

A STEP AHEAD December 2016

Online news, updates and information for friends of Building STEPS

Program Notes

 Our first community event, the film screening of "Why Not Us?" and panel discussion, was a terrific success. Guests mingled over light fare, learned from BSTEPS' supporter Scott Plank and his commitment to community, and now have a better understanding of first generation college students' challenges and opportunities.



Building STEPS graduates and panel participants pose after a successful discussion following the film screening.

 Building STEPS is grateful to MileOne Heritage Toyota Catonsville and Owings Mills for their \$20,000 donation through their charitable donations program. The funds will go towards programming for our Juniors and Seniors. Thank You!!

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Building STEPS On the Move

- Please be sure to Save the Date of May 16, 2017 for our Annual Achievement Reception. Note the time change: it is now an evening event!
- You may have noticed our brand new look and logo. Hope you like it as much as we do!
- As we continually strive to build awareness of our work, please remember to follow/retweet/share on <u>Twitter</u>, <u>Facebook</u>, <u>Instagram</u> and <u>Linkedin</u>. Thank you!



Good News on the Alumni Front

- Building STEPS Board of Directors is proud to welcome Kieara T., Towson University '15 as the alumni Board member.
- A big thank you to alumnae Tori C. for arranging a Junior Seminar at the National Cryptologic Museum, the National Security Agency's primary gateway to the public. Tori earned her graduate degree from Towson University in 2012 and works for the U.S. Department of Defense.

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From our Building STEPS family to yours, wishing you a wonderful holiday season and New Year!

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