

The College of Agriculture DATA Diversity Awareness Week

Tuesday-January 17th

Diversity Message Board Activity
Lilly Commons Area
11am-2pm

Join us for some delicious desserts and refreshments and participate in our Diversity Message Board Activity! We want to hear from our Students, Faculty, and Staff on how we can build a better understanding of how you view diversity. We want to learn what people on campus think about diversity issues, and how we can bring about change and understanding to our College of Agriculture community!

Wednesday-January 18th

Fowler Hall
2pm-4pm

Keynote speaker: Dr. Gary Weaver-American University

Building an Inclusive, Respectful Environment

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For forty years Gary Weaver has been a member of the faculty of the School of International Service at American University, the largest school of international affairs in the country. Each year he gives keynote addresses, lectures, training seminars, and workshops to various universities, nonprofit groups, government agencies, professional organizations and business groups in the U.S. and abroad. His topics range from working in a multicultural workforce, law enforcement in a cultural diverse community, culture shock, and cross-cultural negotiation to conflict resolution, American identity movements and multicultural childcare.

Thursday-January 19th

College of Agriculture/Purdue Catholic Students Organization Food Drive
St. Thomas Aquinas Church-Across from the Agricultural Administration Building (AGAD)
8am-5pm

The College of Agriculture in collaboration with the Purdue Catholic Students Organization invites you to participate in our Spring Semester Food Drive. Please stop by St. Thomas Aquinas Church and bring any non-perishable food items/paper products that you are able to donate to support this worthy cause. All donations will be collected and donated to the St. John's Food Pantry-Lafayette, IN

Friday-January 20th

Brown Bag Diversity Movie/Dialogue
Standing On My Sisters' Shoulders
Pfundler Hall –Dean's Auditorium Kimber Nicoletti-Moderator
11am-1pm

In 1965, when three women walked into the US House of Representatives in Washington D.C., they had come a very long way. Neither lawyers nor politicians, they were ordinary women from Mississippi, and descendants of African slaves. They had come to their country's capitol seeking civil rights, the first black women to be allowed in the senate chambers in nearly 100 years. A missing chapter in our nation's record of the Civil Rights movement, this powerful documentary reveals the movement in Mississippi in the 1950's and 60's from the point of view of the courageous women who lived it – and emerged as its grassroots leaders.

Their living testimony offers a window into a unique moment when the founders' promise of freedom and justice passed from rhetoric to reality for all Americans. Through moving interviews and powerful archival footage, "Standing On My Sister's Shoulders" weaves a story of commitment, passion and perseverance and tells the story of the women fought for change in Mississippi and altered the course of American history forever.

We invite all of our Students, Faculty, and Staff for the showing of "Standing On My Sister's Shoulders". Please feel free to bring your lunch and have the opportunity to view and participate in our movie dialogue discussion!