

SFERS CONFERENCE ATTENDANCE REPORT

Board Member Name: LEONA M. BRIDGES
 Name of Conference: 52nd Annual Legislative Conference
 Date of Conference: September 20 - 24, 2023
 Location of Conference: Walter E. Washington Convention Center, Washington, D.C.
 Agenda and/or Other Materials Attached: Yes

1. Rating of Conference Objectives

1 = Disagree most, 5 = Agree most	1	2	3	4	5
The Learning Objectives were clearly identified in conference materials					XX
The conference was consistent with the stated Learning Objectives					XX
All of the Learning Objectives were met					XX

2. Rating of Presenters/Workshops

1 = Disagree most, 5 = Agree most	1	2	3	4	5
Appears to be knowledgeable in the subject area					XX
Provided a well organized presentation					XX
Was able to facilitate discussions effectively					XX
Communicated material in clear language					XX
Demonstrated ability to provide appropriate examples					XX
Overall rating of the Presenters					XX

3. Rating of Conference Relevancy to SFERS Board

1 = Disagree most, 5 = Agree most	1	2	3	4	5
Discussions were relevant to SFERS Board					XX
Handouts were useful				XX	
Overall the course content was relevant to my needs as a Board member					XX

1 = Disagree most, 5 = Agree most	1	2	3	4	5
Overall Rating of the Conference					XX

4. Would you recommend attendance by Board members in the future?

Yes: XXX	No:
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Comments: Overall, the conference was beneficial and relevant to discussions that impact many decisions by the SFERS Board. Many discussions by members of Congress on current and pending legislation for Defined Contribution Plans.

Signature:  Date: October 2, 2023

09/20/2023

7:00 am - 7:00 pm

Registration, Ticketing and Help Desk

East Salon

8:00 am - 4:00 pm

National Medical Association

The Quest for Healthcare Transformation

Sharon Moffett Joy D. Calloway, MBA, MHSA Yolanda Lawson, MD Room 143ABC Professional Development Series

8:00 am - 6:00 pm

Interfaith Prayer Room

Room 142

9:30 am - 11:00 am

National Coalition on Black Civic Participation (NCBCP)

15th Annual Black Women's Roundtable "Power of the Ballot: We Won't Be Erased!!" Policy Forum Series

Room 146AB Third Party

11:00 am - 12:00 pm

Congressional Black Caucus Foundation, Inc. Center for Policy Analysis and Research

Revving Up Change: Charging Forward for Transportation Equity

Dr. Jonathan M. Cox, Ph.D. Room 206 CBCF Hosted Session

11:30 am - 12:00 pm

Congressional Black Caucus Foundation, Inc.

Opening Press Conference

Hall D Special Event

12:00 pm - 12:30 pm

Verizon

Grand Opening Verizon Tech Access Lounge: Tech Innovations in Healthcare

Michele Cober Shaye Mandle Ned Chini Michone Johnson Kevin Fair Room 204AB Third Party

12:00 pm - 2:00 pm

Exhibit Hall Grand Opening Block Party

Hall D

12:00 pm - 2:00 pm

Hosted by Representative Joyce Beatty

Rising from the Burning Sands: Justice, Freedom, and Equal Opportunity

Braintrust Studio C Member Issue Forum

12:30 pm - 6:00 pm

Verizon

Verizon Tech Access Lounge

Room 204AB Third Party

1:00 pm - 2:00 pm

Hosted by Senator Cory Booker

Artificial Intelligence and Black America: Harnessing the Promise and Mitigating the Harms

Senator Cory Booker Room 202A Member Issue Forum

1:00 pm - 2:00 pm

State Farm

State Farm Communications Intern Roundtable (Invite Only)

Third Party

1:00 pm - 2:00 pm

Hosted by Delegate Eleanor Holmes Norton

Next Steps Towards DC Statehood

Room 145B Member Issue Forum

1:00 pm - 2:00 pm

Hosted by Representative Don Davis

Black Americans and the U.S. Armed Forces: Challenges, Opportunities, and the Path Forward

AJ Malicdem Russel Honoré Wesley Lowery Delia Kashat Representative Don Davis Michele Jones Room 147A Member Issue Forum

1:00 pm - 2:00 pm

Hosted by Representative Nikema Williams

C.R.E.A.M.: Building Black Wealth through Investment

Representative Nikema Williams Room 209BC Member Issue Forum

1:00 pm - 2:00 pm

Digital Mind State

Tech With Soul: Black Excellence (in) Technology ⓘ

Mike M Johns Ewunike Brady Dr. Michael V. Roberts Room 207B Third Party

1:00 pm - 2:00 pm

Hosted by Representative Sydney Kamlager-Dove

Reshaping the Narrative: Black Women Pioneering Change in the Entertainment Sector ⓘ

Representative Sydney Kamlager-Dove Gail Bean Room 145A Member Issue Forum

1:00 pm - 4:00 pm

Hosted by Representative Stacey E. Plaskett & Representative Marilyn Strickland

Congressional Caucus on Black Innovation Panels ⓘ

Representative Marilyn Strickland Ken Denman Dr. Joiy Buolamwini Damola Ogundi Renee King Francesca Ramsey Ifeoma Ify Perfecto Sanchez Jessica Johnson Cope Donald Cravin Dr. Leroy Carson Henry McCoy Cat Tucker Room 202B Member Issue Forum

1:30 pm - 3:00 pm

Hosted by Representative Barbara Lee

Tech 2025: Friend or Foe: How AI Impacts the Black Community ⓘ

Representative Barbara Lee Mutale Nkonde Kimberly Bryant Angel Rich Felecia Hatcher Myaisha Hayes Braintrust Studio A Established Braintrust

2:00 pm - 5:00 pm

Exhibit Showcase ⓘ

Hall D

3:00 pm - 4:00 pm

Coalition for Cannabis Policy, Education and Regulation (CPEAR)

Creating the Conditions for Black Business Owners and Leaders to Succeed in the Cannabis Industry ⓘ

Shanita Penny Barrington Rutherford Ricky Williams Vikiana Clement Hope Wiseman Room 209BC Third Party

3:00 pm - 4:00 pm

Amazon

Power of Arts and Storytelling: A Discussion on Empowering and Improving Communities through Art w/ Rep. Sydney Kamlager-Dove

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Aisha Gover Ras Baraka Dr. Joy Simmons Derrick Adams Brandon Webb Room 207B Third Party

3:00 pm - 4:00 pm

Hosted by Senator Raphael Warnock

The Moral Urgency to End Gun Violence: A Community Conversation with U.S. Senator Reverend Raphael Warnock

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Senator Raphael Warnock Room 145B Member Issue Forum

3:00 pm - 4:00 pm

Circle

Tools for Financial Freedom: Blockchain and Black Commerce ⓘ

Representative Ritchie Torres Room 202A Third Party

3:00 pm - 4:00 pm

Hosted by Representative Joe Neguse

People Over Politics: Messaging to the Community ⓘ

Representative Joe Neguse Sally Anderson Leslie Fields Kenny Thompson Room 147A Member Issue Forum

3:00 pm - 4:30 pm

Hip Hop Caucus

50 Years and Still Going: Hip Hop's Struggle Against Mass Incarceration and the Criminal Legal System ⓘ

Russell Armstrong Nicole Porter Ben Crump Joel Castón Roger Mitchell Rev. Lennox Yearwood, Jr. Room 145A Third Party

3:00 pm - 4:00 pm

Williams Co.

Our Histories Matter: New Initiatives in Reclaiming and Sharing Stories of People and Events Vital to the American Civil Rights Movement

ⓘ

Bobby Donaldson Derrick Meggie Representative James Clyburn Room 206 Third Party

3:00 pm - 4:00 pm

Zillow Group

UnDesign the Redline: A Look at Modern Day Redlining ⓘ

Megan Ekstrom Braden Crooks Jen Butler Lisa Rice Wendy Penn Representative Marilyn Strickland Room 207A Third Party

4:00 pm - 6:00 pm

American Investment Council

AIC Reception ⓘ

Room 146AB Special Event

5:00 pm - 6:00 pm

Congressional Black Caucus Foundation's Leadership Institute

Welcome to LI ❸

Jasmine Gillispie Room 201 CBCF Hosted Session

5:00 pm - 7:00 pm

Congressional Black Caucus Foundation

ALC Welcome Reception honoring the Members of the CBC ❸

Hall D Special Event

09/21/2023

7:00 am - 7:00 pm

Registration, Ticketing and Help Desk ❸

East Salon

7:00 am - 7:00 pm

Exhibit Showcase ❸

Hall D

7:30 am - 10:30 am

Congressional Black Caucus Spouses

Community Breakfast and Health Fair ❸

Franklin Park (1332 I St NW) Special Event

8:00 am - 6:00 pm

Interfaith Prayer Room ❸

Room 142

9:00 am - 11:00 am

Congressional Black Caucus Foundation, Inc. Center for Policy Analysis and Research

National Town Hall: Safeguarding the Truth to Strengthen Our Democracy ❸

Nicole Austin-Hillery Dr. Jonathan M. Cox, Ph.D. Braintrust Studio C CBCF Hosted Session

9:00 am - 6:00 pm

Verizon

Verizon Tech Access Lounge ❸

Room 204AB Third Party

10:30 am - 12:00 pm

Hosted by Representative Bonnie Watson Coleman with guest cohost Representative Yvette D. Clark

Black Women Best: Economic Security ❸

Representative Bonnie Watson Coleman Representative Yvette Clarke Jessica Fulton Nikitra Bailey Barbara George Johnson Britany Gatewood Samantha Sanders Aisha Nyandoro Dr. Kilolo Kijakazi Sandra (Sandy) Waite Room 209BC Member Issue Forum

11:00 am - 1:00 pm

Hosted by Representative Sheila Jackson Lee

Meet and Match-Minority: Suppliers Doing Business with the Public and Private Sectors ❸

Representative Sheila Jackson Lee Room 143ABC Member Issue Forum

11:00 am - 12:00 pm

Hosted by Representative Joyce Beatty

Money, Wealth and Disparities: Our STORY, Our ODDS, Our SUCCESS ❸

Room 202A Member Issue Forum

11:00 am - 12:00 pm

Wilson Global Communications, LLC

Why Black Americans Deserve Reparative Justice ❸

Representative Sheila Jackson Lee Dorothy Butler Gilliam Dr. William R. Darity JULIA WILSON Dr. Shirley Weber Dr. William Darity Room 146A Third Party

11:00 am - 12:00 pm

Gilead Sciences, Inc.

Advancing Breast Cancer Equity Through Patient Navigation ❸

Representative Jasmine Crockett Maimah Karmo Lola Fashoyin-Aje, MD, MPH Sandi Pruitt, PhD Ricki Fairley Dr. Monique Gary, DO Shonta Chambers Room 145A Third Party

11:00 am - 12:00 pm

Apple

Equity - The Revolution Is Now Being Televised ❸

Room 201 Third Party

11:00 am - 12:00 pm

Cresco Labs SEED

Racial Equity & Economic Justice, A Case for an Inclusive Cannabis Economy ❸

Room 206 Third Party

11:00 am - 12:00 pm

Emily's List

Frontline Defenders: Black Women Expanding Reproductive Rights at the State and National Level ⓘ

Sydney Batch Laphonza Butler Quiana McKenzie Roshni Nedungadi Lashrecse Aird Room 202B Third Party

11:00 am - 12:00 pm

Delta Air Lines

Fueling Wellness: Expanding Economic Opportunity For All ⓘ

Room 207B Third Party

11:00 am - 12:00 pm

Hosted by Representative Marc Veasey

Diversity in Video Games Competition ⓘ

Stanley Pierre-Louis Representative Marc Veasey Room 207A Member Issue Forum

11:00 am - 12:00 pm

AbbVie

Can Clinical Research Partnerships Move the Needle on Health Equity? ⓘ

Amber Ray Kim Ribiero Ann Cunningham Room 145B Third Party

11:30 am - 1:00 pm

Hosted by Representative André Carson

Transportation Braintrust ⓘ

Braintrust Studio A Established Braintrust

12:00 pm - 1:30 pm

Hosted by Representative Maxine Waters

Financial Services Braintrust: Banking in the 21st Century ⓘ

Representative Maxine Waters Braintrust Studio C Established Braintrust

1:00 pm - 2:00 pm

100 Black Men of Greater Washington, DC

See me in the C-Suite ⓘ

Room 146B Third Party

1:00 pm - 2:00 pm

Hosted by Representative Cori Bush

Black Women & Queer Folx Leading in the Fight for the Equal Rights Amendment ⓘ

Representative Cori Bush Michele Goodwin Room 145A Member Issue Forum

1:00 pm - 2:00 pm

Smith+Nephew

Infection Prevention to Reduce Maternal Mortality ⓘ

Representative Marc Veasey Representative Robin L Kelly Allison Siler Harold Scott Theodore Goldman, MD, FACOG, FACS
Tia Welsh, MD, MPH, CPE, FACOG Room 202A Third Party

1:00 pm - 2:00 pm

Indelible Solutions

Navigating the Goldmine: Harnessing Government Opportunities for Black Businesses ⓘ

Michael Blake Room 202B Third Party

1:00 pm - 2:00 pm

BLKHLTH with Amgen

BLKHLTH Conversations - Advancing Heart Health Equity: Unveiling Racism's Impact and Empowering Change in collaboration with Amgen



Aisha Tucker-Brown Kristen Crawford Tara Robinson Cardiologist Cardiologist Angela Yee Room 207B Third Party

1:00 pm - 2:00 pm

National Education Association (NEA) and National Association for the Advancement of Colored People (NAACP)

The State of Education: Sounding the Alarm on the Black Educator Shortage ⓘ

Room 207A Third Party

1:00 pm - 2:00 pm

Hosted by Representative Lisa Blunt Rochester

Passing the Torch: Building a Better Economy for Future Generations ⓘ

Representative Lisa Blunt Rochester Bakari Sellers Rhett Buttle Jonay Foster Holkins Room 209BC Member Issue Forum

1:00 pm - 2:00 pm

Congressional Black Caucus Foundation, Inc. Center for Policy Analysis and Research

From Awareness to Action: Unmasking Bias in Academic Medicine ⓘ

Room 206 CBCF Hosted Session

1:00 pm - 2:00 pm

Hosted by Representative Steven Horsford

A Business Imperative: Defending Against Attacks on Diversity, Equity and Inclusion in Corporate America ⓘ

Representative Steven Horsford Lisa Jackson Broderick Johnson Rose McKinney-James Room 201 Member Issue Forum

1:00 pm - 2:00 pm

Hosted by Representative Sheila Cherfilus-McCormick

Haiti: A Collective Path Forward ⓘ

Representative Sheila Cherfilus-McCormick Guerline Jozef Delphine Gardere Dr. Judith Joseph Room 147A Member Issue Forum

1:00 pm - 2:00 pm

Digital Mind State

A Black Man's Vision On the Future of Cars In An AI Driven World ⓘ

Mike M Johns Room 146A Third Party

2:00 pm - 3:30 pm

Hosted by Representative Bobby Scott

Education Braintrust: The Continuing Quest for Equity and Inclusion in Education ⓘ

Representative Robert Scott Lakeisha Steele Janelle George Saba Bireda James Murphy Shirley Wilcher Miguel Cardona
Braintrust Studio A Established Braintrust

2:00 pm - 3:30 pm

Congressional Black Caucus Foundation's Leadership Institute

Emerging Leaders Speed Networking: The 10 Minute Apprentice: Quick Tips for Personal and Career Success ⓘ

Room 143ABC CBCF Hosted Session

2:30 pm - 4:00 pm

Hosted by Representative Sheila Jackson Lee

Energy Braintrust: U.S. - Africa Partnership for Ensuring a Just and Equitable Energy Transition in Africa ⓘ

Representative Sheila Jackson Lee H.E. William Ruto The Honorable Jennifer M Granholm The Honorable Rita Jo-Lewis Zubairu M. Samaila
Braintrust Studio C Established Braintrust

3:00 pm - 4:00 pm

Zeta Phi Beta Sorority Incorporated

Policies, Politics, and Reproductive Justice. ⓘ

Representative Sydney Kamlager-Dove Stacie N. C. Grant Chris Rey Morgan Cephas Scott Phillips Representative Maxwell A. Frost
Representative Yvette Clarke Room 145A Third Party

3:00 pm - 4:00 pm

Siemens

Infrastructure Projects Driving Inclusive Growth ⓘ

Mayor Wayne Messam Steven Benjamin Tonya Hicks Denise Quarles Room 207A Third Party

3:00 pm - 4:00 pm

Farm Credit Council with guest cohost Representative Shontel Brown

Black Gold: The Journey to Defining the Goal ⓘ

Representative Shontel Brown Room 146A Third Party

3:00 pm - 4:00 pm

Hosted by Representative Maxine Waters

Innocent and Exonerated ⓘ

Representative Maxine Waters Room 145B Member Issue Forum

3:00 pm - 4:00 pm

Hosted by Representative Jennifer McClellan

The Power of Unity: Black Sisters and Brothers Standing Together ⓘ

Room 202A Member Issue Forum

3:00 pm - 4:00 pm

Hosted by Representative Jonathan Jackson

Strengthening the African Diaspora: Culturally, Economically, and Technologically ⓘ

Representative Jonathan Jackson Room 146B Member Issue Forum

3:00 pm - 4:00 pm

Association of American Medical Colleges

Preparing the Physician Workforce Today, Bracing for Tomorrow ⓘ

Representative Terri Sewell Danielle Turnipseed, JD, MHSA, MPP Ally Perleoni Wanda Lipscomb, PhD Theodore M. Shaw
Dr. Jeannette South-Paul, M.D. Room 202B Third Party

3:00 pm - 4:00 pm

Bank of America

Access to Capital: Pathways to Economic Empowerment and Mobility ⓘ

Room 207B Third Party

3:00 pm - 4:00 pm

Congressional Black Caucus Foundation, Inc. Center for Policy Analysis and Research

Crossing Borders, Building Bridges: The Critical Role of Black Migrants in Black Communities ⓘ

Valerie Lacarte, PhD Amaha Kassa Room 206 CBCF Hosted Session

3:00 pm - 4:00 pm

Hosted by Representative Lucy McBath

Gun Sense Takes the Nation: How Black Leaders are Working to End Gun Violence ⓘ

Room 209BC Member Issue Forum

3:00 pm - 4:00 pm

Hosted by Representative Bennie G. Thompson

Tapping into Untapped Talent: Diversifying the Cyber Talent Pipeline ⓘ

Rep. Bennie G. Thompson Room 201 Member Issue Forum

3:00 pm - 4:00 pm

Hosted by Representative Al Green

The Importance of Slavery Remembrance Day ⓘ

Michael Eric Dyson Representative Al Green Room 147A Member Issue Forum

4:00 pm - 5:00 pm

Verizon

Broadband, Housing, and Health ⓘ

Michele Cober René Quashie Michael Crawford DeChane Dorsey Dr. Nicol Turner-Lee Room 204AB Third Party

4:30 pm - 6:00 pm

Hosted by Representative Alma Adams, Ph.D.

HBCU Braintrust: Igniting Our Path For Sustainability: Philanthropic, Business, & Government Leadership in HBCU Engagement ⓘ

Representative Alma S. Adams Makola M. Abdullah Heidi M. Anderson Suzanne Elise Walsh Ian Conyers Vaishali Sabhahit Saidah Grayson Dill Braintrust Studio C Established Braintrust

5:00 pm - 6:00 pm

Hosted by Representative Valerie Foushee

Empowering the Future: How Investments and Recruitment of Black Creatives Through Early Education Pipelines are Impacting STEM Research. ⓘ

Rep. Valerie Foushee Daisy Magnus-Aryitey Julie Wenah Kamau Witherspoon Lilyn Hester Monica Cloud Room 201 Member Issue Forum

8:00 pm - 10:00 pm

Gospel Extravaganza ⓘ

United House of Prayer (601 M St NW) Special Event

09/22/2023

7:00 am - 7:00 pm

Registration, Ticketing and Help Desk ⓘ

East Salon

7:00 am - 7:00 pm

Exhibit Showcase ⓘ

Hall D

8:00 am - 6:00 pm

Interfaith Prayer Room ⓘ

Room 142

9:00 am - 10:30 am

Hosted by Representative Gwen Moore & Casey Family Programs

Child Welfare Braintrust: Why Unnecessary Investigations and Removal of Children from their Families Harms Black Communities. ⓘ

Representative Gwen Moore Braintrust Studio A Established Braintrust

9:00 am - 10:00 am

SEIU

Revisiting Black Women Best: The Framework We Need for an Equitable Economy ⓘ

Dominique Warren Janelle Jones April Verrett Room 146A Third Party

9:00 am - 10:00 am

United States Department of Agriculture

Civil Rights in Agriculture: The Past, Present, and Future ⓘ

Dr. Penny Brown Reynolds Adriano Vasquez William Henry Anita Petty Tracey Troutman Room 209BC Third Party

9:00 am - 10:00 am

Fight Colorectal Cancer

Fighting Colorectal Cancer in the Black Community ⓘ

Erin Darbouze, MPH Folasade May, MD, PhD, MPhil Simone Ledward Boseman Room 206 Third Party

9:00 am - 10:00 am	<p>Sacramento Black Chamber of Commerce</p> <p>Innovating for a Sustainable Workforce</p> <p>Azizza Davis Goines Brandy Bolden Dr. Davin E. Brown Kevin Daniel Gregg Fisherman Room 202A Third Party</p>
9:00 am - 10:00 am	<p>Hosted by Representative Frederica S. Wilson</p> <p>Policing in America: Redesigning Public Safety</p> <p>Phillip Atiba Goff Room 201 Third Party</p>
9:00 am - 10:00 am	<p>International Franchise Association</p> <p>Franchise Business Ownership: A Path Towards Wealth Creation</p> <p>David Smith Earsa Jackson Mike Quinn Omar Simmons Richard Snow Carolyn Thurston Tanya Hill-Holliday Room 202B Third Party</p>
9:00 am - 11:00 am	<p>Hosted by Representative Terri A. Sewell</p> <p>Voting Rights Braintrust: Give Us the Ballot: The Road to Restore the Voting Rights Act</p> <p>Braintrust Studio C Established Braintrust</p>
9:00 am - 12:00 pm	<p>Hosted by Representative Robin L. Kelly</p> <p>Congresswoman Robin L. Kelly's 2023 Fall Health Braintrust</p> <p>Representative Robin L Kelly Dr. Robin Jones, MD, FACOG Dr. Phyllis Dennerly, MD, FAAP Dr. Elizabeth Garner, M.D. Administrator Chiquita Brooks-LaSure Dr. Karen Sheffield-Abdullah, PhD, RN, CNM Dr. Dariush Mozaffarian, M.D. Eric Mitchell Troy Clair Dr. Lisa Green, D.O. M.P.H. Julian Miller, Esq. Dr. Derek Robinson, MD, MBA, FACEP, CHCQM Shanti Das Brent Bailey Crystal Garrant Tiffany Kumar Room 145A Established Braintrust</p>
9:00 am - 10:00 am	<p>ABFE</p> <p>The Scales of Economic Justice: Examining the Balance of Philanthropy, Black Business, and Racial Equity.</p> <p>Susan Taylor Batten Grace Smith Anika Hobbs Edward Jones T.J. Breeden Room 145B Third Party</p>
9:00 am - 10:00 am	<p>Hosted by Representative Maxwell Frost</p> <p>How do we stop the bleeding: A discussion on how to combat gun violence in a fractured political environment</p> <p>Representative Maxwell A. Frost Justin Jones Room 146B Member Issue Forum</p>
9:00 am - 6:00 pm	<p>Verizon</p> <p>Verizon Tech Access Lounge</p> <p>Room 204AB Third Party</p>
11:00 am - 12:00 pm	<p>Hosted by Representative Emilia Strong Sykes</p> <p>Beyond the Beam: Exploring Public Policy Solutions for Black Women and Girls in Gymnastics</p> <p>Representative Emilia Sykes Morgan Price Wendy Hilliard Lois Elizabeth Bingham Umme Salim-Beasley Zerlina Maxwell Corrine Tarver Room 207B Member Issue Forum</p>
11:00 am - 12:30 pm	<p>Hosted by Representative Sanford D. Bishop, Jr.</p> <p>Veteran Braintrust: Honor Our Promise: Black Veterans and the PACT Act</p> <p>Representative Sanford Bishop Room 147A Established Braintrust</p>
11:00 am - 12:00 pm	<p>D9 Fraternities PACs</p> <p>Black Male Voter Participation & Turnout</p> <p>Room 209BC Third Party</p>
11:00 am - 12:00 pm	<p>Hosted by Representative Glenn Ivey</p> <p>Black in Business- Life After the SCOTUS Ruling on Affirmative Action</p> <p>Representative Glenn Ivey Room 146B Member Issue Forum</p>
11:00 am - 12:00 pm	<p>Hosted by Representative Dwight Evans</p> <p>Black Maternal Health and Neonatal Equity: Local Leadership and Policy Solutions</p> <p>Kimberly Turner-Dixon Room 202B Member Issue Forum</p>
11:00 am - 12:00 pm	<p>Verizon</p> <p>Unleashing Innovation: 5G and Connected Health</p> <p>Michele Cober Shaye Mandle Ned Chini Kevin Dedner Dr. Lisa Daniels Theo W. Braddy Dr. Gabrina Dixon Room 204AB Third Party</p>
11:00 am - 12:00 pm	<p>Congressional Black Caucus Foundation, Inc. Center for Policy Analysis and Research</p>

Building the Political Pipeline: Training the Next Generation of Civic Leaders ⓘ

Dr. Adeoye Owolewa, MD Jade Agudosi Dr. Jonathan M. Cox, Ph.D. Room 206 CBCF Hosted Session

11:00 am - 12:00 pm

Walmart

Mental Health ⓘ

Room 146A Third Party

11:00 am - 12:00 pm

Hosted by Representative Emanuel Cleaver, II

Buying the Block: Increasing Black Ownership of Our Homes and Communities ⓘ

Representative Emanuel Cleaver, II Otis Rolley Room 145B Member Issue Forum

11:00 am - 12:00 pm

Hosted by Representative Jasmine Crockett

Young, Black, and Elected ⓘ

Representative Jasmine Crockett Kendyll Locke Amanda Seales Christian Menefee Austin Davis Room 207A Member Issue Forum

11:00 am - 12:00 pm

Amazon

Inclusive Tech - Technology of Tomorrow: Born Inclusive ⓘ

Brandon Webb Earl Flood Candi Castleberry Room 201 Third Party

11:00 am - 12:00 pm

Hosted by Representative Gwen Moore

Not for Sistah's Only: Closing the Gap between Politics and Poverty! ⓘ

Dr. Aisha Nyandoro Waikinya Clanton Representative Gwen Moore Room 202A Member Issue Forum

11:30 am - 1:00 pm

Hosted by Representative James E. Clyburn

Environmental Justice Braintrust: Advancing Equity and Nuclear Power in a Carbon-Free Future ⓘ

Representative James Clyburn David Wright Jessica Lovering Preston Gillespie Ellen Ginsberg Braintrust Studio A Established Braintrust

12:00 pm - 1:30 pm

Hosted by Representative Frederica S. Wilson

The Commission on the Social Status of Black Men and Boys ⓘ

Braintrust Studio C Established Braintrust

1:00 pm - 2:00 pm

National Association Of Real Estate Brokers, Inc. (NAREB)

NAREB presents State of Emergency: Addressing the Housing Shortage in Black Communities - Why We Must Buy The Block ⓘ

DR. COURTNEY JOHNSON ROSE Van Jones Malik Yoba R. Donahue Pebbles III Christopher Senegal Room 147A Third Party

1:00 pm - 2:00 pm

Chiefs for Change

Black Student Opportunity and Rethinking Career and Technical Education ⓘ

Dr. Monica Goldson Dr. Lewis Ferebee Dr. T. Lamar Goree Dr. Latanya McDade Dr. Avis Williams Room 145B Third Party

1:00 pm - 2:00 pm

Hosted by Representative Barbara Lee

20 years of PEPFAR: How we can achieve an AIDS Free generation ⓘ

Representative Barbara Lee Room 207B Member Issue Forum

1:00 pm - 2:00 pm

Hosted by Representative Yvette D. Clarke

AI For The Culture ⓘ

Representative Yvette Clarke Carlos Mayers Bertram Lee Mutale Nkonde Room 209BC Member Issue Forum

1:00 pm - 2:00 pm

Hosted by Representative Troy Carter

Our Kids are NOT Ok, and Neither Are We; Mental Health & Wellness in the Black Community ⓘ

Room 145A Member Issue Forum

1:00 pm - 2:00 pm

Bristol Myers Squibb

Meeting Patients Where They Are ⓘ

Dr. Olajide Williams Cari Gallman Rosyln Daniels Reverend Leroy Miles Barbara Hutchinson Room 146A Third Party

1:00 pm - 2:00 pm

Hosted by Representative Ayanna Pressley

Student Debt Cancellation is Essential ⓘ

Representative Ayanna Pressley Room 201 Member Issue Forum

1:00 pm - 2:00 pm

Hosted by Representative André Carson

Hip Hop and Politics: Activism, Culture, Revolution and Entrepreneurship

André Carson Kevin Liles Rev. Lennox Yearwood, Jr. Linda Sarsour Cameron Trimble Timothy Hinshaw Room 207A
Member Issue Forum

1:00 pm - 2:00 pm

Hosted by Representative Gregory Meeks

Leveraging the Diaspora: Government Tools to Deepen Commercial Ties in Emerging Markets

Representative Gregory Meeks Room 146B Member Issue Forum

1:00 pm - 2:00 pm

Hosted by Representative Henry "Hank" Johnson

Court Reform: Expand the Court Now!

Elie Mystal Representative Hank Johnson Room 202A Member Issue Forum

1:00 pm - 2:00 pm

American Institutes for Research

Integration and Equity 2.0: Leveraging Title II of ESSA to Support Black Educators and Black Students

Gina Chirichigno Terris Ross Leslie Fenwick Kim DuMont Room 202B Third Party

1:00 pm - 2:00 pm

Congressional Black Caucus Foundation, Inc. Center for Policy Analysis and Research

AI and the Future of Work in Black Communities

Dr. Jonathan M. Cox,Ph.D. Athina Kanioura Stephanie Dinkins Room 206 CBCF Hosted Session

2:00 pm - 4:00 pm

Hosted by Representative Danny K. Davis

Criminal Justice: How do we change the paradigm? What do we do next to make reentry work better?

Room 143ABC Member Issue Forum

2:00 pm - 3:30 pm

Hosted by Representative Maxine Waters

Young, Gifted & Black

Representative Maxine Waters Braintrust Studio C Established Braintrust

2:00 pm - 3:30 pm

Hosted by Representative Sheila Jackson Lee

Judiciary Braintrusts: Panel I: H.R. 40: Good for Black America – Good for America; Panel II: A Discussion with Mothers of the Movement: Where do we go from here?Judiciary Braintrust Panel: II. Mothers of the Movement: Where do we go from here?

Representative Sheila Jackson Lee Kamm, Executive Director Howard Dr. Ron Daniels Kavon Ward Robin Rue Simmons
Representative Lucy McBath Sybrina Fulton Wanda Johnson (Oscar Grant, 2009) Bridgette Floyd Braintrust Studio C
Established Braintrust

3:00 pm - 4:30 pm

Congressional Black Caucus Foundation's National Racial Equity Initiative

National Racial Equity Initiative: Protecting Black Boy Joy

Dr. Joseph E. Marshall Jr., Ph.D. Ty Hobson-Powell Shaun R. Harper Dr. Jonathan M. Cox, Ph.D. Room 206 CBCF Hosted Session

3:00 pm - 4:00 pm

JP Morgan Chase

Unlocking Second Chances: Clean Slate Policy Panel & Fireside Chat

Room 146B Third Party

3:00 pm - 4:00 pm

Hosted by Representative Gwen Moore

Anti-racism and Diversity Initiatives in Europe: Building Global Coalitions

Room 145A Member Issue Forum

3:00 pm - 4:00 pm

Hosted by Representative Lauren Underwood

Moms Can't Wait: Passing the Omnibus in a Divided Congress

Representative Lauren Underwood Representative Colin Allred Representative Nikema Williams Representative Alma S. Adams
Representative Lisa Blunt Rochester Room 207A Member Issue Forum

3:00 pm - 4:00 pm

Hosted by Representative. Donald M. Payne, Jr.

9th Annual State of African American Small Businesses: Activating the Black Community to Build Wealth through Entrepreneurship

Representative Donald M. Payne John Robinson Danyel Jones Jill Johnson Devon Oakley Melonie Parker Dr. Randal Pinkett
Room 145B Member Issue Forum

3:00 pm - 4:00 pm

Hosted by Representative James E. Clyburn

Tragedy on the Horizon: Substance Abuse Affecting Black Men and Boys ❸

Representative James Clyburn Ambrose Lane Jr. Edwin Chapman Bruce Purnell Winston Kokayi Patterson Larry Bing Room 207B
Member Issue Forum

3:00 pm - 4:30 pm

Hosted by Congressional Black Caucus Foundation's, Leadership Institute

Emerging Leaders: Mapping out your Succession to Leadership ❸

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Genentech

From Diagnosis to Survivorship: Personalized healthcare and navigating breast cancer for women of color ❸

Pierre Theodore, MD Ricki Fairley Katherine Crew, MD Lisa LaCasse Room 202A Third Party

3:00 pm - 4:00 pm

Gilead Sciences, Inc.

How Black Communities Can Lead in Ending the HIV Epidemic by 2030 ❸

Representative Robin L Kelly Athena Cross Deborah Telman Kimberly Jeffries Leonard, PhD Tori Cooper Ifeoma Udoh, PhD Dafina Ward
Cynthia Tucker, PhD Oni Blackstock, MD Room 209BC Third Party

3:00 pm - 4:00 pm

Baxter Pharmaceuticals

Kidney Health Equity: Improving Access for Black Americans ❸

Deirda Crews Room 202B Third Party

4:30 pm - 6:00 pm

Hosted by Representative Ilhan Omar

Foreign Affairs on Africa: Our Africa, Our Future ❸

Representative Ilhan Omar Idris Elba Former Liberian President Ellen Johnson Sirleaf WTO Director Ngozi Okonjo-Iweala Patrick Gaspard
Braintrust Studio C Established Braintrust

5:00 pm - 6:00 pm

Hosted by Representative Jamaal Bowman

RAP Act: Restoring Artistic Protections for the Black Community ❸

Representative Jamaal Bowman Room 147A Member Issue Forum

9:00 pm - 11:45 pm

The Black Party* (Ticketed Event) (SOLD OUT) ❸

Hamilton Hotel – Grand Ballroom Schuyler (1001 14th Street NW) Special Event

09/23/2023

6:00 am - 12:00 pm

Registration, Ticketing and Help Desk ❸

East Salon

7:30 am - 10:00 am

Day of Healing (doors open at 7:00 am) ❸

Hall D Special Event

9:00 am - 1:00 pm

Exhibit Showcase ❸

Hall D

2:00 pm - 9:00 pm

Phoenix Awards Tickets Will Call ❸

East Salon

7:00 pm - 9:30 pm

Annual Phoenix Awards Dinner* Sold Out (doors open at 6:00 pm) ❸

Hall D Special Event

9:45 pm - 11:00 pm

Official Phoenix Awards After Party ❸

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