

## Real Estate Finance Association jumps into summer with golf and tennis tournament

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Boston, MA REFA's DEI Committee hosted its first panel on June 18th, Capital Conversations: Navigating Wealth Creation, Equity, and Real Estate Investment at Nutter, 155 Seaport Blvd. The session showcased speakers: Onay Payne, senior managing director at Manulife Investment Management; and Ralph Parent, managing partner at Parent + Diamond, and moderated by our DEI Tri-Chair and board of director, Caroline Suarez, associate, Manulife Investment Management. The program explored the role of real estate investment in the pivotal link between access to capital and wealth creation. As well as reviewed the importance of forging partnerships to bring investment opportunities to communities of color.

REFA's Charitable Golf & Tennis Tournament: Monday, July 29th, Woodland Golf Club

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Save the Date: REFA Emerging Leaders: Summer Panel Wednesday, July 31st, 2024, 9OFs, One Federal St. - More info coming soon!

Save the Date: REFA 26th Annual Gala Thursday, October 17th, 2024, Omni Boston Hotel at the Seaport; 450 Summer St.

The REFA Gala is the largest gathering of the Real Estate Finance Association and brings together 500+ members of the real estate finance community to network with colleagues, reflect on the year, as well as honor their peer(s) with the Swain Distinguished Service Award. Learn more at

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