# Intersectionality: Recognizing Our Students' Identities to Support Their Success

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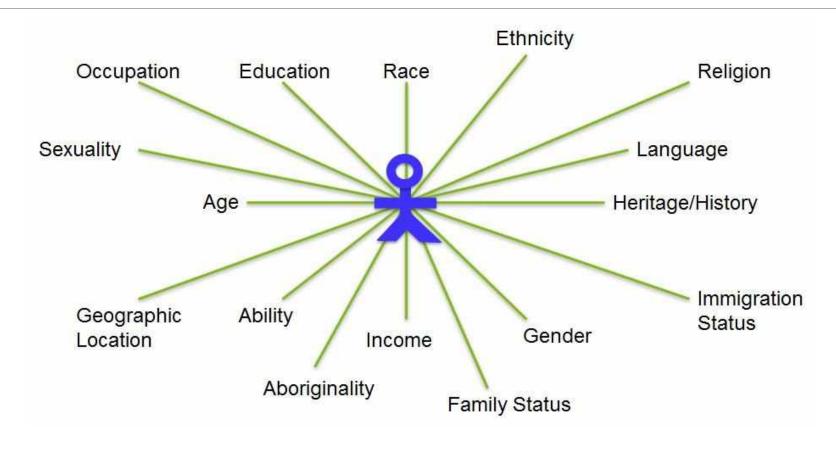
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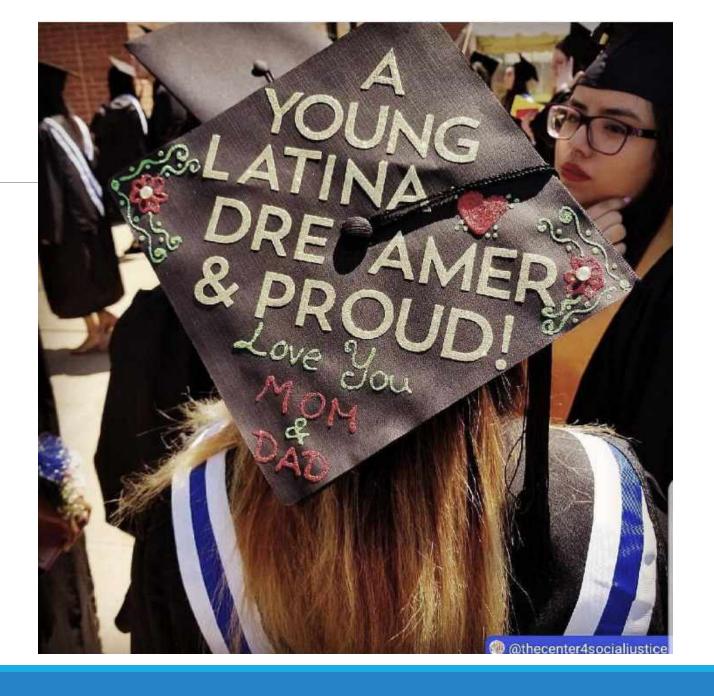


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**Undocumented Students** 

**Latinx Students** 

First-Generation Students



#### Undocumented Students



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#### Temporary Protective Status and Preliminary Injunctions

El Salvador TPS ends March 9, 2018

Haiti TPS ends January 22, 2018 but a delayed effective date until July 22,

2019

Honduras TPS ends January 5, 2018 may have a delayed effective date but

currently delayed until July 5, 2018

Nicaragua TPS ends January 5, 2018 but a delayed effective date until

January 5, 2019

Nepal TPS ends June 24, 2018

Somalia TPS ends September 17, 2018

South Sudan TPS ends May 2, 2019

Sudan TPS ends November 2, 2018

Syria TPS ends March 31, 2018

Yemen TPS ends September 3, 2018

Approximately six months prior to end date employment authorization ends.

#### Temporary Protective Status



An estimated 15,600 U.S. Citizens have been born to El Salvadoran TPS holders in New York who have spent on average 21 years in the United States.

An estimated 4,300 U.S. Citizens have been born to Honduran TPS holders in New York who have spent an average 22 years in the United States.

An estimated 1,900 U.S Citizens have been born to Haitian TPS holders in New York who have spent an average of 15 years in the United States.

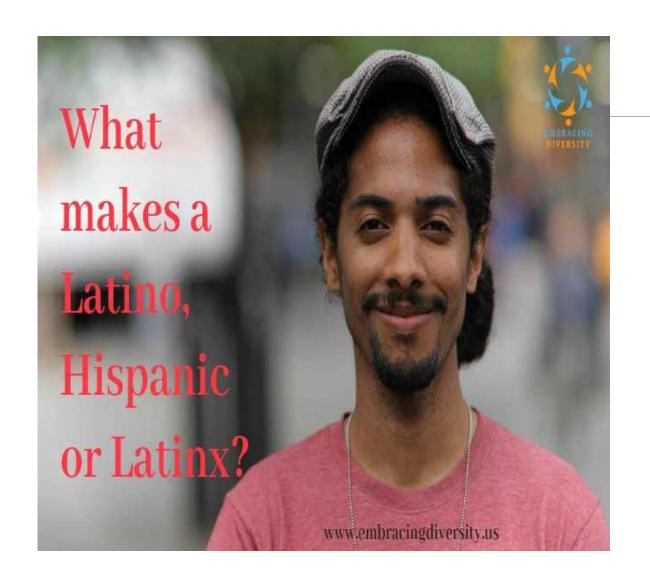
A total of 21,800 U.S Citizens will lose their parents to deportation.

There are 61,000 households with mortgages held by TPS recipients from El Salvador, Honduras and Haiti.

# A MIXTURE OF FLAVORS: Being Latino/a/x







#### What's in a name?

"Latinos" two definitions: a native or inhabitant of Latin America or a person of Latin American origin living in the U.S.

"Hispanic" - became officially in use within the United States in the early 1970s during Richard Nixon's presidency.

"Latinx" is a gender-neutral term used in lieu of "Latino" or "Latina" to refer to a person of Latin American descent.

Latino includes Brazil,but does not include Spain.

Argentina Bolivia · Brazil Chile • Colombia Costa Rica • Cuba Dominican Republic Ecuador • El Salvador French Guinea • Guadeloupe • Guatemala Haiti • Honduras Martinique • Mexico Nicaragua • Panama Paraguay - Peru Puerto Rico Saint Barthélemy Saint Martin Uruguay Venezuela

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To complicate matters.....

Adapted from Bustle.com

#### Fun Facts:

source: pew research center –fact tank

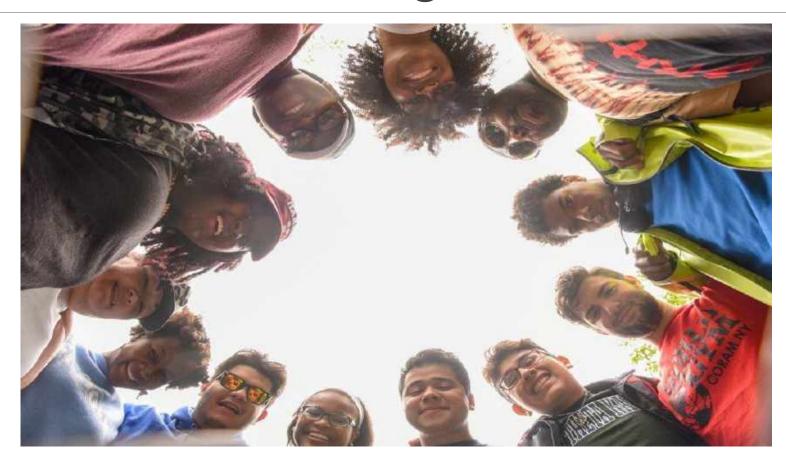
- 1) Immigrants are a declining share of the Latino population. The share of Latinos in the U.S. who are immigrants declined to 33% in 2017, down from 37% in 2010, due in part to slowing international migration from Latin America
- 2) The vast majority of Latinos are U.S. citizens. About 79% of Latinos living in the country are U.S. citizens, up from 74% in 2010.
- 3) The share of Latinos who speak English proficiently has increased. In 2017, 70% of Latinos ages 5 and older spoke English proficiently, up from 65% in 2010.
- 4) The U.S. Hispanic population reached 59.9 million in 2018, up from 47.8 in 2008
- 5) A record 32 million Latinos are projected to be eligible to vote in 2020, up from 27.3 million in 2016



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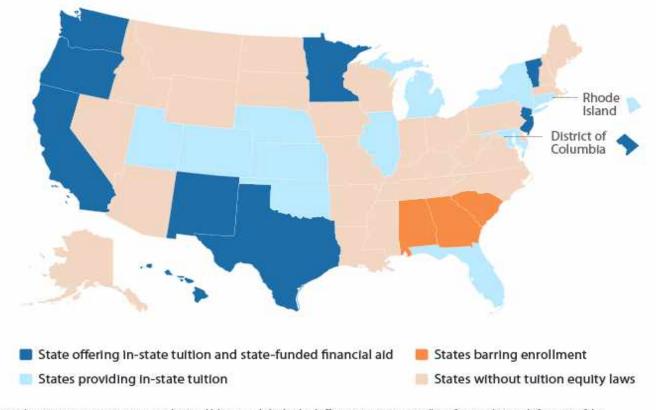


# Understanding Opportunity, Resources and Access

FIGURE 2

#### Access to higher education varies by state for students who meet certain criteria and regardless of their immigration status

Tuition equity laws and policies by state



Notes: The university systems in Hawaii, Michigan, Oklahoma, and Rhode Island offer in-state tuition regardless of status. The Board of Regents of the University System of Georgia bans unauthorized students from attending certain public universities. Colorado provides eligible students access to a stipend from the College Opportunity Fund program as long as they meet all the requirements.

Source: uLEAD network, "National Map," available at https://uleadnet.org/issue/map (last accessed August 2018); National Immigration Law Center, "Toolkit: Access to Postsecondary Education: Maps: State Laws & Policies on Access to Higher Education For Immigrants," available at https://www.nilc.org/issues/education/eduaccesstoolkit/eduaccesstoolkit2/#maps (last accessed September 2018); updated by CAP.

\*Correction, September 17, 2018: This figure has been updated to clarify the nature of Colorado's student aid opportunities.



#### Access to Higher Education New York State Financial Aid The Senator Jose Peralta New York State DREAM Act

The Act allows undocumented and other eligible students to apply for NYS financial aid



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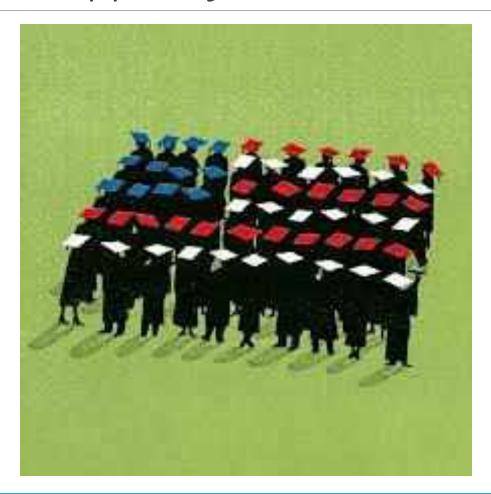
Monitoring the Status of the Application

Note: To address confidentiality concerns, student's do not need to provide a personal or home phone number. They can instead provide contact information for a family member, trusted friend, or adult with whom he/she has regular contact.

It is the student's responsibility to monitor status of application once it is submitted.



#### Security, Safety and Support for our Undocumented Students



### Resources for Latinx Students



Encourage Latinx focused clubs and organizations



Support diversity among faculty and staff



Partner with Colleges who offer duel enrollment (like SCCC)



Help students locate and secure scholarships specifically for Latinx students



Begin identifying students as they chose



Consider a peer mentoring program

#### Resources for First Generation Students



**Emotional Support** 

**Building Sense of Belonging** 

Clear advisement and curriculum support

Financial understanding and capacity building

Recognize social capital