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Dr. Rashid G. Mosley Celebrated for Expertise in Consulting and the Nonprofit Sector

Dr. Rashid G. Mosley is dedicated to advancing social justice and community development through evidence-based solutions

CHICAGO, January 9, 2025, Dr. Rashid G. Mosley has been selected for inclusion in Marquis Who's Who. As in all Marquis Who's Who biographical volumes, individuals profiled are selected on the basis of current reference value. Factors such as position, noteworthy accomplishments, visibility, and prominence in a field are all taken into account during the selection process.

Dr. Mosley, a distinguished leader in the nonprofit sector, has dedicated his career to driving transformative change and advancing social betterment worldwide. As the founder and president of Dr. Ra Consulting, he brings nearly 30 years of expertise in consulting, social sciences, humanities research, educational assessments, professional development and human resources to his clients. His extensive experience also spans instructional training, public and social research, management research and curriculum and program innovation.

Currently serving as the vice president of programming innovation and impact at Independent Sector in Washington, D.C., Dr. Mosley is responsible for developing and implementing strategic visions for the organization's programs. He collaborates with content leaders to enhance service delivery offerings and works closely with external partners to boost program impact and sustainability. His efforts have significantly increased the organization's overall impact, benefiting numerous communities.

Earlier in his career, Dr. Mosley held several notable roles, such as senior policy program manager at the Urban Institute from 2023 to 2024 and national managing director at the American Diabetes Association (ADA) from 2010 to 2016. At the ADA, he spearheaded foundation partnerships and community engagement initiatives across 67 offices nationwide. Additionally, his work on flagship programs like Project Power and Por Tu Familia significantly improved community health outcomes.

In academia, Dr. Mosley has made substantial contributions to curriculum development at Northeastern University, where he served as an associate teaching professor from 2017 to 2023. While there, he led the redesign of doctoral courses in organizational leadership studies and co-developed the workplace learning doctoral concentration. His dedication to education earned him a nomination for Teacher of the Year at Northeastern University.

Beyond his professional achievements, Dr. Mosley is deeply committed to civic engagement. As the founder and chair of Mildred Stone Mosley White Inc., he honors his mother's legacy by empowering African American residents through educational scholarships and business development grants. Furthermore, his volunteer work with Shower Up Chicago earned him recognition as Volunteer of the Year in 2023.

Dr. Mosley has also contributed to civic initiatives through creative work, designing and implementing strategic initiatives to address community challenges. At the Urban Institute, he helped develop the Bill & Melinda Gates Foundation's Upward Mobility Framework Project, which provided strategic insights to drive social mobility. He also

played a key role in the Center for Disease Control's Partnership for Equitable and Resilient Communities initiative, crafting logic models that enhanced community resilience.

Dr. Mosley's academic background includes a doctorate in human and organizational learning from The George Washington University in 2014, a Master of Science in administration and organizational leadership from Central Michigan University in 2010 and a bachelor's degree in chemistry from Savannah State College. He also holds numerous certifications, such as Navigating Generative AI: A CEO Playbook from Coursera and Culture and Leadership from Denison Consulting.

In his personal life, Dr. Mosley enjoys volunteering with organizations focused on community support and social justice. He is also an avid reader with a passion for continuous learning and enjoys traveling in his free time. Additionally, he prioritizes spending time with his family a friends, cultivating a strong work-life balance.

Reflecting on his career, Dr. Mosley attributes his success to actively seeking mentors who provided valuable guidance, support and insight, helping him navigate complex challenges and grow both personally and professionally. Equally important has been his role as a mentor, fostering an equitable and just society by equipping practitioners, researchers and policymakers with evidence-based solutions.

Looking ahead, Dr. Mosley envisions stepping into the role of chief programming and innovation officer to spearhead transformative initiatives at Independent Sector. He aims to elevate the organization to a household name among nonprofits while expanding his influence globally through impactful projects across Africa, South America and North America. Ultimately, he aspires to empower the African diaspora by fostering connections and creating opportunities for growth and development across continents.

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