

Student Access and Educational Equity (SAEE), a division of Undergraduate Academic Affairs, is pleased to host our sixth annual Access Week. During Access Week, SAEE invites the Rutgers community to celebrate, support, and learn more about first-generation, low-income and underrepresented students through intensive programming and dialogue. Access Week programs are open to students, faculty, and staff from Rutgers University (New Brunswick, Camden, and Newark campuses). To learn more about the events taking place during Access Week and to register, [click here](#).

https://access.rutgers.edu/information/access-week?utm_source=email&utm_campaign=access_week

RU1st Forum

Tuesday, February 19, 2019

9:00 am-12:00 pm

College Avenue Student Center,
Multipurpose Room

Featuring special guest Zakiya Smith Ellis, NJ Secretary of Higher Education, the RU1st Forum comprises a panel of national experts who will explore best practices for increasing retention and four-year graduation rates for first-generation, low-income, and underrepresented students. Panelists include Eugene Anderson, Vice President, Office of Access and Success at the Association of Public and Land-Grant Universities; Courtney McAnuff, Vice Chancellor of Enrollment Management at Rutgers University—New Brunswick; Takondwa Musa, a student at Rutgers School of Arts and Sciences; and Vijay Pendakur, Dean of Students at Cornell University. Space is limited

James Dickson Carr Lecture Series

Wednesday, February 20, 2019 – to be rescheduled

6:30 pm-9:00 pm

Busch Student Center,
Multipurpose Room

Join [Laura Coates](#), a professor at George Washington University School of Law, attorney, CNN Legal Analyst, and author of “You Have The Right,” for her lecture on the importance of advocating for one’s civil rights and understanding the integrity of activism. **This program is open to all Rutgers students, faculty, and staff from all three campuses and the public.** Space is limited.