



# SUMMER BRIGADE

**NEW YORK CITY & BLACK LAKE  
JUNE 23 - JULY 26, 2025**

## UAW Region 9A Summer Brigade Application Form

First Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Last Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_ My gender is: \_\_\_\_\_

Street Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code: \_\_\_\_\_

UAW Local: \_\_\_\_\_ How long have you been a UAW member?: \_\_\_\_\_

Employer : \_\_\_\_\_

Current Hourly Rate or Annual Salary (if applicable): \$ \_\_\_\_\_

T-Shirt Size (circle one): XS S M L XL 2XL 3XL

Current elected or appointed role in Local Union (if any):

Previous elected or appointed role in Local Union (if any):

Are you currently a member of your local's education committee? (circle one):

- a. Yes
- b. No

In order to participate in the Summer Brigade in NYC (circle one):

- a. I currently live or work in NYC
- b. I do not live or work in NYC but will secure my own housing
- c. I do not live or work in NYC and will require housing

What is the highest level of formal education you have completed? (circle one):

- a. No High School Diploma/GED
- b. High School/GED
- c. Associate's Degree/Some College
- d. Bachelor's Degree
- e. Master's Degree/PhD

Have you ever visited the Walter & May Reuther Family Education Center at Black Lake?

If so, what conference(s) did you attend?

Do you have an employer or union provided tuition assistance benefit? (circle one):

- a. Yes
- b. No

If yes, how much is the annual maximum benefit: \$\_\_\_\_\_

Do you have your own laptop? (circle one):

- a. Yes
- b. No

In 3 years, do you plan to still be a UAW member? (circle one):

- a. Yes
- b. No

**Signature of Applicant:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Printed Name:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Date:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Additional Application Information required:**

1. Please attach a copy of your current collective bargaining agreement to this application.
2. Please attach a copy of your resume/work history to this application. If you do not have a formal resume, a short document that details your work history is completely acceptable.
3. Please attach a 300-400 word statement that answers the following question:

*“How will you use the UAW Region 9A Summer Brigade to build worker power in your local union?”.*

**For Local Unions:**

By signing this application we agree to the following terms & conditions of the UAW Region 9A Summer Brigade:

1. If this applicant is chosen as a participant, the local will pay a registration fee to UAW Region 9A of \$500 by June 1, 2025.
2. The local union agrees to pay all honoraria payments, COBRA, purchase all flights, per diem, travel expenses, and any other cost required for the duration of this program up front which will then be reimbursed by the UAW International.
3. I confirm that this applicant is a member in good standing of UAW Local \_\_\_\_\_ on active roll with their employer.

**Signature of Local President:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Printed Name:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Date:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Please return signed and completed application along with attachments to:**

**UAW Region 9A, Education Representative, Alexi Shalom at [ashalom@uaw.net](mailto:ashalom@uaw.net)  
by MARCH 31, 2025.**