



**March 28, 2009**

**9am – 9pm**

St. Francis College (180 Remsen Street, Brooklyn, NY)

**2<sup>nd</sup> ANNUAL YOUTH SUMMIT OVERVIEW:**

The Sista-2-Sista Youth Summit will empower 100 young women of Pan-African descent to reach their full potential by engaging them in panel discussions, workshops, live entertainment, and reflective activities. Utilizing a 3 step-process of self-awareness, self-appreciation, and self-actualization these workshops and panels will equip the students with fundamental tools to make well-informed decisions today and in the future.

**TARGET AUDIENCE:** High school-aged young women of Pan-African descent

**SUMMIT TOPICS:** The workshops and panels will include in-depth explorations of the following areas:

- Self-Respect
- Defining One's Passion
- Personal Accountability
- Financial Management
- Unity Among Pan-African Women
- Representation of Pan-African Women in the Media
- Hush-Hush Health Topics (i.e. therapy, mental illness, and domestic violence)

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**ABOUT THE GYE NYAME EMPOWERMENT PROJECT**

The Gye Nyame Empowerment Project (GNEP), pronounced “jean-yuh me”, is a tax-exempt, non-profit organization dedicated to recognizing, examining, and celebrating issues pertaining to people of Pan-African descent. GNEP was officially incorporated in 2007 with the mission of providing events and programs that boost the confidence and self-esteem of those residing in underserved communities. GNEP empowers individuals, families, and communities to reach their full potential through the use of conferences, workshops, on-going programs, and other educational and social mediums. For more information on GNEP please visit [www.EmpowerMeGNEP.org](http://www.EmpowerMeGNEP.org).

# COMMUNITY SUPPORTER

Are you a **high school** or **community organization** working with high school girls? If so, we would love YOUR support and assistance with making the 2<sup>nd</sup> Annual Sista-2-Sista Youth Summit as successful as last year!

## How Can You Help?

- Recruit high school girls to attend the Summit
- Ensure girls stay at the event the entire day by offering incentives like extra credit points
- Post information on the Summit at your school or organization
- Spread the word about the Summit

## What We Do in Return?

- Provide the young women with a plethora of life changing resources, contacts, and information that will assist them in making better, well-informed decisions
- List you as a Community Supporter on our website (including your logo and link to your school or organizations website)

For a breakdown of last year's workshop descriptions visit  
[http://www.empowermegnep.org/S2S/pdfs/S2S\\_Workshop\\_Descriptions.pdf](http://www.empowermegnep.org/S2S/pdfs/S2S_Workshop_Descriptions.pdf).