



New York State Association of REALTORS®, Inc.

Local Board Education Forum Meeting Report

February 4, 2021

Zoom 11:00am

Jeffrey Decatur, GRI, SRES, C2EX, e-PRO, PSA
Chair

Barry Kramer
Vice Chair

Mike Kelly provided an update from the Government Affairs Department on pending legislation regarding the new broker's curriculum and experience.

Laura Copersino, Chair of the Education Management Committee provided an update on the NYSAR ITI/CDW certification that was presented at the Fall Business Meetings. A vote on this new certification will happen at the Education Management Committee meeting at 3:00pm on February 4, 2021.

Alison Lacy, Senior License Exam Specialists with the Department of State provided an update and answered previously submitted questions, then took questions from the audience

Currently there are, 54,264 Brokers, 77,957 Salespersons, 2,545 Home Inspectors and 4,165 Appraisers, licensed in New York State.

The next NYS Board of Real Estate meeting is scheduled for Thursday, March 11, at 1 p.m.

Meeting notices are published in the State Register (a few weeks prior to the meeting date) and information may be found at <https://www.dos.ny.gov/about/newsroom.html> or <https://www.dos.ny.gov/about/calendar.html>.

Instructors must get a letter from the school, to submit to DOS, to receive credit for teaching. Letters should include the course title, approval number, date, and the hours taught.

The group shared ideas, resources, and plans on Unconscious Bias Training programs.

Attendees were asked to increase their efforts in promoting the scholarships available through the New York State Real Estate Education Foundation.