**The Manhattanville Campus: How the Upper Manhattan Community Benefits**SIPA Food for Thought Presentation - March 31, 2021

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The “Food for Thought” presentation “The Manhattanville Campus: How the Upper Manhattan Community Benefits is presented by Tanya Pope, AVP University Supplier Diversity.

Her work at Columbia University includes many facets of delivering, tracking and reporting the program impacts of goals and commitments designed over a decade ago for the new campus. The presentation will detail those goals and commitments and how Columbia is doing in satisfying them.

The objective of the presentation is to provide a brief overview of the Manhattanville Campus project and its conception. The agreements inked with the community and the state of NY to be delivered over the life cycle of the project and how Columbia University, 17 years after the conception of the idea and 12 years into active construction is performing on those commitments made.

A diverse and local workforce and business community benefits both Columbia and the surrounding local community by offering greater engagement with different perspectives, greater awareness for us all and increased economic opportunities.

The presentation highlights this story.