

# Annual Up Rising Stars Inc. Newsletter

#### **MEDIA APPEARANCES**

July 2018 - INTERVIEW WITH HOST
DR. BOB LEE FROM WBLS
ON BRONX NET COMMUNITY TV

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July 2018 – RADIO INTERVIEW WITH DR. BOB LEE FOR THE STEVE HARVEY MORNING SHOW



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## Up Rising Stars Founders from Left to Right: Darcell Johnson, Keiana Worth, and Danielle Worth

- Up Rising Stars Inc. is a family run, 501c3 non-profit organization operated by Danielle Worth, Darcell Johnson, and Keiana Worth. This organization was founded in September of 2011 and since inception we have given out 12 scholarships totaling approximately \$11,250.
- As a family, we believe that everyone is a rising star. Up Rising Stars Inc. motivates and financially assist deserving high school students to reach their full potential by giving scholarships to help fund their college education. We want our youth to know that we care and are willing to provide resources so their dreams can become a reality.
- The name of our scholarship is called "The Phillip Dorsey Scholarship Award" and it is in loving memory of Phillip Dorsey, who was Keiana Worth's father and Danielle Worth's step-father. Phillip Dorsey was a natural born humanitarian who had a passion for helping others, and particularly opening closed doors for our youth.
- His generosity and commitment to helping those in need was his life-long legacy, and Up Rising Stars Inc. is honored to carry on that tradition by helping young people reach their star potential and attain their future success as they pursue a higher education.

#### **UP RISING STARS IN THE COMMUNITY**

• We participate in Career Days, College Fair's and College Workshops. We also give workshops to students and adults about entrepreneurship and how to successfully navigate through college and enjoy the experience.



- On April 18<sup>th</sup>, Up Rising Stars Inc. visited the Manhattan Business Academy Career and Entrepreneurship Fair.
- This gives us a personal experience with every student and allows them to ask questions about our scholarship or the college experience.
- We want as many students as possible to be aware of our scholarship program, so they can apply and have the opportunity to be selected as a recipient.

#### **KEEPING UP WITH OUR SCHOLARS**

This is one of our 2015 scholarship recipients Tatiana Garrison. She graduated from Howard University in May 2019. She will be interning at the National Cancer Institute in Maryland this summer. We are so proud of her!!



Our 2014 recipient Erin M. Swann graduated from Rutgers University and relocated to North Caroling

Our 2014 recipient Allison K. Fierst graduated from Carnegie Mellon University.

**Our Seventh Annual Scholarship Awards Gala** 



Pictured Above: 2018 Philip Dorsey Scholarship Award Recipients Jonelsy Gonzalez & Emny Almanzar

We had our Seventh Annual Scholarship Awards Gala on July 28, 2018 at the Hilton Newark Airport in Elizabeth, NJ. Up Rising Stars Inc. has given out 12 scholarships to assist students achieve their dreams of pursing a higher education.

The gala was held to recognize these two young ladies in their achievement in getting accepted into the college of their choice. The entire event was a success, from the professional panel discussion to the dinner and entertainment.

We had over 100 guests as we celebrated our sixth anniversary. We received an overwhelming amount of glowing reviews!



### The Founders



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