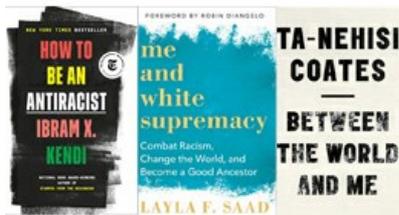# PEPPERDINE
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SEAVER Summarium

Compiled with the latest news, deadlines, and events, the Summarium seeks to act as a resource to our community as we enter a new week.

Listening to Black Voices

These few resources, far from exhaustive, are meant to assist non-Black community members as they listen to Black students and colleagues and incorporate anti-racist pedagogies into the classroom.

Anti-Racist Book Groups

This fall, the Seaver Diversity Council and Seaver Dean's Office are co-sponsoring Anti-Racism Book Groups for Seaver College faculty and staff and student affairs staff. We hope these groups offer an opportunity to start a dialogue and increased awareness, leading to more collective efforts in the future. We have six groups this fall, with books chosen from a list compiled by the Seaver Diversity Council, student leaders, and individual's expertise and passion. Each group is reading different books with different schedules. Learn more and sign up for a group today.

Black Leaders & the Future of Higher Education

As part of the Interfaith Youth Core (IFYC) We Are Each Other's campaign, IFYC founder Eboo Patel will lead a conversation with Black leaders in higher education . Colleges and universities not only nurture the next generation of educated people, engaged citizens, and competent professionals, but their leaders also serve an important role in American civic life. Join Hollins University President Mary Dana Hinton, Union Theological Seminary Executive Vice President Frederick Davie, and DePauw University President Lori White to discuss their civic role and vision in this moment. Register to attend today.

For additional resources, explore Payson Library's digital book display of more than 50 titles on racial inequality, racial justice, and anti-racism. In an effort to provide anti-racist resources and amplify the voices of our Black faculty, students, and community members, the Summarium will continue to feature resources here. If you have resources to submit for consideration, please contact Abigail Ramsey.

Keeping the Community Connected

Prepare for Remote Advising this Fall

Do you need help managing remote advising this fall? The Navigate platform is designed for this very scenario.

Sign up for faculty training now to learn how to use the appointment scheduling feature and how to build academic plans for your students within the Navigate platform. Please note that all students accepted into international programs for the 2021–2022 academic year will be required to build a plan in the Navigate platform through spring 2022. Training sessions—available on September 1 at 11 AM, September 8 at noon, September 15 at 10 AM, and September 17 at 1 PM—can help make your advising easier!

Sign Up for Training

Sabbatical Presentation Series Begins

We are pleased to announce the Seaver College fall 2020 Sabbatical Presentation Series.

Join us on Zoom for community with your faculty colleagues and to learn about research conducted during 2019–2020 sabbaticals. The series begins on Wednesday, September 15, 11:50 AM–1 PM with presentations by Kevin Iga and Julianne Smith. Learn more, find the full schedule of presentations, and RSVP to attend on the Sabbatical Presentation Series website. Those who RSVP will receive a confirmation email with the Zoom link.

Learn More and RSVP

Meet the 2020 First Wave Ambassadors

The First Wave Program announced their 2020 cohort of ambassadors to provide support for first-gen students.

The new 2020 ambassadors—juniors Jerry Calderon, Umeesha D'Alwis, and Hana Shim—bring their unique expertise and area of study to the Student Success Center to support a variety of first-generation college student needs.

Read More

Introducing Telehealth Services

The Student Health Center is excited to announce the launch of its telehealth program to provide convenient care when students need it.

All currently enrolled students residing in California are encouraged to take advantage of this great resource. Non-urgent medical concern telehealth visits are free for fall

2020. View the [telehealth informational handout](#) to learn more.

Learn More

Research at Pepperdine

Every day our community is engaging in research and scholarship across disciplines. Explore faculty stories and potential funding opportunities below.

Graziadio's David Smith on California Job Growth

Graziadio professor of economics David Smith shares his insight on California's halted job growth and economy in recent LA Times article.

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Funding Opportunities

ROSES 2020: Astrophysics Pioneers — Seeks proposals for "Pioneers", Astrophysics space and sub-orbital science investigations that are greater in cost, scope and capability than what is possible within the Astrophysics Research and Analysis (APRA) program. Applications due September 24. **Learn More ▶**

Access to Historical Records: Archival Projects — Seeks projects that will significantly improve online public discovery and use of historical records collections, especially interested in collections of America's early legal records. Applications due October 1. **Learn More ▶**

Algebra and Number Theory — This program supports research in algebra, algebraic and arithmetic geometry, number theory, and representation theory. Applications due October 2. **Learn More ▶**

Internal Funding Opportunities — With the support of the President, the Provost, and the deans there are a number of internally-funded research programs available to faculty, staff, and students in order to encourage and support quality scholarly activity. **Learn More ▶**

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