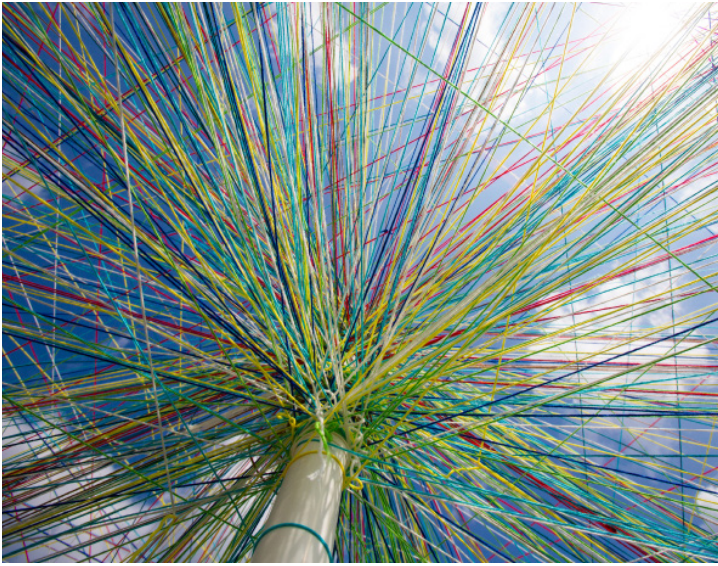


LIVING OUR COMMITMENT

Inaugural Inclusive Excellence Summit

Exploring New Ways to Increase Diversity,
Equity and Inclusion at UB



May 3-4, 2018

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Inclusive Excellence

Office of the Provost

Summit Program

Day 1 sessions are in the Student Union and Capen Hall.
Registration is outside the Student Union Theater (2nd floor).

8:00 – 8:30 a.m.

DAY 1 REGISTRATION

Outside Student Union Theater, 2nd Floor

8:45 – 9:45 a.m.

SESSION 1

145 A Student Union

Unplug the Power of Bias

E. Suzy Shallowhorn

145 B Student Union

**Energizing Workforce Excellence by
Broadening Participation and Professional
Development**

Margarita L. Dubocovich

Rajendram Rajnarayanan

145 C Student Union

**How Student and Faculty Research Can
Engage With Communities and
Advance Equity**

Sam Magavern

145 D Student Union

**Inclusion of Students with Disabilities in the
Field of Medicine**

Farzana Z. Ali

145 E Student Union

**Inclusive Design of Residential Life Facilities:
A Comparison of Greiner and Fargo Halls**

Jonathan White

145 F Student Union

**Classroom Acoustics in the Postsecondary
Environment – A Case for Universal Design**

Eric Burlingame

9:45 – 10:00 a.m.

BREAK

10:00 - 11:00 a.m.

SESSION 2

145 A Student Union

Creating Highly Effective Workgroups through Inclusion of Diverse Perspectives

Neil B. McGillicuddy

145 B Student Union

A Strengths-Based Approach to Diversity

Ed Brodka

Dorothy Siaw-Asamoah

145 C Student Union

Engaging Students Across Difference: Utilizing a Coalition Building Approach

Rachel DiDomizio

Phyllis Floro

145 D Student Union

Learning From Our Future: Using Diversity as a Tool to Address Climate Change

Derek Nichols

Gabe Cohen

Birch Kinsey

145 E Student Union

A MOOC for ALL Learners: Exploring Emerging Technologies for Lifelong Learning & Success

Roberta (Robin) Sullivan

Kim Behun

145 F Student Union

An Introduction to Web Accessibility

Mark A. Greenfield

11:00 - 11:50 a.m.

**LUNCH AND HONORS STUDENTS /
ACKER STUDENT OF COLOR COUNCIL**

Student Union
Theater Reception
Area (2nd Floor)

The Other Side of Campus: Revealing the Experiences of High-Achieving Students of Color

Dalia A. Muller

Danielle M. Johnson

Kendra Cadogen

Ephraim Gardner

Ashley Huertas

Angelique Romulus

Kelly Ann Swartz

12:00 - 1:00 p.m.

WELCOME AND KEYNOTE PANEL

Student Union Theater

Welcome

Satish K. Tripathi

President, University at Buffalo

Keynote Panel

Diversity and Inclusion on UB's Campuses

Margarita L. Dubocovich

*SUNY Distinguished Professor; Senior Associate
Dean for Diversity & Inclusion, Jacobs School of
Medicine and Biomedical Sciences*

Lee H. Melvin

Vice Provost for Enrollment Management

Sharon Nolan-Weiss

*Director, Office of Equity, Diversity & Inclusion;
ADA and Title IX Coordinator*

Robert G. Shibley

*Dean, School of Architecture & Planning
UB Campus Architect*

Despina Stratigakos, Moderator

Interim Vice Provost for Inclusive Excellence

Concluding Remarks

Charles F. Zukoski

*Provost and Executive Vice President for
Academic Affairs*

1:00 - 1:15 p.m.

BREAK

1:15 – 2:45 p.m.

SESSION 3

435 Capen

**Living on Campus:
Navigating Bias-Related Incidents**

Jazmin Clark
Arnela Bogdanic
Florence Ayeni
Joshua Sticht
Faren Gault Wilson

403 Capen

Underrepresented Groups in Athletics

Kathy Twist
Ian James
Devon Patterson

10 Capen

What I Wish My Faculty Knew

Terri Budek
Aishat Keshiro
Jose Henry

567 Capen

International Student Experience

Chihiro Aoki
X. Christine Wang
Namsook Kim

210 Student Union

**Using Universal Design to Create an Inclusive
Campus for UB Students, Employees, and
Guests**

Brittany Perez
Edward Steinfeld
Jordana Maisel
Michael Rembis

2:45 – 3:00 p.m.

BREAK

3:00 – 4:30 p.m.

SESSION 4

435 Capen

Promoting a Diverse and Inclusive Graduate Student Community

Xiufeng Liu

Terri Budek

Wen Guo

403 Capen

Diversity and Learning at UB

Cecil Foster

Sharonah Fredrick

Jobaidur Rahman Khan

10 Capen

Advancing Equity, Inclusion, and Diversity in Strategic Planning

Sadichchha Dhakhwa

Joy Resor

Samina Raja

Beth Tauke

Shannon Phillips

567 Capen

Community Initiatives and Engaging with Vulnerable Populations

Maria Coluccio

Kim Griswold

Cayla Sweeney

531 Capen

Homelands: Teaching and Learning on Native Ground

Theresa McCarthy

Hilary Weaver

Margaret Moss

Stephen Demchak

4:30 p.m.

END OF DAY 1

Day 2 sessions are in the Student Union, Capen, & Clemens
Registration is outside the Student Union Theater (2nd floor).

8:30 - 9:00 a.m.

DAY 2 REGISTRATION

Outside Student Union Theater, 2nd Floor

9:00 - 10:30 a.m.

SESSION 5

10 Capen

**Indigenizing New York State Higher Education:
Extending the Rafters & Building a Community**

William Jones

Gloria Lopez

Kevin White

Pete Hill

330 Student Union

**Free Speech, Academic Freedom, & Inclusion:
Can They Be Reconciled?**

Michael Boucai

Lucinda Finley

Bernadette Gargano

435 Capen

**What I Wish My Professors Knew:
International Student Inclusion**

Ellen Dussourd

Cai Wang

Jae Youn Son

Abhishek Pathak

Abdalla Beshir

Dilara Gargi

567 Capen

**Effective Pedagogy and Mentoring for URM
Students**

Kendra Cadogan

Ramelli Choates

Jacqueline Hollins

Letitia Thomas

Leslie Veloz

Marcelina Rodriguez-

Rondon

210 Student Union **Cultural Competence and Healthcare**
Jessy Alexander
Leilani Joven Pelletier

10:30 – 10:45 a.m. **BREAK**

10:45 – 11:45 a.m. **SESSION 6**

531 Capen **The Mental Health Awareness Video
Competition Program: Key Components and
Winning Videos**
Susan Mann Dolce
Elizabeth (Betsy) Rodriguez
Malaysia Hutchinson

567 Capen **Setting Up Your Seminar for Sharing Diverse
Perspectives**
Claire Cameron

435 Capen **Building Collaborations Across Majors,
Year Levels, and Geographies: Reflections on
Facilitating the Global Innovation Challenge**
Korydon Smith
Jessica Scates
Nicole Little

210 Student Union **Beyond Safe Space(s): Remapping the
University Experience for LGBTQ+ Students**
Seth Arico

403 Capen **Out of Bounds: A Conversation About Inclusive
Language and Student-Athletes**
Melanie Warren
Stephanie Rovig

**11:45 a.m. - 12:15 p.m. LUNCH AND STUDENT EXHIBIT:
THE IMPACT OF DESIGN ON DIVERSITY ISSUES**

120 Clemens

*Beth Tauke
Diversity + Design Students*

12:15 - 1:30 p.m. STATEMENT OF PRINCIPLES OF COMMUNITY

120 Clemens

*Mark Coldren
Kristina Costanzo
Ellen Dussourd
Meegan Hunt
Pat Keleher
Elizabeth Lidano
Heather Orom
Linwood Roberts Jr.
Margaret Sallee
Sharon Sanford
Letitia Thomas
Kathleen Twist
Susan Udin
Jodi Valenti-Protas*

1:30 p.m. END OF DAY 2

About the Office of Inclusive Excellence (OIX)

The Office of the Vice Provost for Inclusive Excellence plans, coordinates, and monitors the University at Buffalo's efforts to institutionalize the culture of equity and inclusion university-wide.

Visit our website at www.buffalo.edu/inclusion.html

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The UB Unity Project organized by the UB Intercultural & Diversity Center within Campus Life on the Student Union field on North Campus.

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