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Beginning Of My Social Justice Work



Duke University

Asst VP VP, Institutional Equity
(Chief Diversity Officer)







Transition To North Carolina

- Leadership skills and experience
- •Little knowledge of NC environment
- •Little knowledge of NC services, opportunities and challenges
- •Little knowledge of NC history
- No personal/professional network

Leadership North Carolina Inform, Engage, Lead

- Information (services, opportunities and challenges)
- Deeply meaningful program experiences
- Introduction to key NC leaders, agencies and companies
- Network of friends and colleagues (enduring relationships)
- More informed and effective leader
- Helped me feel like I had a new home





Thank You

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