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Point of Pride



Please enjoy this original poem written by Mark Anthony Thomas about the City of Baltimore, which he delivered at the recent Diversity Dinner.

[Mark Anthony Thomas](#)

President & CEO
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"Crowds gather around a television
in a cafe of a village — of a country in pursuit and they
see Baltimore..."

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Dean Mark T. Gladwin, MD, (center) here with Dr. Sarah Wachter (L) and Dr. Yvette Fouche (R), was on the move i... See more

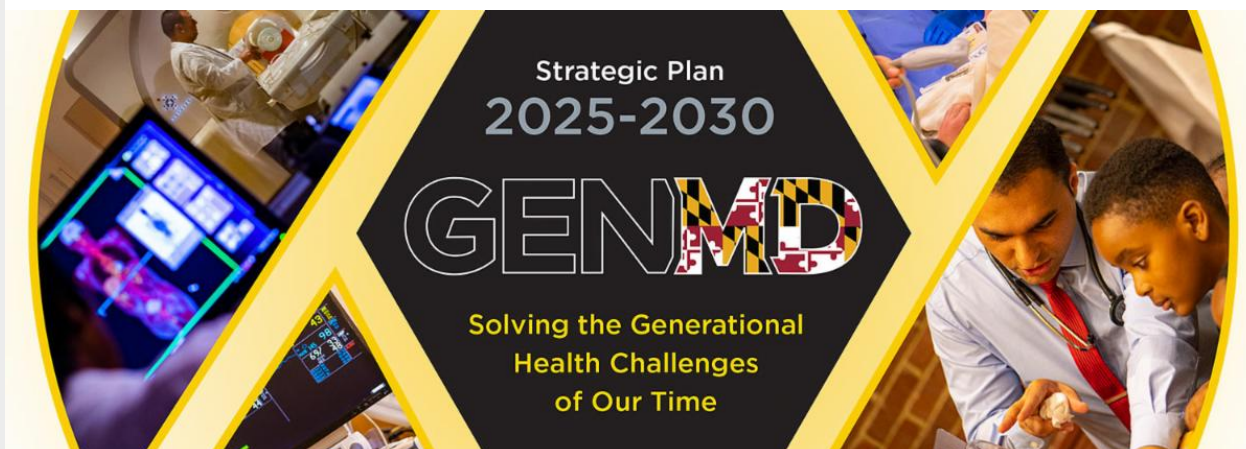


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Yuk-Ming Dennis Lo, DM, DPhil, Chairman
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Maryland Half Marathon - begins at 8:00 a.m.
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This is a fantastic opportunity to support cancer research and patient treatment options at the **University of Maryland Greenebaum Comprehensive Cancer Center**.

Use discount code **SOM10** to receive

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