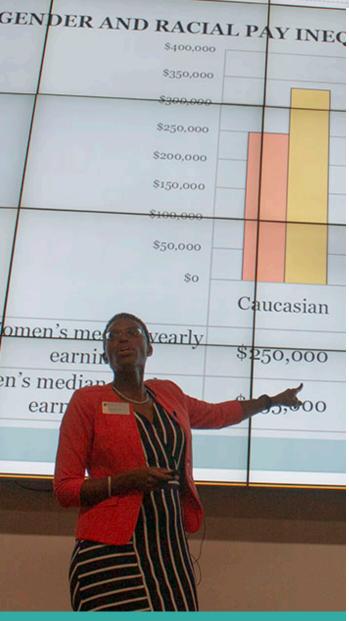
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Diversity and Social Equity Lecture Series

Addressing the Role of Privilege in the Healthcare Delivery System

Professor Ruqaiijah Yearby, J.D., M.P.H.

On Monday, September 23, 2019, the
Diversity and Social Equity Committee, along with
several other sponsors hosted a lecture series
discussing Privilege and Discrimination in
Healthcare with guest lecturer was Professor
Ruqaijah Yearby from the School of Law. Professor
Yearby is the co-founder of the Institute for
Healing Justice and Co-Director of the Center for
Policy and Equity. In her lecture, she provided
data regarding the various levels of inequity in
healthcare and how that inequity could affect the
quality of care provided and how inequity affected
the health of the individual provider. For example,
racism has been shown to increase rates of
obesity and binge drinking.

Over 50 guests were in attendance and those guests represented various levels within the School of Medicine: students, residents, faculty, staff, department chairs, and administrators. Feedback from the event was extremely positive and many requested that more events like it would be planned in the future.

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Click here for the recorded lecture or visit:

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Professor Yearby gives her lecture on "Privilege and Discrimination in Healthcare"



Left to right: Kanika Turner, MD, Professor Ruqaijah Yearby, Denise Hooks-Anderson, MD, FAAFP, Katie Heiden-Rootes, PhD, LMFT, Daniel Blash, PhD, LPC