

Re: Demographics of Med school students at HU

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To: Frederick, Wayne <HUPresident@Howard.edu>

Good afternoon Dr. Frederick,

Thank you. I look forward to the data.

Why do I want to know? It's relevant to one of the core shared governance domains of the Faculty Senate at Howard University : academics. We've reports that very few African Americans make up these numbers. Also, I'd asked the HU Board if there was a strategy to move away from a focus on African Americans. They said "no". So I assume these numbers are important to them too. So If these numbers are small or going down, it indicates there might be a problem.

What will I do with these numbers? I'll report them to the faculty. "A rising de lifts all boats". I wish no harm to the dreamers. But I also want to make sure we live up to our responsibilities to a large number of African Americans.

Thank you again,

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**Subject:** Re: Demographics of Med school students at HU

I will respond to both of your questions with the data. Why do you want to know the citizenship and ethnicities of these students and trainees? In a time of dreamers being under attack can you clarify what you intend to do with this data?

On Apr 9, 2020, at 11:24 AM, Alfred, Marcus <marAlfred@howard.edu> wrote:

Good morning Dr. Wutoh,

About a year ago, I'd asked Dean Mighty about 3 different times for the following information but he never provided it. It's relevant to recruitment of undergrads that might eventually want to go to med school.

1. How many of the 740 (first year med students and interns from last year) are med students and how many are interns?
2. How many HU med students are US citizens?
3. How many HU med students are African Americans?
4. For the last 5 years, how many HU med students have there been each year and how many each year have been US citizens? How many African American?
5. Also, how many attending physicians are at HU hospital now? How many have there been each year for the last 5 years?
6. How many of these attending physicians are African Americans? (both now and each of the last 5 years)

Also, is it true that the decision to create a new Fine Arts College has been reversed?

Thank you,

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