

## Prepare for a Career in health professions 2019 Minority Pre-Health Symposium

ALL high school, community college and university students who have an interest in the health sciences are invited to gain tools needed for admission into professional and graduate school. The University of Louisville Schools of Dentistry, Medicine, Nursing and Public Health & Information Sciences will have representatives on hand to discuss with students the skills needed to navigate the road to higher education in health sciences.

## Saturday, February 9, 2019

8:30 am - 4:00 pm

UofL School of Medicine Instructional Bldg., Room 215 500 S. Preston St., Louisville, Ky., 40202

## Keynote speaker: David Kabithe, M.D.



David Kabithe, M.D., a board certified general surgeon and alumnus of the UofL School of medicine, will speak about his journey into the field of medicine and the obstacles that he faced as a black male. In addition to broad-based general surgery, Dr. Kabithe performs dialysis access procedures and endoscopy at Jennie Stuart Medical Center in Hopkinsville, Ky., where he is chair of the Department of Surgery. He started the hospital's first comprehensive dialysis access service line. Born in Georgetown, Ky., Kabithe spent part of his childhood in Kenya. He completed his undergraduate education at Georgetown College, graduating with highest honors (summa cum laude). At the UofL School of Medicine, he was elected to the Alpha Omega Alpha Medical Honor Society. He received his general surgery training at Case Western Reserve School of Medicine in Cleveland, Ohio, and practiced general surgery in Ohio for 12 years before moving to Hopkinsville in 2014.

Dr. Kabithe enjoys mentoring young people of all ages, from elementary school students to medical students, and he was featured in the Black Men in White Coats podcast.

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