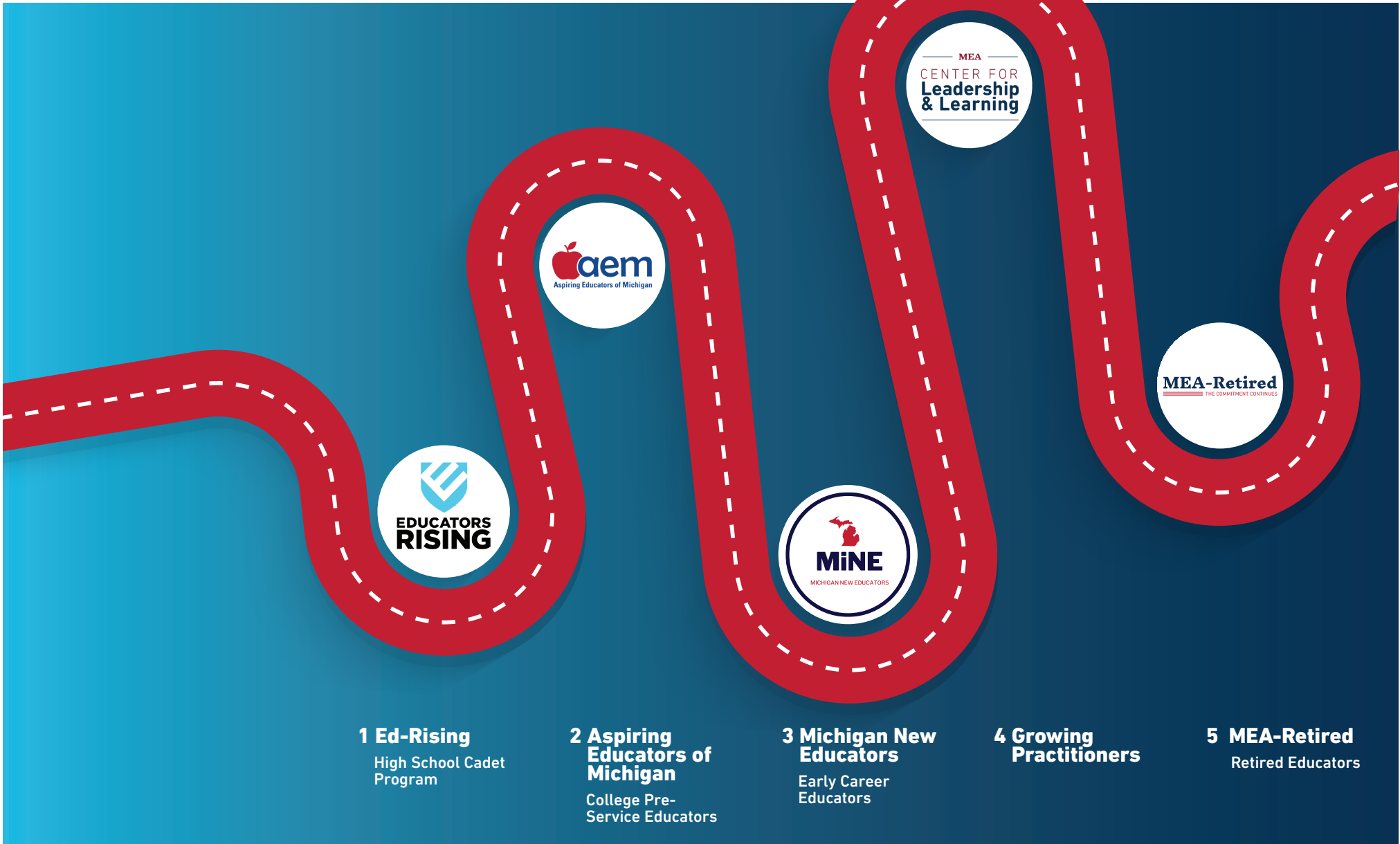




FROM ASPIRING TO RETIRING

A MEMBERSHIP ROADMAP

A place for you in every milestone of your professional journey!





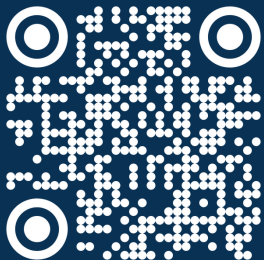
Where can we support you on your professional journey?



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Educators Rising

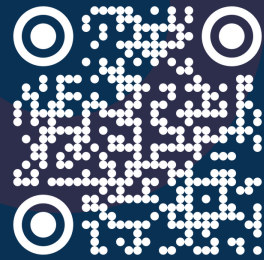
Educators Rising is our high school-level program for aspiring educators. Whether part of a CTE program or a school-based club, our goal is to support these students in pursuing their interest in and developing the skills necessary for a career in education. We offer teacher resources to help students network, develop leadership skills, and showcase the expertise they have gained in their education and training programs through regional, state, and national conferences and competitions.



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Aspiring Educators of Michigan

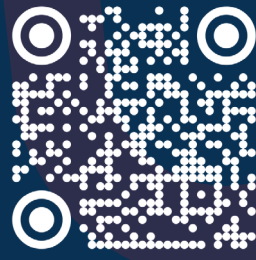
Aspiring Educators of Michigan is our pre-professional organization for college students preparing for the teaching profession in any of the higher education institutions in Michigan. AEM focuses on four foundational pillars: educator excellence, social justice, community outreach, and political action. We help prepare our AEM members to be knowledgeable and experienced union members, leaders, and educators through targeted professional learning, networking opportunities, and leadership development.



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Michigan New Educators

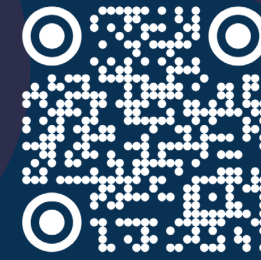
MiNE is a community committed to keeping new educators in the profession during some of the most difficult early years. Empowering, supporting, and engaging our members across the state with other early career educators helping them to remain passionate and energized. Professional development opportunities, in-person networking events, certification support, mentorship, podcasts and social events are just a few of the recourses for our newest members.



4

Growing Practitioner

As educators move from the first few years of employment into the next stage of their career, MEA offers professional development to help you in your work with students, leadership development and community advocacy. Recognizing that educators may move into different career paths such as principal, content area leaders or union leaders, the Center of Leadership and Learning is there to help you receive the professional development you need to achieve your goals.



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MEA-Retired

MEA-Retired is a community for our members to continue their activism once they have left their job in education. MEA-member retirees work for and support public schools through programs that support current practitioners and legislative lobbying. Members also mentor aspiring educators and lobby to maintain and improve retirement and health benefits for all public school employees.

