

Be a Founder!

The Connecticut Association of Blind Students

Founding Meeting

Saturday, November 3, 2012 3:30 pm – 5:30 pm

Ramada Plaza – Hartford Downtown

50 Morgan Street Hartford, CT 06120 860-549-2400

As Part of the National Federation of the Blind of Connecticut State Convention

The Connecticut Association of Blind Students will be:

- The Connecticut affiliate of the National Association of Blind Students
- The student division of the National Federation of the Blind of Connecticut

The Connecticut Association of Blind Students will work to promote the equality, security, and opportunity of the blind by serving as an information source, networking forum, and vehicle for collective action for blind students. We know that blindness need not prevent anyone from excelling in a chosen field of study or living a full and productive life. Above all else, we are dedicated to changing what it means to be blind, by both changing perceptions among the general public of the capabilities of the blind and encouraging blind students to strive to achieve their maximum potential and realize their dreams.

People of all visual abilities are welcome!

Interested? Contact Justin Salisbury at ctabs.founders@gmail.com

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What can CTABS do for me?

- **Connect you with mentors in your area of study**
- **Introduce you to a more positive philosophy about blindness**
- **Connect you with other students from or studying in Connecticut**
- **Give you the chance to pass on your skills and knowledge to other blind students**
- **Connect you with resources to help you succeed in higher education, the job market, and life**
- **Be your opportunity to take leadership in the organized blind movement**
- **Keep you informed of all developments in the organized blind movement**
- **Give you an opportunity to work with other students to change what it means to be blind**