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DEBATE

Feb. 10 program will focus on 21st century blacks

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The divergent philosophies of W.E.B. DuBois and Booker T. Washington will be explored in a debate on how to advance African-Americans politically, economically, socially and culturally in the 21st century. The debate will take place from 7 to 9 p.m. Feb. 10 in the Buffalo Museum of Science.

Henry L. Taylor, director of the University at Buffalo's Center for Urban Studies, will present DuBois' position. George B. Alexander, Erie County commissioner of probation and youth services, will present Washington's position.

Barbara Pinson of WIVB-TV will moderate, and questions will be posed by Rod Watson of The Buffalo News, Claudine Ewing of WGRZ-TV and Frank Gist of the Buffalo Criterion.

The Paul Robeson Theatre Troupe and Njozi Poets will perform works reflecting the conditions of African-Americans at the turn of the 20th century and today.

Tickets are \$25 and must be purchased in advance.

Tickets are available at Doris Records, 286 E. Ferry St.; the Buffalo Christian Center, 512 Pearl St.; and the Challenger, 1337 Jefferson Ave. All proceeds benefit the Challenger. For information, call 510-3026 or 897-0442.

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