

"WHAT'S GOING ON?" June 2020

A series of workshops, conversations, and brave spaces led by and for the WSU community in response to what's going on surrounding issues of racism, inclusion, equity, and social justice.

Wed. June 10th | 2 p.m. – 3p.m.

Validating Concerns without Increasing Them

A conversation about processing emotions in the midst of the day-to-day demands"? Facilitator: Lynita Taylor | Mike Ilitch School of Business, MPREP Scholars

Thur. June 11th | noon - 1 p.m.

"Hi, Black Friend, What Can I Do?" – Everyday Actions That Can Help Mitigate Bias An interactive session discussing how to intentionally curate your social media feed to guide in learning and understanding Black and Brown voices. Facilitator: Kristin R. Johnston | Office of Multicultural Student Engagement

Tue. June 16th | 2 p.m. – 3 p.m.

Exploring, Expanding, & Challenging Traditional Definitions of Social Justice A discussion on the definition of social justice focusing on the nexus between justice and advocacy.

Facilitators: Shantalea Johns Ed.D. & Takisha V. LaShore, Ph.D. | School of Social Work

Wed. June 17th | 2 p.m. – 3 p.m.

Magnifying Microaggressions

An interactive discussion on defining, identifying, and responding to microaggressions. Facilitator: Stephanie Hawkes | Office of Multicultural Student Engagement

Wed. June 24th | noon – 1 p.m.

From Ally to Accomplice: Advancing our Actions as White Supporters of Racial Justice Wondering how to advance (or even begin!) your role in the racial justice movement as a non-POC? Join us for this resourceful and informative group learning experience. Facilitator: Angela Zanardelli-Sickler | Academic Success Center

Thur. June 25th | 3 p.m. – 4p.m.

Intersectionality of Diversity in the Workplace

A discussion on what Intersectionality is, how diversity plays a role in the workplace, and how employees experience it. Facilitator: Shawn Pewitt | Career Services

Tues. June 30th | noon – 1 p.m.

Holding Space for Weary Warriors

A space to speak. A space to listen. A space to just be. Express your what is on your heart and mind without judgment or advice. Facilitator: Stephanie Hawkes | Office of Multicultural Student Engagement

For more information, if you would like to lead a session, or suggest a topic, please email the Office of Multicultural Student Engagement (omse@wayne.edu)