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ADVANCING FOOD IS MEDICINE APPROACHES

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12:30PM—WELCOME
Christina Economos, Dean ad interim, Professor, Friedman School at Tufts University

OPENING REMARKS
Moderator: **Danielle Nierenberg,** President, Food Tank
- **Catherine Oakar,** Special Assistant to the President for Community Public Health and Disparities, The White House

KEYNOTE: LEVEL-SETTING FOOD IS MEDICINE: OBSERVATIONS OF THE EMERGING LANDSCAPE
Dariush Mozaffarian, Distinguished Professor and Jean Mayer Professor of Nutrition, Friedman School at Tufts University

PANEL: EXPANDING NUTRITION EDUCATION FOR HEALTHCARE PROVIDERS
Moderator: **Sarah Blackburn,** Publisher and Editor in Chief, Edible Boston
- **Stephen Devries,** Adjunct Associate Professor of Nutrition, Harvard T.H. Chan School of Public Health; Executive Director, Gaples Institute
- **Ashley Longacre,** Assistant Professor of the Practice, Connell School of Nursing, Boston College
- **Kimberly Dong,** Associate Professor, Public Health and Community Medicine, Tufts University School of Medicine
- **Shirley Chao,** Former Co-Chair, Massachusetts Commission of Malnutrition Prevention Among Older Adults; Principal, FoodPolicy Insights

REMARKS: U.S. CONGRESSPERSON KATHERINE CLARK

REMARKS: U.S. SENATOR ELIZABETH WARREN

PANEL: PART 1: INNOVATIVE EXAMPLES OF INTEGRATING NUTRITION AND HEALTH: PRIVATE SECTOR
Moderator: **Devra First,** Restaurant critic and food writer, The Boston Globe
- **Ashley Tyrner,** Founder and CEO, FarmboxRx
- **Mike Wysong,** CEO, CARE Pharmacies; Chair, National Association of Chain Drug Stores
- **Taryn Forrelli,** Chief Science Officer, Traditional Medicinals

REMARKS: U.S. CONGRESSPERSON AYANNA PRESSLEY

REMARKS: U.S. CONGRESSPERSON LORI TRAHAN

PANEL: PART 2: INNOVATIVE EXAMPLES OF INTEGRATING NUTRITION AND HEALTH: PRIVATE SECTOR
Moderator: **Devra First,** Restaurant critic and food writer, The Boston Globe
- **Ismail Samad,** Founder, Nubian Markets
- **Gordon Reid,** President, Stop & Shop
- **Pam Schwartz,** Executive Director, Community Health, Kaiser Permanente
- **Brooks Tingle,** President and CEO, John Hancock

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REMARKS: U.S. SENATOR ED MARKEY

PANEL: PART 1: INNOVATIVE EXAMPLES OF INTEGRATING NUTRITION AND HEALTH: NONPROFIT SECTOR
Moderator: **Deborah Becker,** Senior Correspondent, WBUR (National Public Radio)
- **David B. Waters,** CEO, Community Servings
- **Thea James,** Vice President of Mission, Boston Medical Center
- **Concetta Paul,** Member, Community Advisory Board for the Food Is Medicine Massachusetts Coalition
- **Antigone Zoe Simmons,** Member, Community Advisory Board for the Food Is Medicine Massachusetts Coalition

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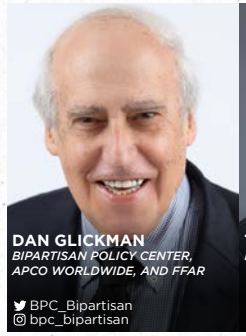

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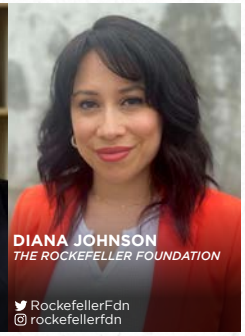

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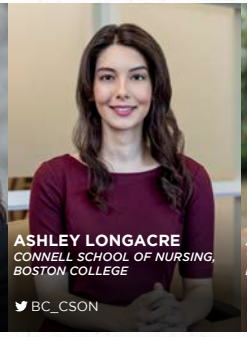

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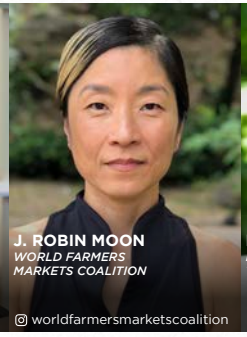

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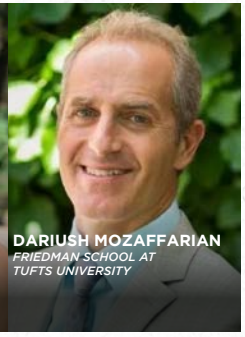

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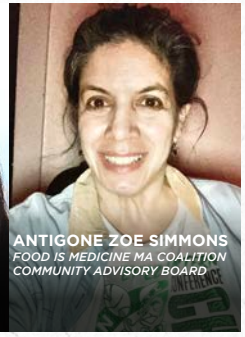

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PANEL: PART 2: INNOVATIVE EXAMPLES OF INTEGRATING NUTRITION AND HEALTH: NONPROFIT SECTOR

Moderator: **Deborah Becker,** Senior Correspondent, WBUR (National Public Radio)

- **Lauren A. Smith,** MD, MPH, Chief Health Equity & Strategy Officer, CDC Foundation
- **Oran Hesterman,** Founder, Fair Food Network
- **Rick Whitted,** CEO, US Hunger

REMARKS: MICHELLE WU, MAYOR, CITY OF BOSTON

PANEL: PART 1: RESEARCH ON THE ROLE OF NUTRITION IN CURRENT HEALTH CHALLENGES

Moderator: **Danielle Nierenberg,** President, Food Tank

- **Dan Glickman,** Former US Secretary of Agriculture; Senior Fellow, Bipartisan Policy Center; Chair, APCO Worldwide; Board Chair Emeritus, FFAR
- **Christina Economos,** Dean ad interim, Professor, Friedman School at Tufts University
- **Bisola Ojikutu,** Executive Director, Boston Public Health Commission; Commissioner of Public Health, City of Boston
- **Diana Johnson,** Manager, Food Initiative, The Rockefeller Foundation

REMARKS: U.S. CONGRESSPERSON SETH MOULTON

PANEL: PART 2: RESEARCH ON THE ROLE OF NUTRITION IN CURRENT HEALTH CHALLENGES

Moderator: **Danielle Nierenberg,** President, Food Tank

- **Lauren Fiechtner,** Director of Nutrition, Mass General for Children; Senior Health and Research Advisor, Greater Boston Food Bank
- **J. Robin Moon,** Social Epidemiologist and Public Health Strategist, World Farmers Markets Coalition
- **Kim Kessler,** Assistant Commissioner, New York City Department of Health and Mental Hygiene

CLOSING REMARKS

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BREAKOUT SESSION 1: FOOD IS MEDICINE RESEARCH

Facilitator: **Fang Fang Zhang,** Associate Professor, Friedman School at Tufts University

In this session, participants will explore the research that colleges, universities, and other research institutions can generate to support the evaluation, implementation, and scaling of food as medicine programs and policies.

BREAKOUT SESSION 2: COMMUNITY-BASED EFFORTS TO PROMOTE NUTRITION SECURITY.

Facilitator: **David B. Waters,** CEO, Community Servings

This session will focus on efforts to improve nutrition security in communities. The conversation will touch on community-based programs connecting eaters to healthy, culturally relevant foods and ways that the academic community can support this work through a participatory research approach.

BREAKOUT SESSION 3: FOOD IS MEDICINE OPPORTUNITIES FOR PUBLIC-PRIVATE PARTNERSHIPS.

Facilitator: **Dariush Mozaffarian,** Distinguished Professor and Jean Mayer Professor of Nutrition, Friedman School at Tufts University

This session will identify opportunities for public-private partnerships around food is medicine programs and research. The private sector has a lot of valuable data that can inform FIM efforts, and some food retail outlets have strong community relationships as well. The discussion will explore opportunities to connect researchers with private sector partners in order to develop win-win food is medicine efforts.

5:00PM VIP RECEPTION/PARTY

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