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DeAnthony Nelson is the Strategic Partnerships and DEI Program Manager at the California Association of REALTORS® where he manages DEI programs on behalf of the association's more than 200,000 members involved in all aspects of real estate.

DeAnthony is a passionate advocate for diversity, equity, and inclusion (DEI) in the real estate industry at the forefront of fostering strategic collaborations and advancing Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion initiatives. As the Strategic Partnerships and DEI Program Manager at C.A.R., he plays a key role in creating synergistic relationships with key stakeholders and driving positive change at the intersection of business and social responsibility. DeAnthony also manages the internal staff-facing diversity and inclusion efforts at C.A.R.

DeAnthony's journey in championing diversity and inclusion began with his work at esteemed organizations such as the United Nations Foundation and the Smithsonian Institution. During his tenure at these institutions, he played a pivotal role in developing and implementing initiatives that fostered inclusive environments and promoted equitable opportunities for all. These experiences provided him with the skills and vision necessary to navigate the complexities of forging impactful partnerships and championing DEI.

In his current role, DeAnthony leverages his deep understanding of strategic planning and DEI to develop and nurture partnerships that drive meaningful, inclusive growth. His dedication to DEI extends beyond rhetoric, as he collaborates on programs and initiatives that enact change within C.A.R. He is committed to creating environments where diversity is celebrated, equity is upheld, and inclusion is the norm.

DeAnthony's journey began with a solid foundation, having graduated from Indiana University where he studied Management, Psychology, and Political & Civic Engagement.