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Leaders of Tomorrow High School Conference goes virtual

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Toronto, November 20, 2020 - The Ontario Black History Society (OBHS), an organization dedicated to the recognition and celebration of Black history, hosts our annual High School Conference virtually on November 27, 2020.

COVID-19 is having a detrimental effect on the Black community. This virtual conference aims to simplify the process for high school students to transition to post-secondary education. Funded by Cadillac Fairview and Toronto Foundation, the event will provide students and their parents/guardians, with an inside look at post-secondary institutions and the application process.

This event launches a toolkit built around a survey of parents and grade 12 students and creates a virtual experience replete with digital resources, supplemental webinars and videos to assist Black Youth in navigating post-secondary education decisions during this pandemic.

Hosted by Femi Lawson, a rising international phenomenon and talent. With his roots lying in the lush lands of Nigeria, and a partial home base in the diverse metropolitan city of Toronto, Femi is a mosaic blend of cultures, and as such his work around the globe as a cultural curator is defined by his unrelenting goal to unite people.

Leaders of Tomorrow features current post secondary students, graduates, financial experts, University/College admission professionals, a customized campus tour, a cooking demonstration geared to students and much more. The event is free. Registration is required.

Leaders of Tomorrow

November 27, 2020, 6pm - 9pm

Registration: <https://www.eventbrite.ca/e/leaders-of-tomorrow-high-school-conference-tickets-127908292145>

About The Ontario Black History Society

The Ontario Black History Society (OBHS) is a registered Canadian charity, dedicated to the study, preservation and promotion of Black history and heritage. The Society aims to encourage public interest in Black history through various initiatives and programs. Founded in 1978, the OBHS is also the only Ontario Provincial Heritage Organization of the Ministry of Culture devoted to Black history and heritage. To learn more, visit: <http://blackhistorysociety.ca/> or follow along on [Facebook](#), [Twitter](#) and [Instagram](#).

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