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Ohio State’s Dr. James L. Moore III wins inaugural Black Man Can Award for Higher Education

Dr. James L. Moore III, associate provost in the Office of Diversity and Inclusion, director of the Todd Anthony Bell National Resource Center on the African American Male, and professor in the College of Education and Human Ecology, has earned the first-ever Black Man Can Award for Higher Education.

The Black Man Can Awards celebrate the positive black male image and are presented by BlackCelebrityGiving.com and TheBlackManCan.org. One winner was selected in each of 13 categories, including Business, Higher Education, K-12, Law, Media, Medicine, and Politics.

Moore topped four other finalists for the award: Walter Kimbrough, president of Dillard University; Kent J. Smith Jr., president of Langston University; Christopher Emdin, assistant professor in the Department of Mathematics, Science and Technology at Columbia University; and Don Sawyer III, director of the Louis Stokes Alliance for Minority Participation at Syracuse University.

In less than 11 years, Moore has made significant contributions in school counseling, gifted education, urban education, higher education, multicultural education/counseling, and STEM education. He recently co-edited a book with Dr. Chance W. Lewis of University of North Carolina at Charlotte titled, African American Students in Urban Schools: Critical Issues and Solutions for Achievement. Further, Moore has published nearly 90 publications, obtained nearly $7 million in grants and contracts, and given over 150 scholarly presentations and lectures throughout the United States and other parts of the world (e.g., Canada, United Kingdom, France, India, China, and Spain).

For more information and a complete list of the inaugural Black Man Can Award winners, visit http://theblackmancan.org/?p=3064.

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