

AAS Chosen for National Coaching Program

Accounting Aid Society is one of 10 sites chosen around the country to host a financial coaching program in partnership with Points of Light, Bank of America, and the Corporation for National Community Service.

As a Financial Opportunity Corps host site, AAS is staffing its program with two AmeriCorps VISTA members, Steve Simmons and Gabe Slabosky. They will be training community volunteers to provide financial coaching to low- to moderate-income individuals to reduce debt, improve credit, start saving for emergencies, access benefits, and build assets for long-term financial health.

Once trained, volunteer coaches will be encouraged to build a relationship and work with clients over several months.



Gabe Slabosky, above, Detroit Financial Opportunity Corps Coordinator, with one of the first sessions for interested financial coaches.