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The Black History of Cannabis: Panel Discussion with Tauhid Chappell, Dewey Thomas, Linn Washington Jr., and Jelani Gibson

Sponsored by Drexel University's Medical Cannabis Research Center

The panel discussion will be led by Tauhid Chappell, an Executive Board Member of the Philadelphia Association of Black Journalists. Tauhid has worked for The Washington Post, Philadelphia Inquirer, Free Press, and now leads the Philadelphia CannaBusiness Association – Pennsylvania's first Black-owned and Black-led cannabis nonprofit. Tauhid will be joined by Dewey Thomas, the Director of Education for the Diasporic Alliance of Cannabis Opportunities (DACO); as well as Linn Washington Jr., a professor of Journalism at Temple University focusing on race-based inequities specifically related to cannabis; and Jelani Gibson, a reporter for NJ Cannabis Insider – a section of NJ.com and The Star-Ledger.

The panel will be discussing the history of cannabis from the Black perspective on cannabis in ancient history, American history and modern history and how it relates to the current state of legalization and medicalization of cannabis across the country and specifically in the region.

Monday, February 13th, 2023
5:00 p.m. – 6:00 p.m. ET
Virtual via Zoom
Zoom link will be sent to all who RSVP

Please RSVP by Noon on Monday, Feb 13, 2023
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