

# ADVANCING RACIAL EQUITY IN GOVERNMENT PROCUREMENT

 MARCH 27 - 29, 2023

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All times are indicated in Central Time

March 27, 2023 Government Agency Day	March 28, 2023 Industry Consultants Day	March 29, 2023 Academia & Community Day
9:00 AM <b>Welcome Remarks</b>	9:00 AM <b>Welcome Remarks</b>	9:00 AM <b>Welcome Remarks</b>
9:10 AM – 10:50 AM <b>Government Agency Presentations</b> <i>(20 min + 10 min Q&amp;A)</i>	9:10 AM – 10:50 AM <b>Industry Consultants Presentations</b> <i>(20 min + 10 min Q&amp;A)</i>	9:10 AM – 10:50 AM <b>Entrepreneur Case Studies Presentations</b> <i>(20 min + 10 min Q&amp;A)</i>
10:50 AM <b>Business Partner Expo Visits</b>	10:50 AM <b>Business Partner Expo Visits</b>	10:50 AM <b>Meet &amp; Mingle</b>
11:10 AM – 12:15 PM <b>Government Agency Presentations</b>	11:10 AM – 12:15 PM <b>Industry Consultants Presentations</b>	11:10 AM – 12:15 PM <b>Faculty Research Presentations</b>
Break for Lunch on Own	Break for Lunch on Own	Break for Lunch on Own
1:30 PM – 3:00 PM <b>Business Speed-Dating</b> <i>(Pre-scheduled 1-1 meetings)</i>	1:30 PM – 3:00 PM <b>Business Speed-Dating</b> <i>(Pre-scheduled 1-1 meetings)</i>	<b>Study Visits</b> <b>Locations to be confirmed</b> Innovation Center MBDC / WBDC / SBDC Incubator Accelerator Co-Working Space
3:00 PM <b>Business Partner Expo Visits</b>	3:00 PM <b>Business Partner Expo Visits</b>	<b>Pre-Registration Required</b> Coffee/Tea/Water and snacks provided.
3:15 PM – 4:45 PM <b>Business Speed-Dating</b> <i>(Pre-scheduled 1-1 meetings)</i>	3:15 PM – 4:45 PM <b>Business Speed-Dating</b> <i>(Pre-scheduled 1-1 meetings)</i>	
<b>Reception</b> Pre-Registration Required (Time & Venue TBD)	<b>VIP Dinner</b> by Invitation Only (Time & Venue TBD)	

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