



## BLACK CAUCUS OFFICERS

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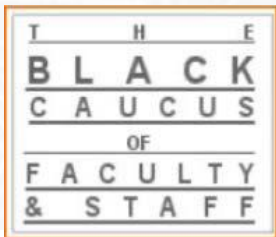
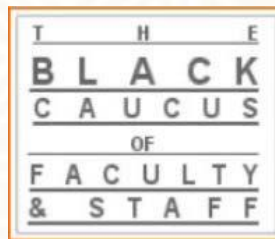
# BlackCaucus

## of Faculty and Staff

PURDUE BLACK CAUCUS OF FACULTY AND STAFF



The members of the Black Caucus of Faculty and Staff are an integral catalyst of impact and change throughout all facets of Purdue University. From serving a vital role in leading the university's mission-critical research agenda to ensuring the university's administrative endeavors are of the highest quality, members of the Caucus are, indeed vital contributors to Purdue's intellectual and cultural growth and development.



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# We Are Purdue

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The Purdue Black Caucus of Faculty and Staff (BCFS) is a visible and viable agency dedicated to promoting and enhancing identity, sense of community, professional welfare and development among Black faculty, staff and students of Purdue University.

The Caucus serves as an advocate for higher educational equity for Black faculty, staff, and students. The Caucus seeks to establish effective lines of communication with Purdue University's administration, working toward greater participation of Blacks in decision making.

#### OUR MISSION:

- **Act** upon issues which affect Black people at Purdue University;
- **Reinforce** self-awareness among black people by implementing programs and activities;
- **Institute and maintain** an effective and positive relationship between the University and its Black constituency;
- **Educate** the University on the dynamics of the Black experience;
- **Promote** the welfare of Black faculty, staff, and students.

#### BLACK CAUCUS MEETINGS

The Black Caucus holds meetings the second Thursday of every month during the academic year. Meetings begin promptly at 12 noon and end at 1:00pm. Meeting locations will be announced via email and posted on the website.

#### OUR STRATEGIC GOALS:

- **Create** a welcoming personal and professional network for all Black Purdue employees.
- **Advocate** for improvements to University policies that affect Black Purdue employees.
- **Initiate and support** all facets and values surrounding diversity at Purdue — including outreach, recruitment, retention and diversity education on Black issues.
- **Develop and sustain** impactful opportunities on campus and in the community.

**Visit the Black Caucus website at:**  
[www.purdue.edu/bcfs/](http://www.purdue.edu/bcfs/)

#### SIGNATURE EVENTS:

- Administrative Town Hall with Black Caucus Membership
- Annual Awards Program for students
- Professional Development Programs & Grants
- Black History Month Event
- Fun Friday Networking/Socials
- Holiday-Adopt-A-Family

#### BLACK CAUCUS MEMBERSHIP

Membership in the Black Caucus is a vitally important step in advancing and supporting the Black community at Purdue and in Greater Lafayette.

*Joining is easy:*

- **Send name, email, campus address & \$30 via Paypal:**  
<https://www.paypal.me/PurdueBCFS>
- **Or send name, email & \$30 check to the Black Caucus to:**  
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