

About



Be a part of the inaugural **It's Time to Act!** Join YWCA Minneapolis in its mission to break through the barriers that perpetuate racism. This four-part forum series empowers community members to continue learning, talking and taking action for positive change.

Through the series, participants will hear from experts on nuanced themes and engage in deeper conversations that inspire action through individual and collective efforts to eliminate racism.

2018-2019 SERIES:

act one:
Systemic Racism:
Identifying It and
Dismantling It
DECEMBER 4, 2018
Dr. Nell Irvin Painter

act two:
White Fragility:
Unpacking Privilege
FEBRUARY 5, 2019
Dr. Robin DiAngelo

act three:
Before Jesus Was
White: Unlearning
Our Truths
APRIL 11, 2019
Rev. Dr. Curtiss DeYoung
and Anthony Galloway

act four:
Racism and Sexism:
Revealing the
Intersectionality
JUNE 13, 2019
John Biewen

With your sponsorship, your organization becomes a visible racial justice champion, supporting programs that empower community members to address racial inequities on interpersonal, institutional and systemic levels.

Investment Options

It's Time to Act!	ONLY ONE AVAILABLE!			
	PRESENTING PARTNER	SPEAKER PARTNER	SESSION PARTNER	RECEPTION PARTNER
	\$25,000	\$15,000	\$5,000	\$2,500
Event Recognition	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Recognition as the Presenting Partner at all four forums and their VIP receptions Logo on materials and signage 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Recognition as the Speaker Partner for one forum and VIP reception Logo on materials and signage 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Logo on materials and signage for one forum 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Logo on signage at one VIP reception
YWCA Promotion	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Logo on website 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Logo on website 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Name on website 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Name on website
Additional Perks and Benefits <i>ESTIMATED RECOGNITION IMPRESSIONS: YWCA Minneapolis Website Annual Traffic: 533,000+</i> <i>Recognition online a minimum three weeks prior to event.</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 10 tickets to each of the forums (value \$600) 10 tickets to each of the VIP receptions (value \$1,400) \$1,500 voucher for Inc.lude diversity and inclusion consulting services 1 table (9 tickets) at It's Time to Talk: Forums on Race™ 2019 event (value \$315) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 10 tickets to one sponsored forum (value \$150) 10 tickets to one sponsored VIP reception (value \$350) 30-minute Meet-and-Greet with speaker prior to VIP Reception 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 5 tickets to one sponsored forum (value \$75) 5 tickets to one sponsored VIP reception (value \$150) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 3 tickets to one forum of your choice (value \$45) 3 tickets to one VIP reception of your choice (value \$90)

About Our Speakers



Dr. Nell Irvin Painter is a distinguished and award-winning scholar and writer. A graduate of Harvard University, Painter went on to become the Edwards Professor Emeritus of American History at Princeton University. She is the author of seven books and countless articles relating to the history of the American South.

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 4, 2018

Systemic Racism: Identifying It and Dismantling It



Dr. Robin DiAngelo is affiliate faculty at the University of Washington. Robin has extensive experience as a workplace consultant in race relations and racial justice. Robin has numerous publications and books. Her work on white fragility has influenced the national dialogue on race and been featured or cited in *Salon*, NPR, PBS, *The New York Times* and *The New Yorker*.

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 5, 2019

White Fragility: Unpacking Privilege



Rev. Dr. Curtiss Paul DeYoung is the CEO of the Minnesota Council of Churches. He is an author and editor of eleven books on reconciliation, interfaith social justice activism, racism and cultural diversity.

Anthony Galloway is the executive director of Arts Us, a center for African Diasporic Art, Culture and Science. Anthony has sought to engage people in discourse that are often avoided or overlooked which led him become one of the co-hosts of *Counter Stories*[®], an award winning podcast on MPR News.

THURSDAY, APRIL 11, 2019

Before Jesus Was White: Unlearning Our Truths



John Biewen is audio program director at the Center for Documentary Studies (CDS) at Duke University, and host and producer of the CDS podcast *Scene on Radio*. His documentary work has taken him to 40 American states and to Europe, Japan, India and has appeared on NPR, *This American Life*, and the BBC World Service, among other radio outlets and podcasts. He teaches audio to undergraduate, graduate and continuing education students at CDS.

THURSDAY, JUNE 13, 2019

Racism and Sexism: Revealing the Intersectionality