



BUILDING BELONGING

at the National Institutes of Health



Session 1 — August 13, 2024 — 1:00 p.m. to 3:00 p.m. Eastern

Virtual Event ([Click here to Register](#))

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- 1:00 p.m.** **Welcome, Logistics, and Introduction of NIH Director**
Eddie Billingslea, Ph.D.
National Institute of General Medical Sciences (NIGMS)
- 1:05 p.m.** **Opening Remarks**
Monica M. Bertagnolli, M.D.
Director of the National Institutes of Health
- 1:10 p.m.** **Building Belonging at NIH: What the Data Tell Us (or Where Are We Now)**
Kristen Dunn-Thomason
NIH Office of Human Resources (OHR)
Overview of the most recent Federal Employee Viewpoint Survey and NIH Workplace Civility and Equity Survey data as they relate to inclusion and belonging at NIH.
- 1:35 p.m.** **Moderated Audience Q&A with Kristen Dunn-Thomason**
Irene Avila, Ph.D. (Moderator)
Sexual & Gender Minority Research Office (SGMRO)
- 1:50 p.m.** **Building Belonging at NIH: From Data to Action (or Where We Want to Be)**
- ◆ **Speaking up and Speaking Out to Build Belonging (8CRE & UNITE)**
Marguerite Matthews, Ph.D., *National Institute of Neurological Disorders and Stroke (NINDS)*
Sadhana Jackson, M.D., *NINDS & National Cancer Institute (NCI)*
 - ◆ **Collaborations for Building Belonging (SGMRO, Salutaris, Office of Equity, Diversity, and Inclusion (EDI), and Office of Intramural Training & Education)**
Christopher Barnhart, Ph.D., *SGMRO*
Jordan Gladman, Ph.D., *NINDS; Salutaris Employee Resource Group*
 - ◆ **Institutional Change for Building Belonging**
Robert Rivers, Ph.D.
National Human Genome Research Institute (NHGRI)
- 2:35 p.m.** **Moderated Audience Q&A with Panelists**
Karen Parker, Ph.D., M.S.W (Moderator), *SGMRO*
- 2:50 p.m.** **Wrap Up & Closing**
Kevin Williams, EDI
Parting thoughts and plans for the next two sessions of the Building Belonging at NIH Series