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**MCCC TO HOST PANEL DISCUSSION:
'RELIGIOUS FREEDOM OR DISCRIMINATION'**

MONROE, Mich. – Monroe County Community College will host a panel discussion entitled “Religious Freedom or Discrimination” on Tuesday, April 28 from 12:30-1:30 p.m. in the Dining Room of the Audrey M. Warrick Student Services/Administration Building.

The topic has been prominent in the national headlines recently due to controversy over the passage of Indiana’s Religious Freedom Restoration Act last month. The law was overhauled within a week with a follow-up measure intended to ease concerns driven by businesses that it could lead to discrimination.

The panel discussion will be hosted by MCCC President Dr. Kojo A. Quartey. To date, panelists will include Angela Blunt, pastor of Christ Love Fellowship Church, Deminique Heiks, MCCC instructor of criminal justice, Jesiqua Hutchison, MCCC student and member of the Gay-Straight Alliance, Melissa Grey, MCCC assistant professor of psychology, Karen Kiser, MCCC student, and Dr. Joanna Sabo, MCCC professor of political science.

The panel discussion is part of the Culture and Current Affairs Speakers Series sponsored by MCCC, which features community members and MCCC faculty, staff, students and alumni with expertise on a variety of cultural, political or social topics of importance and interest at the present time.

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