

Established in 1985, CUNY TV stands at the forefront of New York's public educational television, devoted to extending the academic mission of CUNY. With a commitment to uplifting the diverse experiences of New York communities, the station aims to provide lifelong learning opportunities for all New Yorkers. Under the leadership of Chiqui Cartagena, an industry veteran with 30 years of experience in media, marketing, and commercial television production, CUNY TV has become a vital source of insightful and relevant storytelling. Broadcasting from its studios at the CUNY Graduate Center, the station reaches an impressive 7.3 million households in the New York metropolitan area. Its programming encompasses 28 locally produced shows and more than 100 hours of content from CUNY Colleges and other partnerships each month. The diverse array of programs include magazines, studio shows, documentaries, student and faculty films, lectures, research symposia, and artistic performances. CUNY TV broadcasts across the five boroughs on channel 25.3 through cable providers such as Spectrum, Optimum, RCN, and Verizon FiOS. CUNY TV also plays an integral role within the CUNY system, America's largest urban university, comprising 25 colleges and affiliated institutions. With a remarkable track record, CUNY TV has earned 35 New York Emmy Awards and over 150 nominations, alongside prestigious industry honors like the Telly Awards and Communicator Awards.