## **The Black Faculty Caucus and School of STEM**

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## GUEST SPEAKER: ZACHARY COLES

Zachary James Coles is a third year medical student at the Albert Einstein College of Medicine. Born and raised in Englewood, NJ, Zachary attended Stanford University on a full ride, where he graduated with a Bachelor of Science in Biology in 2016. He then completed a Master of Science in Biomedical Science at Rutgers School of Graduate Studies in 2020.

While at Rutgers, he worked as an Emergency Medical Technician for the City of Newark and performed violence prevention research with Dr. Stephanie Bonne and her hospital-based Violence Intervention Program team. At Einstein, Zachary continues to do research related to a host of topics including orthopedics and health disparities and has won numerous awards for his research. He has been published in peer-reviewed journals multiple times.

Zachary is passionate about mitigating social determinants of health and working with underserved, inner city populations. He plans to apply to anesthesiology residency this year and hopes to rise through the ranks of academic leadership to become a dean or chair of a department.

## Thursday, February 22, 2024 2 p.m.

STEM Building, 263 Academy Street, Multipurpose Room, Jersey City, NJ

Hybrid event, in-person and virtual

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