



# WHISTLEBLOWER SUMMIT & FILM FESTIVAL

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## **Sunday, July 28th (5-8PM)**

**Morrison-Clark Historic Inn  
1011 L St. NW**

## **Monday, July 29th (10AM - 3PM)**

**Rayburn House Office Building  
45 Independence Ave SW, Room 2960**

## **Tuesday, July 30th (10AM - 3PM)**

**American University Malsi Doyle Foreman Theater  
4400 Massachusetts Ave. NW**

- HELP TO ADVANCE MATTERS OF SOCIAL INJUSTICE IN DC, ON THE FEDERAL AND LOCAL LEVELS!
- ADD YOUR PASSIONATE ADVOCATE VOICE AND SUBJECT MATTER EXPERT OPINION THROUGH THE LENS OF WHISTLEBLOWING!

## **12th Annual Whistleblower Summit & Film Festival:**

### **"Media That Matters"**

“THE MISSION IS TO BUILD COMMUNITY AND MUTUAL SUPPORT AMONG WHISTLEBLOWERS AND THEIR ADVOCATES, CONNECT WHISTLEBLOWING “FREE SPEECH” TO THE FIRST AMENDMENT, SOCIAL JUSTICE ACTIVISM, AND THE GLOBAL CIVIL AND HUMAN RIGHTS MOVEMENTS, AND CELEBRATE WHISTLEBLOWERS AND THEIR SIGNIFICANT CONTRIBUTIONS TO CULTURE, SOCIETY AND THE WORLD”.

**JULY  
28 - 30  
2024**

**COME OUT  
&  
NETWORK!**

**FREE!**

**MEET  
PRESTIGIOUS  
PROFESSIONALS  
FROM ACROSS  
THE NATION!**



### **INVITED HEALTHY DC PANELIST/SPEAKERS:**

- MR. PERRY REDD,  
“WORKER’S RIGHTS”,  
SINCERE SEVEN (S7)
- MS. LISA COHEN,  
“ROTARY’S CHAMPION-  
SHIP FIGHT FOR  
YOUTH”, DC ROTARY  
CLUB, PRESIDENT
- MR. AHMAR  
MUSTIKHAN, ACTIVIST,  
SOCIAL MEDIA  
INFLUENCER
- MR. MICHEAL MCGEE,  
BOWIE STATE  
UNIVERSITY,  
PROFESSOR OF TRAUMA  
RESEARCH
- MODERATOR: DR.  
RHONDA L. HAMILTON,  
HEALTHY DC & ME  
LEADERSHIP COALITION



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Tuesday, July 30, 2024 (10AM - 3PM)  
American University School of Communication  
McKinley Building – MCK 201 – Malsi Doyle Foreman Theater  
Healthy DC & Me Leadership Coalition Community Whistleblower Panel

## Moderator:

Dr. Rhonda L. Hamilton, President  
Healthy DC & Me Leadership Coalition  
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## Panel Synopsis:

This panel will explore “Blowing the Whistle” on fraud, waste, & abuse; Examining the violation of citizen “Human & Civil” rights, imposed trauma, and the trickle down of failed policies that affect America’s Gross Domestic Product (GDP).

Members of the panel will outline the types of violations of human & civil rights regarding powerless people, and the imposed trauma from governmental failures that can and have impacted the gross domestic product (GDP) in various ways. The panel will further introduce dialogue that examines when the government fails to effectively manage the economy, how it can lead to economic instability, also reducing consumer and investor confidence. Which, in turn, can lead to reduced spending, investment, and overall economic growth.

Additionally, the panel will address local governmental failures that have resulted in misallocation of resources, inefficient public services, and corruption, which hinders productivity and innovation in the economy. Overall, the negative effects of imposed trauma from government failures can weigh on the GDP by creating uncertainty and undermining trust in the government's ability to effectively manage the economy.

The panel will discuss the effects of depression and its significant impact on the economy, as it can lead to increased healthcare costs. Additionally, federal and state policies that do not adequately address mental health issues can exacerbate the effects of depression, leading to further economic downturn.

The trickle-down effect of these policies can be seen in various ways, such as increased absenteeism in the workplace, decreased overall workforce participation, and higher rates of disability claims. These factors can ultimately contribute to a decrease in GDP growth due to a less efficient and productive workforce.

The panel will further advocate for improved oversight addressing mental health issues and implementing effective policies to support those struggling with depression, which can have positive effects on the economy by promoting a healthier and more productive population.