

Department of the Air Force BLACK/AFRICAN AMERICAN EMPLOYMENT STRATEGY TEAM (BEST)



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BHM Video Project – More details to follow on USAF Facebook: [HERE](#)

7 Feb 1300 ET – Virtual Tour #1: Buffalo Soldiers Museum. Join us via [YouTube LIVE](#)

16 Feb 1300 ET – Virtual Tour #2: America's Black Holocaust Museum. Join us via [YouTube LIVE](#)

21 Feb 1300 ET – DAFBAWG Cross-Talk Panels @ the Smart Center, JB-Andrews, MD or virtual via [YouTube LIVE](#)

RSVP REQUIRED: [CLICK HERE](#)

22 Feb 1300 ET – Celebrating Black STEM Achievements Panel @ the Smart Center, JB-Andrews, MD or virtual via [YouTube LIVE](#)
Featuring CSAF General Charles Q. Brown, Jr. providing opening remarks. **RSVP REQUIRED:** [CLICK HERE](#)

*Each Monday, Wednesday, & Friday beginning 3 Feb, learn about a featured service member (DoD-wide including civilians) through out Living History Facts social media engagement. Share your stories as well. Join us on our [Facebook page](#)

****We will feature 10 more Black history museums throughout 2023 highlighting one each month. Watch the AF portal or the BEST Facebook page for museums, dates, and times. (National Museum of African American History and Culture will be November 2023!).**

To join the BEST, email SAF.DIDAFBAWG.BESTWorkflow@us.af.mil and join our [Facebook Group](#).



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Black History Museum tours

Buffalo Soldiers Museum
Houston, Texas
7 February 2023 @ 1300 ET



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Black History Museum tours

America's Black Holocaust Museum
Milwaukee, WI

16 February 2023 @ TBA



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BEST 2023 Offsite

► including strategy session ◀

FEBRUARY 21 | 1200 ET | 1300 ET

Doors Open

Event Starts



HYBRID EVENT

Joint Base Andrews, Smart Center
1359 Arkansas Rd, MD

or Join us LIVE on YouTube!



SPEAKER PANEL



Celebrating
STEM Achievements | February 22 | 1200 ET | 1300 ET

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Living History Facts
Social Media Engagement

Mon, Wed, & Fri
Throughout February on Facebook



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Black History Museum tours

A new museum tour each month!
Check our social media for Mar-Dec museums,
dates, and times!



Preventing Teen Dating Violence

Help teens develop healthy connections and recognize behaviors that can lead to abuse.

Help Teens Stay Safe in Dating

Teens are learning how dating and healthy relationships work, so they don't always recognize excessive teasing or controlling behavior as a problem. By accepting inappropriate behaviors, teens leave themselves open to more serious forms of abuse – such as physical, sexual or emotional abuse from a current or former partner. Nearly ten percent of high school students report being physically abused by a partner within the past year. Teen dating violence can lead to poor performance in school, underage and binge drinking, suicide attempts and violence in future relationships. That's why it's crucial for parents to stay aware and involved.

How You Can Help

- Model healthy relationships to show how honest communication builds trust
- Talk with teens about the importance of being respected – and respectful – in relationships
- Teach teens to use social networks and other digital media responsibly
- Connect teens with help through resources like your installation's Family Advocacy Program

More Resources for Teens and Parents

- **The National Child Traumatic Stress Network - Teen Sexual Assault** www.nctsn.org/resources/teen-sexual-assault-information-teens
- **Military OneSource** www.militaryonesource.mil
- **Love is Respect** www.loveisrespect.org
- **That's Not Cool** www.thatshotcool.com
- **Centers for Disease Control and Prevention** - search "Teen Dating Violence" on www.cdc.gov
- **Futures Without Violence** www.futureswithoutviolence.org

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SPACE MOBILITY '23

Conference

Major General Purdy and the Space Systems Command Assured Access To Space staff present the inaugural Space Mobility Conference! Hosted at Orlando's Orange County Convention Center on 21 February 2023, the conference features hard-hitting, thought-provoking deep dives into space mobility topics, leveraging top minds from government and industry to overcome obstacles that challenge the US and Allies' continued superiority in space.

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7 February 2023
Professional Symposium

8 February 2023
STEM Expo



The Computer/Electronic Accommodations Program (CAP) presenting at:

**Defense Equal Opportunity Management Institute
(DEOMI)**

366 Tuskegee Airmen Drive, Patrick Space Force Base

CAP will be demonstrating their assistive technology and services in the DEOMI foyer. CAP staff will be present to answer questions.

Date: 02/06-02/08

Time: 0900 -1600

Format: In-Person

Event: Open to all DoD Cardholders

Event POC: Dr. Kervin Sider, Email: kervin.sider.1@us.af.mil



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