

VUMC Equity Diversity & Inclusion – January 2022

National Mentoring Month

*“Do all the good you can,
By all the means you can, In all
the ways you can, In all
the places you can, To all
the people you can, As long
as ever you can.”*

John Wesley

*“Mentoring is a brain to
pick, an ear to listen, and a
push in the right direction.”*

John C. Crosby

January 2022

National Mentoring Month, Poverty in
America Awareness Month, Slavery and
Human Trafficking Awareness Month

- 1 – New Year’s Day, Emancipation Proclamation signed in 1863
- 4 – National Braille Day
- 6 – Feast of the Epiphany
- 7 – Christmas (Eastern Orthodox)
- 14 – Makar Sankranti (Hindu)
- 16 – World Religion Day
- 17 – Martin Luther King, Jr. Day
- 18 – Mahayana New Year (Buddhist)
- 24 – International Day of Education
- 26 – International Customs Day
- 27 – International Holocaust Remembrance Day

National Mentoring Month is a campaign dedicated to recognizing mentoring and the impact it can have on people’s lives. Whether it’s developing employees, supporting young people, or inspiring and preparing college students, mentoring enables people to unleash their full potential by learning from others.

Learn more:

- <https://www.mentoring.org/campaigns/national-mentoring-month/>
- <https://chronus.com/blog/tips-for-mentors-and-mentees>

DISABILITY ERG

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

For Employees with Disabilities
Thursday, January 6th
12PM

<https://zoom.us/j/91917517122?pwd=eUZmVmJqNFNleW9yZy9OVkFDNUgrUT09>

Meeting ID: 919 1751 7122
Passcode: 729803

Questions: disabilityerg@vumc.org

PRIDE

For more info and to sign up for the group’s membership survey, visit: [PRIDE ERG](#)

Monthly Meeting:
[January 20, 1-2p](#)

We’ll be using this meeting to brainstorm and plan the PRIDE ERG’s events and collaborations for 2022, so come prepared with your ideas! Email pride.erg@vumc.org for details.

LUV

*Latinos Unidos
en Vanderbilt*

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

Monthly Meeting
Friday January 28, 12pm
[Teams Meeting Link](#)

Article:

[Latinos Face Disproportionate Health and Economic Impacts From COVID-19](#)

VETERANS Resource Group

Celebrations and Honors

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

December
1 – New Year’s Day
17 – Martin Luther King Jr’s Birthday
20 – Presidential Inauguration Day
Read more: [Military Calendar](#)

For Veterans Day 2021, we again honored our VUMC Veterans through our 5th annual [Virtual Wall of Honor](#).

If any VUMC Veterans would like to be spotlighted on VUMC’s social media channels please complete this survey: <https://forms.office.com/Pages/ResponsePage.aspx?id=MFBX7y>

AFRICAN AMERICAN ERG



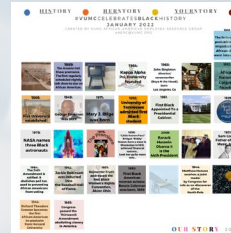
For more info, or membership interest, visit: [AA ERG](#)

Volunteer Opportunity with SaLT
(Jan 11, 6-7:30p) *All those that join us to volunteer from the AA ERG will be sharing their career journeys with high school students to expose them to various career possibilities!*

Register here:

<https://forms.office.com/r/ztvG24KdsN>

Contact us here: AAERG@vumc.org



HAAPI

Healthcare Alliance of
Asian Americans and
Pacific Islanders

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

Related activities will be posted in our website

Join Now!

Complete this brief survey if you are interested in joining our group by clicking on the link below or using the QR Code: <https://redcap.link/BeHAAPI>

This link ([AAPI - Gauge AI](#)) is to a resource for those seeking to learn and celebrate our Asian American and Pacific Islander Heritage. It includes testimonies, reading resources, and ways to support and engage.



United Voices of Vanderbilt Choir

For more info, or membership interest visit: [UVOV Choir](#)



In memory of Ronnie Yates, UVOV Choir Director, we would like to share this video honoring his life. <https://www.vumc.org/elevate/aug-ust-2021-leadership-assembly>

Please contact uvovchoir@vumc.org for more information

February – Save The Date for Black History Month