

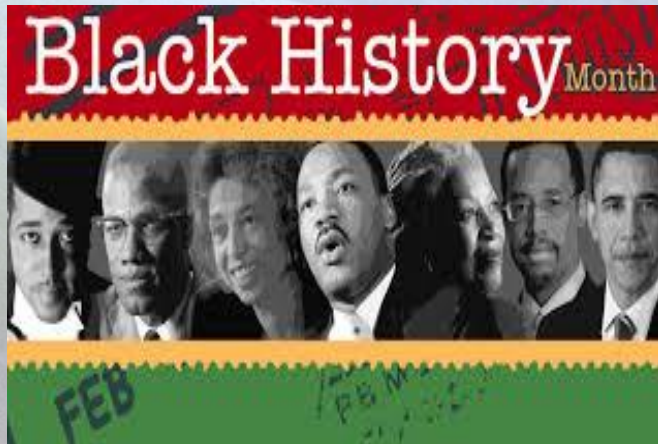
VUMC Equity Diversity & Inclusion – February 2021

Black History Month

February 2021

Black History Month
American History Month
Human Relations Month

14 St. Valentine's Day
15 Nirvana Day
15 Presidents Day
16 Mardi Gras
17 Ash Wednesday
20 World Day of
Social Justice



BHM Resources:

- [Celebrate Black History Month in Nashville with Upcoming Events](#)
- [Gallup Center on Black Voices](#)
- [PBS Black History Month](#)
- [Black Culture Quizzes](#)
- [Black America Web Little Known Black History](#)

AFRICAN AMERICAN ERG

For more info, or membership interest, visit: [AA ERG](#)

Black History Month 2021

AAERG- SALUTES VUMC
Essential Workers
(Zoom link to be shared prior to session)

Nashville Black Business Leaders
Panel Discussion

February 17, 11am-12pm

or

February 24, 11am-12pm

<https://zoom.us/j/9481480985>

My VUMC Article

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#VUMCCelebratesBlackHistory
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1902: Langston Hughes, American poet born	1914: Ernest Just, genetic biologist, wins the Spingarn Medal	1903: Jack Johnson wins the Negro Heavyweight Title	2007: Tony Danza, American actor, wins the Emmy	1998: American Football Hall of Fame, Arthur Ashe, the first black man to win a "Grand Slam"	
1972: James Earl Ray, assassin of Dr. Martin Luther King, is executed	1984: Congress repeals the Seditious Act making it a crime to overthrow the African American government	1964: American writer and Pulitzer winner, Alice Walker was born	1982: Alex Haley, American biographer, scriptwriter, author, dies	1990: James Earl Ray, "White Lynx" and "Sing"	1920: Negro League Baseball was founded
1867: Morehouse College organized in Augusta, GA, later moved to Atlanta	1965: Nat King Cole (Methodist Atlanta, GA) singer and pianist dies	1904: James Earl Ray, the African American Academy Award was born	1992: John Lewis, 1st African American member to be nominated for the Presidency	1885: Frederick Douglass, an African American social reformer, abolitionist, orator, writer, and	1988: Debi Thomas 1st African American woman to win Olympic medal in Ice Skating
1968: John B. Lewis, an American politician and civil rights leader was born in Troy, Alabama	2010: Matthew C. Johnson, The NBA's first African American coach to be named for the Academy Award	2002: Trayvon Martin is murdered while walking home in Sanford, FL	1964: Jackie Robinson wins the National League MVP Award		

OUR STORY
2021

United Voices of Vanderbilt Choir



Welcome UVOV to our growing list of Employee Resource Groups!

Please contact stephanie.l.holt@vumc.org for more information

PRIDE LGBTQ ERG

For more info, or membership interest, visit: [PRIDE ERG](#)

VUMC OUTList

Monthly ERG Meeting

February 18, 12:30pm

Celebration of **Queer Love: Valentine** making contest

February 8-12

For details email:

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Movie Night!

February 12 @ 7PM
New Gender Affirmation Toolkit supports inclusivity for VU Employees

VETERANS Resource Group

For more info, or membership interest, visit: [Veterans ERG](#)

Membership Meeting
Memorial Day Event Planning (TBD)

(Zoom link to be shared prior to session)

[Veterans Resources Link](#)

DISABILITY ERG

For more info, or membership interest, visit: [Disability ERG](#)

Membership Meeting
February 18th | 12:00 p.m.
Featuring VUMC HR
Ability to Accommodate: How to work with employees with disabilities

<https://zoom.us/j/97127694534?pwd=R1Bic0YdkYQVpwcDk6TVJhVUhnZz09>
Meeting ID: 971 2769 4534
Passcode: 863843

Latinos Unidos en Vanderbilt

For more info, or membership interest, visit: [LUV ERG](#)

LUV Monthly Meeting

February 19, 12-1p

[Click here to join the meeting](#)

[Será que Necesito Aplicarme la Vacuna del COVID-19? \(Spanish\)](#)

February 4, 7-8pm

[Loving Myself - Strategies to Manage My Well-being](#)

February 9, 7-8pm

[What Can I do to Lower My Risk For Cervical Cancer?](#)

February 27, 11am-12pm

MS Teams Space and WhatsApp group for LUV are coming online this month – don't forget to fill out the membership survey to be included.

HAAPI

Healthcare Alliance of Asian Americans and Pacific Islanders

For more info, or membership interest, visit: [HAAPI ERG](#)

HAAPI Regular Meeting

February 18, 11:00a -12:00p

<https://zoom.us/j/6192037077>

Meeting ID: 6192037077

Passcode: 34012020

We are planning our first big event: AAPI Stories, a story sharing session.

March – Women's History Month