



# OBEC

One Hundred Black Men of New York  
Business and Entrepreneurship Centers

## Mission:

To address generational wealth inequity as a social justice issue that is accompanied by improvement in economic status for current and formerly court-involved males.

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This program is directed towards 18-29-year-old justice involved Black men who often never find livable wage work opportunities after being touched by the criminal justice system.

This project addresses the stigma justice involved men face when trying to re-enter as contributing, productive, gainful, and responsible citizens.

But for an innovative approach, many otherwise healthy, inspired Black men are likely to return to the practices and habits that led them to their justice involved situations in the first place.

Are you a man that has been effected by the criminal justice system or know someone who has?

Please forward this information to them or fill out this form and we will be in contact to help make the first step to restorative justice and reclaiming financial freedom.

Name

Borough

Email

Phone



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## **The OBEC Vision:**

Our aim is to invigorate the local economy across New York City's five boroughs and the surrounding metro area. Through our program, we intend to guide 500 participants, create 150 new jobs by fostering entrepreneurship, and develop 100 new business owners via a comprehensive 12-week course.

### **OBEC 12-Week Program**

- Non-traditional education program
- No academic Prerequisites
- No tests for admission

#### **We are looking for COMMITMENT to:**

- Own
- Start
- Operate a business

OBEC will be led by seasoned business owners and / or entrepreneurs, who will teach the elements of business ownership and solvency from personal experience.

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