

Human Trafficking 101 Workshop

WHO IS THIS WORKSHOP FOR?

This online workshop on human trafficking, also known as modern day slavery, will educate everyday citizens on the phenomenon and what initiatives may be taken to prevent it in the United States and abroad. The purpose of the webinar is to provide those with little to no knowledge of human trafficking and an understanding on how it may be prevented.

WHAT WILL YOU LEARN?

- Definition of trafficking and how it happens
- Different forms of trafficking
- How to spot a trafficker
- Methods traffickers use to recruit victims
- Red flags/ warning signs to identify victims
- What slavery looks like in different countries around the world
- Comparison with real-life examples in the U.S., Eastern Europe, and Asia
- How to prevent trafficking before it begins
- What you can do to make a difference in the short term and long term
- Additional opportunity: personal mentoring/coaching to implement your own anti-trafficking project to impact local and/or global communities.

WHY SHOULD YOU CARE ABOUT TRAFFICKING?



The longer we ignore the problem, the more money we put in the pockets of traffickers. They hope we will do nothing, look away, or pretend it isn't happening. In the United States we are taught in schools that slavery was abolished, but, in fact, there are more slaves in the world today than at the peak of the Trans-Atlantic slave trade. Human trafficking is happening all around you. It's happening in schools, hotels, motels, truck stops, airports, homes, nail salons, restaurants, conference centers, everywhere! One person can't do everything, but we can ALL do something together!

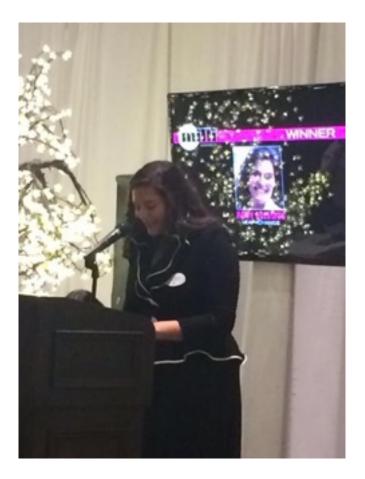


WHO IS YOUR COACH?

Romy Solomon is a leadership coach and program development specialist at LEAP4change. Romy brings her 5 years of international experience managing youth leadership development, experiential education, and human trafficking prevention programs.

Romy served in the Peace Corps in the Republic of Moldova, where she worked as a Community and Organizational Development Advisor. She was the director of Moldova ATIP (Anti-Trafficking in Persons) in charge of facilitating trainings on human trafficking and implementing national events to raise awareness.

Romy was later awarded a Fulbright research grant in Romania, where she worked with NGOs to research innovative new methods of human trafficking prevention for youth. In partnership with the organization, *eLiberare*, Romy established *The Freedom Fighters Academy*, a youth leadership and advocacy training program to equip participants with the professional skills and knowledge to implement anti-trafficking projects of their own design. In November of 2016 Romy was honored with a "Milli Award", recognized by West fair Communications as a Millennial changing the world.





WHEN IS THE WORKSHOP?

Friday, March 17th, 2017 at 6:00pm EST.

The workshop will take place online. Participants will be informed about how to access the platform after they have registered for the workshop.

HOW TO REGISTER?

Email <u>leap@leap4chang.org</u> to confirm your space.

There is a \$20 fee to attend.