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WELCOME TO OBA!

Wayne State University boasts more than 294,000 proud alumni from all walks of life. Regarded as a primary, time-honored alumni affinity group, the Organization of Black Alumni (OBA) connects Black alumni with enriching opportunities at the university, in the community, and with each other.

With a mission to unite, empower, connect, and highlight our university's Black alumni, OBA is a strong community network. Together, we make a positive impact on participants, prospective and current students, the university, and the greater Detroit community. To achieve this, OBA community representatives are aligned with opportunities to learn, lead, network, mentor, volunteer, socialize and receive recognition.





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STAY CONNECTED

4 EASY WAYS TO GET INVOLVED AND BE ACTIVE IN THE OBA COMMUNITY

GET INVOLVED

Stay connected with the latest OBA happenings by looking out for our e-newsletters, volunteer opportunities and event invitations. Get involved locally or virtually throughout the year, and unlock exclusive opportunities for achievement recognition and personal fulfillment.

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MAKE A DIFFERENCE

OBA community representatives are offered a plethora of ways to make a difference. Lead a group project for Alumni Week of Service; mentor a student; share knowledge with students or fellow alumni on a featured panel; support student scholarships; or offer meaningful advice to the next generation of OBA. When Warriors work together, we make a major difference in our community and beyond. Check the OBA website and e-newsletters for volunteer opportunities.

BE SOCIAL

Join our online community by following us on social media [@WSUOBA](#). Get the latest Black alumni news and OBA happenings. Share your event photos and stories with your personal networks using [#WSUOBA](#).

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SPREAD THE WORD

Be sure to invite a fellow alum — our community representatives are our strongest voice and the bridge to new connections! Forward events and **share the OBA interest form** to add them to our list.



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FEATURED EVENTS

SPECIALTY EVENTS

Enjoy premier access to speciality events both on and off campus with OBA. These group opportunities include campus-wide events and partnerships for Black History Month, Juneteenth observances, mentorship programs with current Wayne State students, Alumni Week of Service volunteer projects, panels and keynote sessions, community socials and tailored networking opportunities.

OBA COMMUNITY FORUM

Community representatives are encouraged to attend OBA community forums for exclusive opportunities to network, receive recognition, connect with students, and enjoy an invigorating space where Black culture is celebrated.

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UPCOMING EVENTS

View all our upcoming events online at alumni.wayne.edu/connect/oba/events



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OUR MISSION

To unite, empower and connect Wayne State's Black alumni.

OUR VISION

To build a strong community network that makes a positive impact on participants, prospective and current students, the university, and the greater Detroit community.

***FELLOWSHIP
AND MENTORSHIP***



***SCHOLARSHIP
AND LEADERSHIP***



***CELEBRATION
OF BLACKNESS***



***COMMUNITY
SERVICE***

