

BRAVE SPACES SEEDS FLOWERS Rochester's Summit to End Hate

JOIN US FOR A DAY OF EDUCATION, DIALOGUE, AND POSITIVE ACTION

9.13.2020 | 12-5 pm

ADMISSION IS FREE

The Brave Spaces event is now over.

Thanks to the nearly 400 guests, panelists, and facilitators who participated in making it the special day it was.

KEYNOTE ADDRESS

Re-examining Hate: How Antisemitism and Racism Fuel White Nationalism

An online presentation from Eric Ward, Senior Fellow, Southern Poverty Law Center



Eric Ward is a nationally-recognized expert on the relationship between authoritarian movements, hate violence, and preserving inclusive democracy. As Executive Director of the Western States Center, he has transformed the organization into a national hub for innovative responses to white nationalism, antisemitism, and structural inequality, pointing us toward a world where everyone can live, love, worship, and work free from fear. In his 30+ year civil rights career, Eric has worked with community groups, government and business leaders, human rights advocates, and philanthropists. He is the author of multiple written works credited with key narrative shifts, including "[Skin in the Game: How Antisemitism Animates White Nationalism.](#)"

WORKSHOP SESSIONS

Storytelling and Skill Building Systems Change Activism, Organizing—and Hope

Three Themes. Twelve Workshops. A full day of online sessions led by local thought leaders and community members.

[Explore by title in the event schedule below.](#)

CLOSING REMARKS

Inspiring Action

Former NFL Super Bowl Champion and proud native son Roland Williams will challenge us to take the steps necessary to move from a day of education and dialogue to a life of positive action.



EVENT SCHEDULE

Learn more about each workshop session by selecting from the highlighted titles below.
If you run into any problems, contact us at info@endhateroc.org.

12:00 – 12:15 pm	WELCOME: Opening Remarks
12:15 – 1:00 pm	KEYNOTE ADDRESS: Re-examining Hate: How Antisemitism and Racism Fuel White Nationalism Eric Ward, Senior Fellow, Southern Poverty Law Center
1:00 – 1:15 pm	BREAK
1:15 – 2:00 pm	SESSION ONE: STORYTELLING AND SKILL BUILDING From My Story to Their Story: Using Our Stories to Help Others Share Theirs Overview of Restorative Practices: A Collaborative Framework to End Hate The Bravest Space: Facing the Divide Within The Haudenosaunee and the Story of the Peacemaker
2:00 – 2:15 pm	BREAK
2:15 – 3:00 pm	SESSION TWO: SYSTEMS CHANGE Becoming an Anti-Racist Redlining, Racist Policy, and Resistance in Rochester, New York Representation Matters: Media Images and Stereotyping Rochester: A Tale of Two Cities
3:00 – 3:15 pm	BREAK
3:15 – 4:00 pm	SESSION THREE: ACTIVISM, ORGANIZING—AND HOPE Anger as a Voice for Change Driving Out Hate: What We Can Learn from Chili and Pittsford When Do I Step In? The Mechanics of Intervention Youth Activism Panel
4:00 – 4:15 pm	BREAK
4:15 – 4:45 pm	CLOSING REMARKS WITH ROLAND WILLIAMS
4:45 – 5:00 pm	A CALL TO ACTION FROM THE LEVINE CENTER TO END HATE

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