## WILLIAM PATERSON UNIVERSITY

## COLLEGE OF ARTS, HUMANITIES AND SOCIAL SCIENCES ASPIRE 2023 CREATING PATHWAYS TO SUCCESS

The College of Arts, Humanities and Social Sciences ASPIRE program empowers students to cultivate the intellectual skills and knowledge unique to a liberal arts education to advance their personal and professional goals.

## 10am-5Ppm - June 8

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10-10:15	Provost's and Dean's Welcome
10:15-10:30	Dahmir Blackwell, student speaker from 2022 ASPIRE program
10:30-11:30	Young Alumnae Panel, Moderator: Jenny Nesenjuk
11:30-11:45	Young Alum Q&A
11:45-12:05	Debbie Feingold, Pesce Mentoring Program
12:10-1:00	<ul> <li>Lunch. During lunch attendees will have the chance to visit our tables for:</li> <li>Pesce Mentoring matching</li> <li>Internship information</li> <li>Linkedin Headshot Photos</li> </ul>
1:00-1:30	<b>Keynote address: The Power of Your Story</b> Diadra Wilson, VP, Global Head of Talent Acquisition, SYPartners. William Paterson class of 2012 Public Relations
1:30-1:45	Break
1:45-2:15	
2:15-2:45	Wellness and Mindfulness Session: Lucia McMahon
2:45-3:15	Career session 1: Val Gross – <b>Careering Outside the Box</b> Career Services session 2: <b>Get Career Ready!</b> (Students will earn Career Badge #2)
3:15-3:30	Break
3:30-4:00	Career Services session 3: <b>Building your Brand</b> : Linked in, headshots, elevator pitches and professional pointers (Students will earn Career Badge #3)
4:00-4:30	Scholarship winners announced
4:30pm	Closing remarks by Associate Dean