

A black and white portrait of George Washington Carver, an African American man with a mustache, wearing a suit and a white shirt with a dark tie. He is looking directly at the camera with a neutral expression. The background is a plain, light color.

George Washington Carver

Born into slavery, Mr. Carver went on to become a botanist and one of the most prominent inventors of his time. He promoted alternative methods to prevent soil depletion, and is most known for inventing over 300 peanut-derived products.



John Dabiri

Dr. Dabiri is a Nigerian American biophysicist and professor of aeronautics and bioengineering. He is best known for his research of the hydrodynamics of jellyfish propulsion and the design of the vertical-axis wind farm adapted from schooling fish.



Katherine Johnson

During her years at NASA, Ms. Johnson blazed a trail for women of color in STEM, and, with her complex math calculations, enabled humanity to successfully achieve space flight.

A black and white portrait of Kimberly Bryant, a Black woman with short, curly hair, wearing a leather jacket and large, white, teardrop-shaped earrings. She is looking slightly to the left of the camera with a gentle smile. The background is a textured, light-colored wall.

Kimberly Bryant

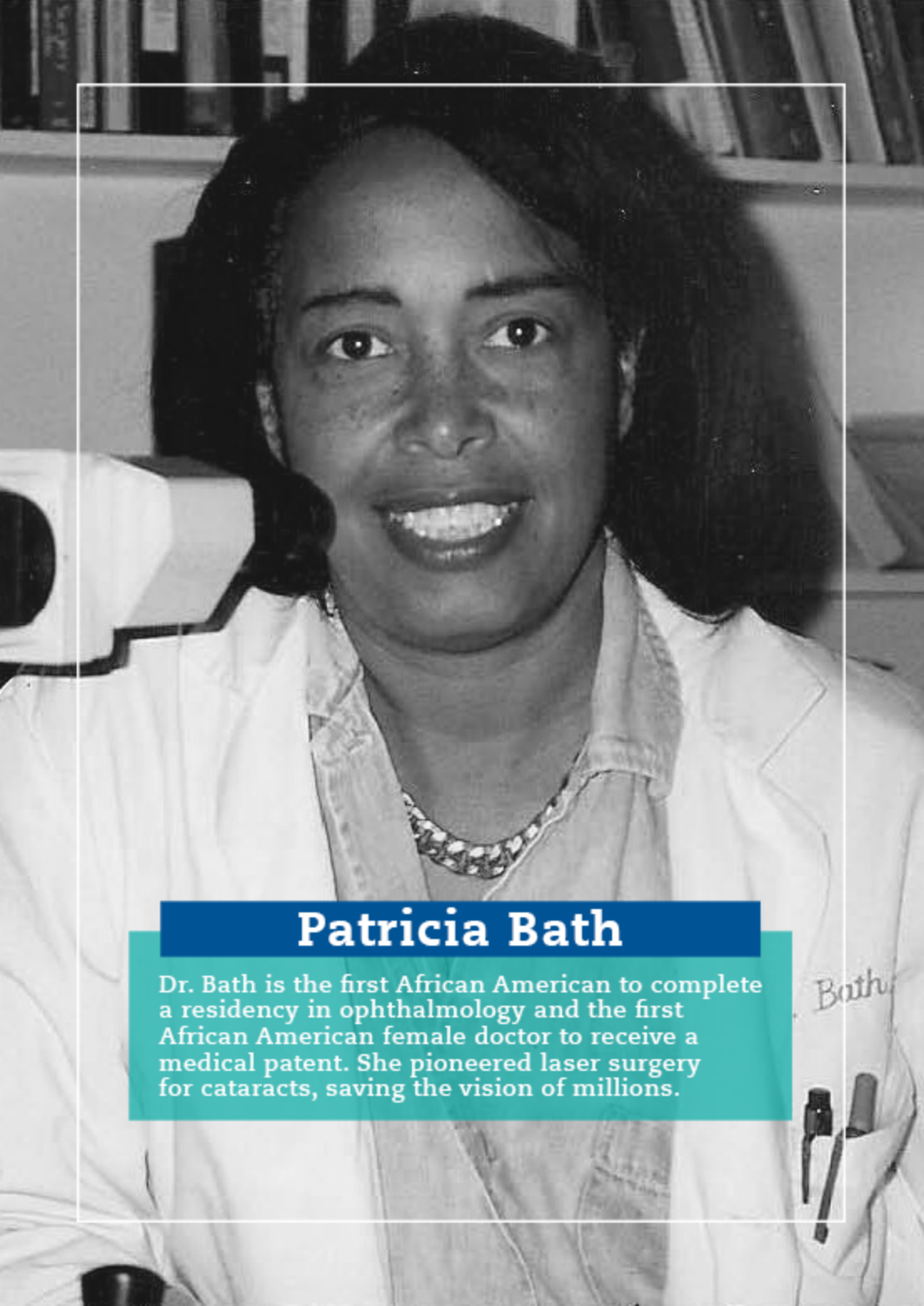
Ms. Bryant is an electrical engineer who founded Black Girls Code, a training course that teaches basic programming concepts to black girls who are underrepresented in tech careers.

Photo: Black Girls Code



Mae Jemison

In 1992, Dr. Jemison became the first African American woman to travel in space. She is an engineer, astronaut, physician, professor, and founder of two tech companies.



Patricia Bath

Dr. Bath is the first African American to complete a residency in ophthalmology and the first African American female doctor to receive a medical patent. She pioneered laser surgery for cataracts, saving the vision of millions.

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