Center on Race, Law and Justice presents

How Long ‘Til Black Future Month?

February 25, 2021
4 p.m. - 5:30 p.m. EDT
Zoom Webinar
The election of Kamala Harris as Vice-President has been celebrated as marking a series of firsts: the first woman, first Black American, and the first person of South Asian descent to serve as Vice-President. And of course, before that Barack Obama was celebrated as the country’s first Black president. These are markers of progress, and yet as Covid-19 has put in sharp relief, unequal racial outcomes persist. Indeed, Black men in the U.S. earn 51 cents on average for every $1 earned by white men, the same as in 1950. So what does the future hold for Black people, especially given that this country is projected to tip from being majority-white to majority-minority by 2044? And what role can law—and lawyers—play in shaping that future? This Black history month, the Center brings together scholars to discuss Black future.

AGENDA

4 - 5:30 p.m. | Program
(1.5 diversity CLE)
featuring
Kendall Thomas, Nash Professor of Law, Columbia Law School
Deborah N. Archer, Professor of Clinical Law, and Co-Director of the Center on Race, Inequality, and the Law, NYU Law School
Ifeoma Ajunwa, Associate Professor of Law, and Director of Artificial Intelligence and the Decision-Making Research Program, UNC School of Law
Kimberly Bain, John Holmes Assistant Professor in Humanities, Tufts University
Moderator: Bennett Capers, Professor of Law and Director, Center on Race, Law and Justice, Fordham Law School

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