

# The Resilience of the Cuban People: Explore Afro-Cuban Leadership in Culture, Arts, Healthcare, and Education



This delegation will explore the successes of the Cuban revolutionary model including its renowned universal healthcare system, free public education from daycare through university, virtually no homelessness, and the right to sports and culture. Learning directly from the Cuban people, the delegation will focus on the contributions of Cuba's African Descendants in all these areas. We will also learn about governance in Cuba, from the grassroots community level, to associations, cooperatives and the National Assembly. Most importantly, we will hear about the U.S.-Cuba relationship over the centuries and how the 60 year old U.S. Blockade impacts every aspect of Cuban life. How do the Cuban people remain resilient when faced with these inhumane challenges, and how can we play our role to defeat the Blockade?

## Participants in this delegation will:

- Meet Afro-Cuban popular educators, artists, and community leaders
- Visit the National Museum for Literacy
- Learn from Cuban doctors about preventative healthcare in Cuba and their excellent health outcomes
- Stay at the Martin Luther King Center, a vibrant hub for community education and grassroots media-making
- Visit Matanzas and learn how Afro-Cuban communities have created strong mutual aid networks
- Witness the effects of the U.S. Blockade (an intensified embargo) and learn why it must end and how we can play our part



**\*ALL DELEGATIONS WILL REQUIRE THAT DELEGATES BE VACCINATED & ALL DATES DEPEND ON THE UNFOLDING PANDEMIC AND ON CUBAN PUBLIC HEALTH MEASURES**

**March 25-April 3, 2022**

**Cost: \$1,400-2,400 fee + airfare + \$100 visa\***

Delegation fee covers all meals, lodging, transportation, interpretation, and reading and activist tools

Application and \$300 deposit due January 1st  
Remaining balance due March 1st

*\*Sliding Scale and Partial scholarships are available\**

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