

NAACP Headquarters
Individual Landmark
224 West 135th Street



NAACP Headquarters. Photo: Lorraine Colbert

The National Association for the Advancement of Colored People's (NAACP) national office in New York City was established in 1910. This historical office was a part of Harlem's changing social, political, and financial demographic during the 1900s.

The NAACP was founded in 1909 by writer and civil rights activist W.E.B. Du Bois with the intention to improve the societal status of black people in the country.