

Afternoon A

Field House, Room 04

- "A Circle of Time: Visible & Invisible Images of American Indians", Rita Altmeyer, Office of Equity & Diversity, UW-Parkside

Field House, Room 06

- "White Bonding in Institutions", Patricia Verstrat, English, Parkland College***

Field House, Room 08

- "Community Benefits Agreements and the Movement to Make Economic Development More Accountable and Equitable", Christopher Boston, M.I.C.A.H., Pam Fendt, Good Jobs Livable Neighborhoods

Southview, Room 112

- "The Silent Storm of Racism", Deborah Blanks, Social Development Commission***

Southview, Room 115

- "Housing Trust Funds: An approach to improving affordable housing in the region", Heather Dummer Combs, Interfaith Conference of Greater Milwaukee

Southview, Room 117

- "Hip Hop as a Social Movement", Sarah Dollhausen & Eliot White, T.R.U.E. Skool

- "Everytown, Wisconsin", Aaron Edwards, Everytown, Wisconsin

Southview, Room 123

- "Honoring the Elephant in the Room", Jeff Browne & James Robinson, Public Policy Forum***

Southview, Theater

- "Theater of the Oppressed and Social Change", Emilio De Torre & Carolina Soza, Theater of the Oppressed

Afternoon B

Field House, Room 06

- "White Bonding in Institutions", Patricia Verstrat, English, Parkland College***

Field House, Room 08

- "Addressing Racism in Wauwatosa and Metro Milwaukee", Dennis McBride, Equal Employment Opportunities Commission

Southview, Room 112

- "The Silent Storm of Racism", Deborah Blanks, Social Development Commission***

Southview, Room 115

- "The Fight Against Racism - The Stuff That Holds Us Back", Joyce Caldwell, Miguel De Jesus, Marilyn Miller, Lutheran Human Relations Association

Southview, Room 123

- "Understanding White Privilege", Greg Jay, Cultures & Communities, UW-Milwaukee, Sandra Jones, Africology, UW-Milwaukee

Southview, Theater

- "Affirmative Action Under Attack", Tamara Grigsby, Wisconsin State Legislature

*** Workshop held twice

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Common Ground Conference

January 19, 2007
8am – 6:30pm
UW-Waukesha

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Conference Schedule

Morning

8:00 – 8:30	Registration (Theater Lobby)
8:30 – 9:00	Welcome address (Theater)
9:00 – 10:30	Workshops: Morning A*
10:30 – 10:45	Break
10:45 – 12:15	Workshops: Morning B

Lunch

12:15 – 1:15	Break for Lunch and Talkback discussions **
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Afternoon

1:15 – 2:45	Workshops: Afternoon A
2:45 – 3:00	Break
3:00 – 4:30	Workshops: Afternoon B
4:30 – 5:00	Performance: Power of Word Collective (Theater)
5:00 – 6:00	Keynote address: Dr. Richard T. Ford (Theater) “Law and the Color Line: How the Law Keeps Races Separate and Unequal”
6:00 – 6:30	Closing address (Theater)

* All workshops will be held in the Field House and Southview Buildings according to the accompanying schedule. Two rooms will be left open as break rooms: Southview 108 and 110.

** If you registered for a lunch prior to the deadline of January 16, please pay (if you haven't already) and pick up your lunch ticket at the registration table in the theater lobby. Box lunches will be distributed in the break rooms (Southview 108 and 110). Bring your lunch with you to any of the workshop rooms for facilitated Talkback discussions.

If you did not register for a lunch prior to the deadline, you are welcome to visit one of the nearby restaurants during lunch or bring your own lunch to the Talkback discussions. A list of nearby restaurants is available at the registration table in the theater lobby.

Thank you for coming!

Workshops

Morning A (9:00 – 10:30)

Field House, Room 04

- “The Arab-American Experience in the Post-911 Environment”, Ammar Askari, American-Arab Anti-Discrimination Committee

Southview, Room 112

- “The Other America Tour: Activism Tools for Administrators & Students”, Patricia Briones, Other America Tour, ACLU

Southview, Room 115

- “Racism: A Multi-Dimensional Construct”, Joyce Caldwell, Miguel De Jesus, Marilyn Miller, Lutheran Human Relations Association

Southview, Room 117

- “Disparity in Healthcare: Is Bioethics Part of the Problem?”, Mark Repenshek, Columbia-St. Mary's Hospital

Southview, Room 123

- “MMFHC: the Need for Volunteers”, Felita Daniels-Ashley, Metropolitan Milwaukee Fair Housing Council

- “Metropolitan Milwaukee’s Segregation: A Historical context”, Kori Schneider, Metropolitan Milwaukee Fair Housing Council

- “Predatory Lending: What is it? What MMFHC’s STOPP program is doing to overcome it?”, Lemuel Eaton, Metropolitan Milwaukee Fair Housing Council

Southview, Theater

- “Theater of the Oppressed and Social Change”, Emilio De Torre & Carolina Soza, Theater of the Oppressed

Morning B (10:45 – 12:15)

Field House, Room 04

- “Images Of Racism: What We See is What We Accept As Real”, Pauli Taylorboyd, Employee Development, UW-Milwaukee

Field House, Room 06

- “The American Indian as a Mascot (Fact and Fiction)”, Antonio Doxtater, Lutheran Church of the Great Spirit

Field House, Room 08

- “Organizational Barriers: Designs of Omission”, Demetri Fisher, Wisconsin State Division of Affirmative Action

Southview, Room 112

- “The Wall”, Dan Banda, Bandana Productions

Southview, Room 115

- “Healing Hurts of Racism”, Harriet McKinney, American Jewish Council

Southview, Room 117

- “NAACP-Milwaukee: Next Steps”, Jerry Ann Hamilton, NAACP-Milwaukee

Southview, Room 123

- “Honoring the Elephant in the Room”, Jeff Browne, James Robinson, Public Policy Forum***

Southview, Theater

- “Racial Disparities in Imprisonment”, Pam Oliver, Sociology, UW-Madison