

In New York, as elsewhere in the nation, working women average far lower earnings than men. Nationally, among full-time employees, women make about 80 cents for every dollar earned by men. While New York performs substantially better in terms of wage levels than the national average, it is instructive to look at the remaining wage gap today, and explore where it is most persistent and why. Debates on the pay gap have recently intensified to a national conversation, with both Hollywood celebrities and women CEOs weighing in. Just last year, Governor Andrew Cuomo signed into law a package of Pay Equity bills passed by the







