# Supporting Black Students at Home and Abroad

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#### Plan for today

- Summary of project
- Speed share
- Group share

#### **Project and Partners**

- Atlanta Global Research and Education Collaborative (AGREC)
  - Funding model
- Delta Air Lines
  - Thought partner
  - Scholarships



# **Summary of Project**



- Woke Wednesday
   Welcome Event
- Woke WednesdayProgram Series
- Woke WednesdaySymposium

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#### Woke Wednesday Welcome Event

Partnered with Black-owned Coffee Company in Atlanta for giveaways

- Global Education Leaders
  - Target audience: Georgia-based leaders in Global Education
  - Location: Virtual
  - Purpose: Sharing project plan and developing topics for student workshops

#### Woke Wednesday Welcome Event

- Students
  - Target audience: 38,016 Black students enrolled across the sixmember AGREC institutions
  - Location: Virtual
  - Purpose:
    - First workshop: How to Secure the Bag and Navigating your Racial Identity Abroad
    - Second workshop: How It Started, How It's Going and Financing Your Global Education Experience

# Woke Wednesday Symposium

- Target audience: Faculty and staff who work with students who have been historically marginalized within global education spaces
- Location: Delta Flight Museum
- Purpose: Equip faculty and staff with the necessary tools to engage in fruitful study abroad discussions with Black students

# **Project Outcomes**

#### Woke Wednesday Symposium

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Wednesday, May 11, 2022 10:00 am-3:00 pm Delta Flight Museum Student Travel Support

- Community Impact
- Publications
- Model for student success

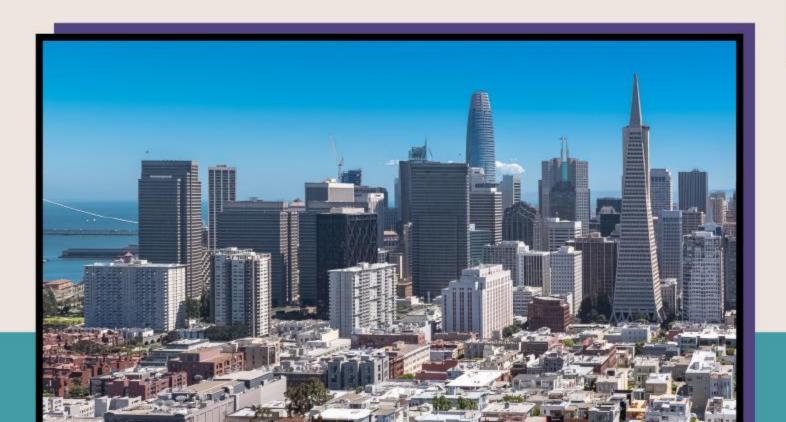


# **Speed Share**

Instructions: Three questions will be posed and participants will be placed in small groups to discuss during an allotted time frame.



#### : Group Share





Instructions: At the conclusion of the speed share, participants will share perspectives from their small group experience.



# **Next Steps**

- Project Continuation (expanding nationally)
- Student Ambassadors and Student Travel Program
- Student Informational Workshops
- Faculty/Staff Book Discussion
- Symposium Event