

Part 2: The Costs of Racism & Privilege (Continued)

Room 183

- "The reality: An overview of racial disparities in the greater Milwaukee Area", John Fitzgerald, Interfaith Conference of Greater Milwaukee

Room 191B

- "Addressing racism in Wauwatosa and Metro Milwaukee", Dennis McBride, EEOC

- "Racism in Indian Country", Donna Beckstrom, MATC

Part 3: Combating Racism & Privilege

Room 143

- "Community building across race and class: The role of the church as part of the solution or part of the problem?", Janice Staral, Marquette Social and Cultural Sciences

- "One man's journey", Andy Oren, Faith United Methodist Church, and Marvin McNeal, New Testament Church of Milwaukee

Room 147

- "Interfaith dialogues", Nicole Carver, Interfaith Conference of Greater Milwaukee

Room 181

- "Hip hop as a social movement", Sarah Dollhausen and Eliot White, T.R.U.E. Skool, Inc.

- "Racism in Milwaukee's public schools", Ursula Mlynarek and David Jones, Riverside University High School

- "Everytown", Aaron Edwards, Everytown Wisconsin

Room 183

- "The Other America Tour: Activism tools for administrators and students", Patricia Briones, ACLU-Wisconsin

Room 191A

- "Confronting our fears: Identity caucusing as a means to re-imagine whiteness", Mary Roffers, UWM Anthropology

- "Clearing the ground for equity", Charu Malik, UWM IDEAL

- "A Milwaukee case study: Combating racism and privilege through service-learning in undergraduate education", Leslie Fedorchuk, MIAD Liberal Studies

Room 191B

- "Peacemaking circles", David Lerman, Milwaukee District Attorney's Office

- "Race Unity Promoter – Develop a personal plan", Jerry and Paula Johnson, The Baha'i Faith

Common Ground Conference

January 27, 2006

8am – 6pm

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building coalitions against racism and privilege in greater milwaukee

Conference Schedule

Morning

- 8:00 – 8:30 Light breakfast (provided)* and registration
8:30 – 9:00 Welcome address by conference organizers
9:00 – 10:30 Concurrent sessions
Part 1: Understanding Racism & Privilege
10:30 – 10:45 Break
10:45 – 12:15 Concurrent sessions
Part 2: The Costs of Racism & Privilege

Lunch

- 12:15 – 1:15 Light lunch (provided)*
Featuring spoken word performances by the Power of
Word Collective and Nubian Star

Afternoon

- 1:15 – 2:15 Caucus discussions
2:15 – 2:30 Break
2:30 – 4:00 Concurrent sessions
Part 3: Combating Racism & Privilege
4:00 – 4:30 Break
4:30 – 5:30 **Keynote address: Dr. John A. Powell**
**“Linking fate: Addressing racial structures to
promote fairness to everyone”**
5:30 – 6:00 Next steps & day program closing

Evening Lecture

- 8:00 – 9:00 “Race and poverty in the aftermath of Katrina” by Dr.
John A. Powell
UW-Milwaukee, Union Ballroom
Free and open to the public
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Thank you for coming!

* Meals are not guaranteed to those who registered after January 18, 2006.
The Union Food Court, located on the same level, will be open during the
conference.

Presentations

Part 1: Understanding Racism & Privilege

Room 147
- “Images of racism: What we see is what we accept as real”, Pauli Taylorboyd,
UWM Employee Development

Room 181
- “Hmong cosmology: Talking across religious divides”, Vincent Her, UWM
Hmong American Studies Initiative

Room 183
- “The silent storm of racism”, Deborah Blanks, Social Development Commission

Room 191A
- “Understanding white privilege”, Greg Jay, UWM Cultures & Communities, and
Krista Ratcliffe, Marquette English

Room 191B
- “Old glory, mom, apple pie and racism: A dialogue on race beyond black and
white”, Gary Williams, UWM Multicultural Affairs

Ballroom
- “The lefse and tortilla show”, Dan Banda, Marquette New Media Center

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Ballroom
- “The impact of discrimination in housing markets on Black & Latino
communities”, William Velez, UWM Sociology, and Gregory Squires, GWU
Sociology
- “Globalization and New Urbanism are metaphors of white privilege”, Laura
Manriquez, MICA and Robert Miranda, Spanish Journal

Room 181
- “White bonding, hurricane Katrina & other unnatural disasters”, Patricia VerStrat,
Parkland College English
- “Through one city’s eyes: Milwaukee citizens talk about race”, Alison
Rostankowski, UWM Journalism & Mass Communications
- “Film and social justice in multicultural America”, Suzanne Leonard, UWM
English

Room 191A
- “Organizational barriers: Designs of omission”, Demetri Fisher, Wisconsin State
Division of Affirmative Action
- “The Arab-American experience in the post-9/11 environment”, Ammar
Askari, ADC-Wisconsin
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