A call to action:
Striving towards inclusion in academic biology

Effective, Culturally Responsive Mentorship

Effective mentorship matters in the talent development of future STEM professionals. Effective mentorship includes being culturally responsive to the differing social identities of trainees, especially related to racial and ethnic identity. This session will highlight supporting research on the facilitative role of culturally responsive practice and its relevance to mentorship of STEM trainees.

An initiative sponsored by the Society for the Advancement of Biology Education Research (SABER) focused on promoting awareness, understanding, and commitment to change academic biology environments to be more inclusive. We are excited that speakers will be compensated for their time and this event is co-sponsored by Arizona State University’s HHMI Inclusive Excellence Project, SEISMIC Collaboration, and the ASU RISE Center.

Seminar

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Location: https://asu.zoom.us/j/85648295887

Dr. Byars-Winston is a counseling psychologist and studies the impact of cultural diversity variables on academic and career development and mentorship, particularly in STEM fields. Dr. Byars-Winston is currently the Principal Investigator in the National Research Mentoring Network leading the Culturally Aware Mentoring initiative through the National Institutes of Health.

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