

PARTICIPATE IN A STUDY ON RESEARCH ETHICS AND REPRESENTATION (RARE)!



**ARE YOU PART OF A DIVERSE COMMUNITY?
DOES SCIENTIFIC RESEARCH REFLECT YOUR
COMMUNITIES' NEEDS?**

PLEASE CONSIDER SHARING YOUR EXPERIENCES WITH US!

Contact us at rare@umd.edu or 301-405-0662

WHAT IS THE PURPOSE OF THE STUDY?

- * Understand ways to reduce barriers to research participation among people of color
- * Learn about your concerns and interests relating to research
- * Learn how to build stronger university-community partnerships

HOW DO I PARTICIPATE?

Email rare@umd.edu or call us at 301-405-0662 to learn more about the study. If you are interested, we will schedule a time for you to participate in a 60-75 minute focus group in person at the University of Maryland or virtually via Zoom. The focus group will be audio recorded and you may be contacted for a 60-90 minute follow-up interview. Your participation is voluntary and information will be kept confidential. For your participation, you will receive \$50, reimbursement for travel (if in-person), and UMD gear.

AM I ELIGIBLE?

In order to participate, you must:

- * Be 18 years or older
- * Be able to understand and speak English
- * Identify as Black and/or Latinx
- * Willing to be audio recorded
- * Live or work in Prince George's County, MD