

Diversity, Equity & Inclusion Insights



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PRIDE MONTH
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JUNE

Pride Month
Caribbean American
Heritage Month

JUNE

11 National Puerto Rican Day
Parade
12 Loving Day
19 Juneteenth
26 Hajj (through July 1)

For more observances and celebrations, click [here](#).

Get Involved & Stay Involved

There are many ways to advance and support an inclusive campus culture. At RCBC, one way is to join a PACDEI subcommittee. **Information below.**

Black, Indigenous, People of Color (BIPOC) Subcommittee

Chair: Corvena Francis-Denton (cfrancis-denton@rcbc.edu)
 Open to faculty, staff and students.

Disability Subcommittee

Chair: Jonathan Weisbrod (jweisbrod@rcbc.edu)
 Open to faculty, staff and students.

Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual, Transgender, Queer/Questioning, Intersex, Asexual, + (LGBTQIA+) Subcommittee

Chair: Renita Brady (rbrady@rcbc.edu)
 Open to faculty, staff and students.

Student Subcommittee

Interim Chair: Andrew Bamford (abamford@rcbc.edu)
 Open to students.

Women's Subcommittee

Co-Chairs: Brooke Mailhiot (bmailhiot@rcbc.edu)
 and Leisa Karanjia (lkaranjia@rcbc.edu)
 Open to faculty, staff and students.

News & More

DEI Insights Goes on Summer Vacation

After this June 2023 edition, the next edition of this *DEI Insights* newsletter that will be published is the September 2023 edition. Over the summer, any DEI-related news or content will be included in RCBC's college-wide *Briefly* newsletters. We look forward to picking the mantle back up in the fall semester.

Congratulations, Barons!

The PACDEI wants to congratulate all of our amazing graduates who have crossed the finish line this spring. You have proven to yourselves that you can conquer anything in spite of the difficulties you have faced along the way and we are so proud of your accomplishments and resiliency. May your next chapters be triumphant!

What's Next for DEI at RCBC?

Now that we have our final climate survey report in-hand, the PACDEI is spending the summer carving out a college-wide, multi-year DEI strategic plan and a yearly action plan to get us through the next year of making change on campus. These plans will include ways for other departments on campus to get involved; stay tuned!

