# **SEEING YOUR WAY THROUGH LIFE 2015 STUDENT SEMINAR**

**September 26, 2015**

Colorado Center for the blind

2233 W Shepperd Ave

Littleton, CO 80120

9:00 A.M.-4:00 P.M.

Presented by the Colorado Association of Blind students board: Samantha Barrasso; President

9:00: Registration; Center Lobby ($5 per person)

9:30: Opening remarks

Sam Barrasso, President, Colorado Association of Blind Students and Scott Labarre, President of NFBCO

10:15-11:15 break out Session 1:

1. Benefits of attending an NFB Training Center, Anna Givens, Secretary, Colorado Association of Blind Students
2. Involvement in Social Activities, Sam Barrasso, President, Colorado Association of Blind Students
3. Obtaining Internships and the importance of networking while in school, Cody Bair, Federal Tax Associate, KPMG LLP and Vice President, Colorado Association of Blind Students

11:15-12:45: lunch; (pizza and drinks provided)

11:45-12:30: How to effectively work with DVR and the current state of DVR in Colorado, Julie Deden, Executive Director, Colorado Center for the Blind and Brent Batron, Director of youth Services, Colorado Center for the Blind

12:45-1:45: break out session 2:

1. Find your Fit, Jessica Beecham, Director, WE Fit Wellness
2. Working Effectively with Disability Support Services, Glenda Buscarello, Disibility Coordinator, University of Colorado at Denver
3. Benefits of Attending an NFB Training Center, ANNA Givens, Secretary, Colorado Association of Blind Students

2:00-3:00 break out Session 3:

1. Find your Fit, Jessica Beecham, Director, WE Fit Wellness
2. Working Effectively with Disability Support Services, Glenda Buscarello, Disibility Coordinator, University of Colorado at Denver
3. Transitioning from School to Employment, Mike Hess, Executive Director, Blind Institute of Technology

3:15-3:25: NFBCO Scholarships, Cody Bair, Member NFBCO Scholarship Committee

3:25-3:45: NFB Philosophy, Dianne McGeorge, Board Member, NFBCO and Dan Burk, Director of Public Relations, Colorado Center for the Blind

3:45:4:00 Wrap UP, Colorado Association of Blind Students Board

Please contact Sam Barrasso or any member of the Colorado Association of Blind Students board for any questions.

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