learn about Frances Perkins, one of the most influential women of the 20th Century. A self-made woman and lifelong advocate for working people, her work as the first woman and longest serving Secretary of Labor, nearly 80 years later, makes our lives better today.

Facilitated by: the IATSE Education and Training Department

Broadcast Date: March 3, 2025

Runtime: 60 minutes

Working 9-To-5: A Women's Movement, a Labor Union, and the Iconic Movie

Join Ellen Cassedy, author and one of the founding members of the 9-to-5 organization, as she shares her experiences as an early organizer behind the 9-to-5 movement. Through the work of Cassedy and her comrades, women achieved historic gains for union workers and working people.

Facilitated by: Ellen Cassedy

Broadcast Date: February 4, 2023

Runtime: 65 minutes

Member Resources, Benefits and Certifications

All About ESTA

Join ESTA's Executive Director, Erin Grabe and the ESTA team for an informative webinar about the Entertainment Services and Technology Association (ESTA) and its invaluable programs. Whether you're a prospective ETCP certified technician, a Subject Matter Expert (SME) interested in standards writing, a local union looking to become a member, or a new worker hoping to improve your craft – ESTA is here for you!

Facilitated by: Erin Grabe

Broadcast Date: June 3, 2025

Runtime: 85 minutes

All About the ETCP

Join Entertainment Technician Certification Program (ETCP) Program Manager, Christina Smith, for an informative webinar about the ETCP. Christina will provide IATSE workers with valuable information about the certification program including how to get started, test taking tips, coping with test anxiety, maintaining your certification, and more.

Facilitated by: Christina Smith

Broadcast Date: December 15, 2023

Runtime: 85 minutes

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Facilitated by: Behind the Scenes

Broadcast Date: June 17, 2026

Runtime: 80 minutes

Contracts, Contributions & Reimbursements: Your Roadmap to the IATSE TTF

Join the IATSE Education Department & TTF Training Specialist, Patrick Landers for an informative session on navigating the TTF contributions process. Participants will learn how contributions support TTF programs, how local unions can ensure their contributions reach the Trust, and more!

Facilitated by: Patrick Landers, Hannah D'Amico

Broadcast Date: August 27, 2026

Runtime: 90 minutes

Developing a Craft Skills and Safety Training Program in Your Local Union

Create more than a series of classes, create a CULTURE OF SAFETY & TRAINING at your local union. Join a panel of IATSE experts from the IATSE Craft Advancement Program (ICAP) to learn how to identify training needs, plan a program, recruit instructors, locate and access resources and get support from the IATSE Training Trust Fund and more.

Facilitated by: IATSE experts from the IATSE Craft Advancement Program (ICAP)

Broadcast Date: July 8, 2021

Runtime: 85 minutes

Resources of the Dol's Labor Women's Bureau

The Women's Bureau at the U.S. Department of Labor advocates for equality and economic security and champions policies and standards that safeguard the interests of working women. Join policy analysts from the bureau to learn about resources for fighting women's issues for pay and caregiving responsibilities, and protections against violence, harassment and discrimination in the workplace.

Facilitated by: U.S. Department of Labor Women's Bureau

Broadcast Date: March 8, 2024

Runtime: 55 minutes

Union Plus: How Union Membership Helps You Save

Union Plus gives union members access to benefits, protections, and discounts on things you do every day and offers programs for every aspect of a union member's life, including financial products (like the IATSE Credit Card), home and auto programs, insurance products, scholarships, hardship program and discounts. This webinar, facilitated by Union Plus Service Representative Brea Ellis tells you what you need to know about how union membership helps you save and how to access Union Plus benefits.

Facilitated by: Brea Ellis

Broadcast Date: October 11, 2023

Runtime: 70 minutes

Union Plus: How Union Membership Helps You Save Q& a Session

Union Plus gives union members access to benefits, protections, and discounts on things you do every day and offers programs to streamline member's everyday lives. This second session to review Union Plus benefits addresses questions submitted by members, including how to create a Union Plus account and navigate Union Plus benefits online, and reviews benefits like hardship grant applications, discounts for home, auto, insurance, travel, education and more.

Facilitated by: Union Plus

Broadcast Date: January 29, 2024

Runtime: 60 minutes

What's New (and Old) at the TTF?

Maximize your training opportunities with the IATSE Training Trust Fund! Join the IATSE Education Department and TTF staff, live from the TTF office in Burbank, California, for an informative session about new and ongoing TTF programs and resources.

Facilitated by:

Broadcast Date: July 2, 2024

Runtime: 85 minutes

Your AVIXA Membership with IATSE: Building the Future of Pro AV from Stage to Screen

Are you getting the most out of your AVIXA membership? Join us for an informative webinar presented with the Audiovisual Integrated Experience Association (AVIXA) to learn about our longstanding IATSE-AVIXA partnership and all the educational benefits it provides to IATSE workers.

Facilitated by: Audiovisual Integrated Experience Association (AVIXA)

Broadcast Date: January 16, 2026

Runtime: 70 minutes

Mental Health and Wellness

The Anxiety Toolbox: Strategies to Cope with Anxiety

This workshop is designed with a goal to help people who struggle with a variety of anxiety-related concerns (e.g., panic attacks, Generalized Anxiety, performance anxiety). Learn about anxiety, anxiety disorders, and to teach coping skills for managing anxiety symptoms. Join trainers and social workers from the Entertainment Community Fund's (ECF) Workplace Initiatives Program for this introductory-level seminar.

Facilitated by:

Broadcast Date: October 27, 2025

Runtime: 1 hour, 45 minutes

Beginners Guide to Therapy

This webinar, presented by Gabrielle Questa, social worker at the Entertainment Community Fund's Workplace Initiatives Program, will demystify questions around mental health care, including different mental health provider options, the cost of counseling, how insurance coverage works, and the types of therapy and care available. Hear about what types of mental health resources are out there, learn how to determine which ones might be a good fit for you, and how to access them, as well as ways to get additional support.

Facilitated by: Gabrielle Questa

Broadcast Date: June 12, 2024

Runtime: 80 minutes

Dealing with Substance Use in the Workplace: Why and How We Help

Substance misuse has reached epidemic proportions in our society and in our industry. If you haven't already, it's very likely you could encounter someone with this problem in your workplace. This interactive, ninety-minute webinar, developed by industry professionals and an addiction specialist, offers tips and tools to assist you in responding to this situation.

Facilitated by: Behind the Scenes

Broadcast Date: September 14, 2026

Runtime: 1 hour, 30 minutes

The Guide to Personal Wellness

Join social worker Melissa Fineman from the Entertainment Community Fund's Workplace Initiatives Program to gain tools to help you incorporate personal wellness practices into your daily life, especially during times of high stress. We will discuss how stress manifests in the body, how we can work to slow the body down and how we can create personal wellness goals that feel manageable and achievable.

Facilitated by: Melissa Fineman

Broadcast Date: June 12, 2024

Runtime: 75 minutes

Mental Health Toolbox Talks for IATSE Workplaces and Union Meetings

Join Director of Behind the Scenes (BTS) Lori Rubenstein to learn what a Toolbox Talk is and how to incorporate them into work and union spaces. Tools and resources for creating your own Toolbox Talk are covered, including identifying relevant topics and steps to developing talks for meetings and workplaces.

Facilitated by: Lori Rubenstein, Director of Behind the Scenes (BTS)

Broadcast Date: June 6, 2025

Runtime: 70 minutes

Mental Health Toolbox Talks: BTS Mental Health & Suicide Prevention Presentation

The Behind the Scenes (BTS) Foundation has a new resource! Mental Health Toolbox Talks for Entertainment Industry Workers. In observance of NAOSH Week 2021 and Mental Health Awareness Month (in U.S.), the IATSE Education and Training Department will be teaming up with members from the BTS Mental Health Taskforce to demonstrate how to effectively utilize Mental Health Toolbox Talks for the IATSE workforce.

Facilitated by: Behind the Scenes

Broadcast Date: July 8, 2021

Runtime: 50 minutes

The Power of Now: Simple Ways to Be More Present

Clinical Manager for Education, Mindfulness and Patient Wellbeing at Mount Sinai Mickie Brown, RN teaches us simple ways to be more present and reduce stress. Topics include identifying types of stress (good, bad, and in between), how to practice mindfulness, and tools for staying calm throughout your day.

Facilitated by: Mickie Brown, RN

Broadcast Date: September 26, 2024

Runtime: 85 minutes

Sober Curious

What does it mean to be sober curious? What does alcohol do to my physical/emotional health? What is FOMA (Fear Of Missing Alcohol) and how do I deal with it? Get the answers to these questions, unpack your experiences with alcohol, and compare them to commonly held assumptions about drinking with Rosalyn Gilbert, LCSW, and Joshua Snow, LCSW, from the Actors Fund Addiction and Recovery Services.

Facilitated by: Rosalyn Gilbert, LCSW, and Joshua Snow, LCSW

Broadcast Date: November 22, 2021

Runtime: 85 minutes

What Is Mental Health First Aid (MHFA)? 2023 Update

Join Certified Mental Health First Aid Instructor, Bryan Huneycutt and Executive Director of the Behind the Scenes (BTS) Foundation, Lori Rubinstein for an informational session that will explore the basics of the Mental Health First Aid (MHFA) training including its purpose, impact, and how to sign-up. This webinar is an update from previous versions that features new information and updated resources for 2023.

Facilitated by: Bryan Huneycutt and Lori Rubinstein

Broadcast Date: May 16, 2023

Runtime: 55 minutes

Organizing for Canadian Locals

Organizing 101 // Syndicalisation 101

Join leaders from the IATSE Canadian Department in the first of a three-part series of webinars on organizing. Learn the basics on the processes and the labour laws of organizing. Presented in English with subtitles in French, with slides in both English and French. Joignez-vous aux leaders du département canadien de l'IATSE pour la première d'une série de trois webinaires sur l'organisation. Découvrez les notions de base des processus et des lois du travail liés à l'organisation. Présenté en anglais avec des sous-titres en français et des diapositives en anglais et en français. le 17 avril 2026

Facilitated by:

Broadcast Date: April 17, 2026

Runtime: 35 minutes

Organizing 102: The Campaign // Syndicalisation 102: Campagne De Syndicalisation

Join leaders from the IATSE Canadian Department in part two of a series of webinars on organizing. In this part, explore how to plan staging at a specific venue including how to build a member organizing committee, how to talk to non-union workers, and what to expect from the employer. Presented in English with subtitles in French and slides in both English and French. Joignez-vous aux leaders du département canadien de l'IATSE pour la deuxième partie sur trois de la série de webinaires sur l'organisation. Dans cette séance, découvrez comment planifier des actions sur un lieu de travail précis, notamment comment créer un comité d'organisation composé de membres, comment discuter avec des travailleurs non syndiqués et à quoi s'attendre de la part de l'employeur. Présenté en anglais avec des sous-titres en français et des diapositives en anglais et en français. le 17 avril 2026

Facilitated by:

Broadcast Date: April 17, 2026

Runtime: 35 minutes

Organizing 103: Success! Now What? // Syndicalisation 103 — Victoire! Maintenant on Fait Quoi?

Join leaders from the IATSE Canadian Department in part 3 of a series of webinars on organizing. In this final part, we discuss what to do once a campaign is successful and share tips and best practices for bargaining a first agreement. Presented in English with subtitles in French and slides in both English and French. Joignez-vous aux leaders du département canadien de l'IATSE pour la troisième et dernière partie de notre série de webinaires sur l'organisation. Dans cette dernière séance, nous abordons les étapes à suivre une fois qu'une campagne a réussi et partageons des conseils ainsi que des pratiques exemplaires pour négocier une première convention collective. Présenté en anglais avec des sous-titres en français et des diapositives en anglais et en français. le 17 avril 2026

Facilitated by:

Broadcast Date: April 17, 2026

Runtime: 30 minutes

Political/Legislative

Common Sense Economics, Working for a Better Life

We are witnessing the largest redistribution of wealth in our nation's history. Entire communities have been devastated by bad policies, designed to reward the wealthy. For working people and families across the country it's become harder to achieve or maintain a middle-class lifestyle despite increases in productivity and longer working hours. Join trainer Drew Waxman from the AFL-CIO in this program to educate working people on how our economy works and how actions and policies impact our economy.

Facilitated by: Drew Waxman

Broadcast Date: October 29, 2023

Runtime: 75 minutes

Overcoming Polarization for Electoral Wins (2024 Edition)

Join the IATSE Political/ Legislative Department and the Education and Training Department for a webinar about the current state of political polarization in the U.S. Learn effective ways to have conversations with people who you may disagree with.

Facilitated by:

Broadcast Date: October 7, 2024

Runtime: 65 minutes

Voting Rights: Know Our Past & Guide Our Future

Join presenters Chelsey Cartwright from the League of Women Voters, Kimberly Butler-Gilkeson and Malakhi Simmons from the IATSE DEI Committee, and Robyn Cavanagh from the IATSE Education and Training Department to learn about the history of voting rights in the U.S. covering policy on who was eligible to vote and when, past and current voter suppression efforts and the populations most affected, and what you can do to protect this essential right.

Facilitated by: Chelsey Cartwright, Kimberly Butler-Gilkeson, Malakhi Simmons, and Robyn Cavanagh

Broadcast Date: October 13, 2024

Runtime: 85 minutes

Union Skills

How to Negotiate TTF Contributions into Your Local Union's Contracts

The IATSE Training Trust Fund (TTF) and its programs rely on contributions bargained into your Local's contracts to function. Join IATSE Director of Education and Training Pat White to learn strategies for securing TTF funding in your next contract. Topics include making the case for training, collective bargaining basics, and reviewing sample TTF contract language available to all IATSE local unions.

Facilitated by: IATSE Director of Education and Training Pat White

Broadcast Date: April 25, 2026

Runtime: 50 minutes

Parliamentary Procedure for Rank-And-File Members

Attorney, author, and President at Law Firm Carolinas Jim Slaughter and IATSE Parliamentarian answers important questions about the basics of common proper parliamentary procedure in order to have fair and efficient union meetings. You will learn Roberts Rules of Order about motions and how to propose and speak on business and make a motion correctly during a meeting.

Facilitated by: Jim Slaughter

Broadcast Date: April 12, 2024

Runtime: 100 minutes

Taking Notes at the Bargaining Table: A Comprehensive Training

Join subject matter expert attorney Liz Orfan, partner at the firm Spivak Lipton for a training that covers the mechanics of taking notes at the bargaining table. Learn who should take notes, how to take good notes, the reasons why taking good notes is crucial, what to do in sidebars and caucuses, and what to do with notes once negotiations conclude.

Facilitated by: Liz Orfan

Broadcast Date: December 8, 2023

Runtime: 55 minutes

Taking Notes at the Bargaining Table: The Condensed Version

A general summary of how to take bargaining notes shared by Director of the IATSE Education and Training Department, Pat White. Topics covered include who should take notes, what to record, mechanics of sidebars and caucuses, tips and what to do once the bargaining session has concluded.

Facilitated by: Pat White

Broadcast Date: February 18, 2024

Runtime: 25 minutes

Women in the Labor Movement

African American Women and the 157-Year Movement for Labor and Voting Rights

Dr. Danielle Phillips-Cunningham from Rutgers discusses how Black women have been at the forefront of labor reform, challenging inequalities and integrating labor and voting rights activism over 157 years of struggle for comprehensive labor rights.

Facilitated by: Dr. Danielle Phillips-Cunningham

Broadcast Date: February 28, 2022

Runtime: 55 minutes

Bread and Roses: The Women of the Lawrence Textile Strike of 1912

The working women of Lawrence, Massachusetts played a pivotal role in the Textile Strike of 1912, also known as the Bread and Roses Strike. Join the IATSE Education and Training Department to learn how women led the way towards this turning point for the labor movement.

Facilitated by: the IATSE Education and Training Department

Broadcast Date: November 24, 2025

Runtime: 60 minutes

Health & Safety, Living Wage, & Quality of Life: Lessons from Women's Labor History

CUNY Labor Studies Professor Stephanie Luce shares stories of women labor activists who fought to improve conditions for themselves and others, through unionization and legislation. The Triangle Shirtwaist Factory Fire; The 1946 Retail Workers Strike; and The 9 to 5 Movement are covered.

Facilitated by: Stephanie Luce

Broadcast Date: March 11, 2022

Runtime: 55 minutes

Resources of the U.S. Department of Labor's Women's Bureau

The Women's Bureau at the U.S. Department of Labor advocates for equality and economic security and champions policies and standards that safeguard the interests of working women. Join policy analysts from the bureau to learn about resources for fighting women's issues for pay and caregiving responsibilities, and protections against violence, harassment and discrimination in the workplace.

Facilitated by: U.S. Department of Labor Women's Bureau

Broadcast Date: March 8, 2024

Runtime: 55 minutes

Seven Americans Who Changed the Course of Capitalism

Join IATSE Education and Training International Representative Jennifer Halpern to take a look at figures whose ideas and actions transformed American capitalism. Included are highlights of two impactful women, Ida Tarbell and Francis Perkins, whose ideas and actions helped transform American capitalism.

Facilitated by: Jennifer Halpern

Broadcast Date: December 29, 2025

Runtime: 65 minutes

Women and Labor: Our Pivotal Historic Moment

Join Gender Studies scholar and historian, Dr. Lane Windham and Women and Gender Studies scholar Dr. Danielle Phillips-Cunningham for an eye-opening session about women's labor leadership and the past, present and future of worker power.

Facilitated by: Dr. Lane Windham and Dr. Danielle Phillips-Cunningham

Broadcast Date: November 16, 2021

Runtime: 80 minutes

Women for the Working People: Frances Perkins

Join the IATSE Education & Training Department to learn about Frances Perkins, one of the most influential women of the 20th Century. A self-made woman and lifelong advocate for working people, her work as the first woman and longest serving Secretary of Labor, nearly 80 years later, makes our lives better today.

Facilitated by: the IATSE Education and Training Department

Broadcast Date: March 3, 2025

Runtime: 60 minutes

Working 9-To-5: A Women's Movement, a Labor Union, and the Iconic Movie

Join Ellen Cassedy, author and one of the founding members of the 9-to-5 organization, as she shares her experiences as an early organizer behind the 9-to-5 movement. Through the work of Cassedy and her comrades, women achieved historic gains for union workers and working people.

Facilitated by: Ellen Cassedy

Broadcast Date: February 4, 2023

Runtime: 65 minutes

Worker Health and Safety

All About ESTA

Join ESTA's Executive Director, Erin Grabe and the ESTA team for an informative webinar about the Entertainment Services and Technology Association (ESTA) and its invaluable programs. Whether you're a prospective ETCP certified technician, a Subject Matter Expert (SME) interested in standards writing, a local union looking to become a member, or a new worker hoping to improve your craft – ESTA is here for you!

Facilitated by: Erin Grabe

Broadcast Date: June 3, 2025

Runtime: 85 minutes

All About the ETCP

Join Entertainment Technician Certification Program (ETCP) Program Manager, Christina Smith, for an informative webinar about the ETCP. Christina will provide IATSE workers with valuable information about the certification program including how to get started, test taking tips, coping with test anxiety, maintaining your certification, and more.

Facilitated by: Christina Smith

Broadcast Date: December 15, 2023

Runtime: 85 minutes

Building Your Worker Safety Toolkit

Join the IATSE Education & Training Department and partners to learn how each person can make their workplace safer with three essential trainings that all entertainment professionals, regardless of craft, can complete: First Aid/CPR/AED Certification, Mental Health First Aid, and OSHA 10-hour training.

Facilitated by: the IATSE Education and Training Department and partners

Broadcast Date: May 27, 2022

Runtime: 50 minutes

Chemical Safety in the Workplace

Dr. Yelena Globina and Industrial Hygienist Norman Zuckerman from Mount Sinai Selikoff Centers for Occupational Health facilitate this webinar on chemical safety in the workplace. Learn preventative measures that can be used to avoid injuries and illnesses related to chemical use at work and review examples of chemical hazards encountered in entertainment industry workspaces. Review the 16 standardized Safety Data Sheet (SDS) sections that outline warnings and first-aid steps for entertainment workers.

Facilitated by: Dr. Yelena Globina and Norman Zuckerman

Broadcast Date: April 27, 2026

Runtime: 75 minutes

Cold Exposure in the Workplace

This webinar provides an understanding of cold stress and how to prevent workers from experiencing cold stress injuries. Attendees will take away practical tips to reduce worker exposure to cold in indoor and outdoor environments. Dr. Lucky Coomaringam, Assistant Professor at the Department of Environmental Medicine and Climate Science at the Icahn School of Medicine at Mount Sinai presents.

Facilitated by: Dr. Lucky Coomaringam

Broadcast Date: December 19, 2024

Runtime: 85 minutes

Cold Safety Awareness

Stay safe while working in the cold. Dr. Elijah Wasson from Providence St. Joseph Medical Center teaches: How to recognize cold-related illness/injury and degrees of severity; First aid management of cold-related illness; Preventing cold-related illness; Conditions that may occur as a result of cold-related illness; Protections against cold-related illness; Cold-adjacent injuries such as slips, trips, and falls; and more.

Facilitated by: Dr. Elijah Wasson

Broadcast Date: February 28, 2022

Runtime: 65 minutes

Dealing with Substance Use in the Workplace: Why and How We Help

Substance misuse has reached epidemic proportions in our society and in our industry. If you haven't already, it's very likely you could encounter someone with this problem in your workplace. This interactive, ninety-minute webinar, developed by industry professionals and an addiction specialist, offers tips and tools to assist you in responding to this situation.

Facilitated by: Behind the Scenes

Broadcast Date: September 14, 2026

Runtime: 1 hour, 30 minutes

Developing a Craft Skills and Safety Training Program in Your Local Union

Create more than a series of classes, create a CULTURE OF SAFETY & TRAINING at your local union. Join a panel of IATSE experts from the IATSE Craft Advancement Program (ICAP) to learn how to identify training needs, plan a program, recruit instructors, locate and access resources and get support from the IATSE Training Trust Fund and more.

Facilitated by: IATSE experts from the IATSE Craft Advancement Program (ICAP)

Broadcast Date: July 8, 2021

Runtime: 85 minutes

Ergonomics and Repetitive Stress Injuries

Join Program Director of Ergonomics and Injury Prevention at the Selikoff Centers for Occupational Health, Arlette Loeser, for an informative discussion on ergonomics in the workplace and how to prevent injuries. Topics include understanding the connection between job performance and risk for injury, how to perform a risk assessment for your own work, and how to prevent work-related injuries.

Facilitated by: Arlette Loeser

Broadcast Date: September 29, 2022

Runtime: 90 minutes

Ergonomics for IATSE Workers

Regardless of your job and craft, IATSE workers can be susceptible to injuries as a result of poor ergonomic practices. Join instructor Valerie Hunter, Physical Therapist at Providence St. Joseph Medical Center, to learn proper worker techniques and give ideas on how to stay physically healthy on the job. This training includes a general overview of ergonomics and the lasting impact that certain positions, postures, and movements have on our bodies and ultimately our ability to perform work.

Facilitated by: Valerie Hunter, Physical Therapist at Providence St. Joseph Medical Center

Broadcast Date: July 8, 2021

Runtime: 45 minutes

Hearing Loss Prevention for IATSE Workers

Learn about the causes of occupational hearing loss and how to prevent it. In this session, Senior Industrial Hygienist Norman Zuckerman and Medical Director Dr. Yelena Globina from Mount Sinai cover topics including an overview of the auditory system, a review of common types of hearing loss, the public health impact, safety and health standards, a Hierarchy of Controls, workers compensation, and more.

Facilitated by: Norman Zuckerman and Dr. Yelena Globina

Broadcast Date: May 27, 2022

Runtime: 70 minutes

Heat Exposure and Heat-Related Illness in the Workplace

Join Dr. Lucky Coomaringam, Assistant Professor at the Department of Environmental Medicine and Climate Science at the Icahn School of Medicine at Mount Sinai to learn why it's important to know about heat exposure and what protections exist for workers. Learn the signs and types of heat exposure and heat-related illness, how to recognize and treat it, and prevention techniques.

Facilitated by: Dr. Lucky Coomaringam

Broadcast Date: July 18, 2025

Runtime: 70 minutes

Heat Illness Prevention

Excessive heat and sun exposure are potential hazards to IATSE workers, especially those who work outside during the summer months. Thankfully, heat illness is preventable. Join us for a conversation with Dr. Florinda Piano from Providence St. Joseph Medical Center to discuss how to stay safe working in the summer heat. Topics include how to prevent heat illness at work, how sun exposure can lead to heat illness, tips to prevent skin cancer, and more.

Facilitated by: Dr. Florinda Piano

Broadcast Date: July 7, 2021

Runtime: 55 minutes

How to Create an Emergency Action Plan (EAP)

Join IATSE Safety Committee Chair, Kent Jorgensen, and IATSE TTF Director Liz Campos for an informative webinar on “How to Create an Emergency Action Plan.” Attendees will learn about tips and resources to help create an Emergency Action Plan (EAP) for their local union, training facilities, and more.

Facilitated by: Kent Jorgensen and Liz Campos

Broadcast Date: October 19, 2022

Runtime: 60 minutes

How to Read a Safety Data Sheet

Working with and around chemicals is common for some IATSE workers. Chemical products like paints, dyes, and cleaning supplies can be hazardous if used incorrectly. Safety Data Sheets (SDSs) provide comprehensive safety and health information for chemical products in the workplace. Knowing how to read SDSs is key to promoting safe chemical practices at work. Join IATSE’s Beverly Miller, Former President of USA 829 for a lesson on how to read and understand SDSs.

Facilitated by: Beverly Miller

Broadcast Date: July 7, 2021

Runtime: 60 minutes

Ladder Safety Basics for IATSE Workers

Join IATSE Craft Advancement Program Committee Chair Alan Rowe and Local 80 Business Agent DeJon Ellis Jr. for a presentation on the basics of ladder safety. Topics will include identifying common types of ladders, choosing the right ladder, safe climbing techniques, and more.

Facilitated by: Alan Rowe and DeJon Ellis Jr.

Broadcast Date: May 6, 2021

Runtime: 60 minutes

OSHA 10 or OSHA 30, Which Is Right for Me?

Join IATSE TTF Training Specialists and OSHA Outreach Trainers Bill McCord and Anita Hartsock to learn more about OSHA 10 and OSHA 30 trainings, how they are similar and different, and help determine which training is best for you! This webinar will provide you with insight on how to choose a training by considering your craft, job title, and level of responsibility and what is covered in each training.

Facilitated by: Bill McCord and Anita Hartsock

Broadcast Date: December 18, 2022

Runtime: 60 minutes

PPE Fit for All

Join trainers from the Center for Construction Research and Training (CHST) to learn about the importance of PPE fit for everyone and how to evaluate PPE fit for your body. A range of different PPE is covered as well as PPE fit resources.

Facilitated by: Center for Construction Research and Training (CHST)

Broadcast Date: June 24, 2026

Runtime: 90 minutes

Safety Awareness While Working at Heights

Join the IATSE Education and Training Department and the International Safety Equipment Association (ISEA) for a webinar on “Safety Awareness While Working at Heights.” This webinar features a panel of experts discussing best practices in Personal Fall Arrest Systems, Dropped Objects Prevention Solutions, and more.

Facilitated by: International Safety Equipment Association

Broadcast Date: August 20, 2024

Runtime: 80 minutes

Understanding Situational Awareness

Join IATSE International Trustee and IATSE Disaster Response Committee Chair Roo Oyaas for a webinar on understanding situational awareness. The webinar will explore define what situational awareness is, it’s importance on the job, and how to apply principles of situational awareness in any crisis.

Facilitated by: Roo Oyaas, IATSE International Trustee

Broadcast Date: February 9, 2024

Runtime: 80 minutes

Using Your Head: Head Protection for the IATSE

Learn about using head protection in the entertainment industry with a team of expert panelists from the Mount Sinai Selikoff Centers for Occupational Health, the International Safety Equipment Association, and the IATSE TTF. Topics include identifying and preventing head injuries, understanding when to use different types of head protection, incorporating head protection into workplace safety policies, and more.

Facilitated by: Mount Sinai Selikoff Center, International Safety Equipment Association and IATSE Training Trust Fund

Broadcast Date: March 28, 2025

Runtime: 90 minutes

What Is OSHA?

OSHA's Safe + Sound Week is an annual campaign to promote workplace health and safety. Join OSHA Outreach Trainer Bill McCord for an informational session about the basics of the U.S. Occupational Safety and Health Administration (OSHA) including its history, purpose, and impact on the safety and health of IATSE workers and beyond.

Facilitated by: OSHA Outreach Trainer Bill McCord

Broadcast Date: August 13, 2021

Runtime: 55 minutes

What's in Your First Aid Kit?

Do you know what's in your first aid kit? Join Kevin Amick, Certified Paramedic and Director of Education at IATSE Local 479 for an informative webinar to learn essential items needed for any workplace first aid kit. Review items that all basic first aid kits must have as well as additional items that can help save a life. Information on safety trainings and IATSE Training Trust Fund resources will also be discussed.

Facilitated by: Kevin Amick, Certified Paramedic and Director of Education at IATSE Local 479

Broadcast Date: August 18, 2023

Runtime: 85 minutes

What's New (and Old) at the TTF?

Maximize your training opportunities with the IATSE Training Trust Fund! Join the IATSE Education Department and TTF staff, live from the TTF office in Burbank, California, for an informative session about new and ongoing TTF programs and resources.

Facilitated by: Training Trust Fund

Broadcast Date: July 2, 2024

Runtime: 85 minutes