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EQUITY LECTURE SERIES Spring 2019

Equity, Healing, and Equity-minded Practices

JANUARY 11: ACES Flex Session: 12:15 - 1:30, 3-142

- **Making Equity The Center of All That You Do.** Presented by Dr. Veronica Keiffer-Lewis, organizational equity and cultural humility specialist and experienced diversity and social justice educator, trainer, coach, and consultant

FEBRUARY 7: 12:30 - 2:30pm, Cañada Main Theatre

- **Hidden Figures of Resistance: Wyomia Tyus, the Tennessee State Tigerbelles, and the 1968 Olympics.** (co-sponsored by ACES). Three-time Olympic gold medalist and Women Sports Foundation founder Wyomia Tyus will discuss her experiences growing up as a Black woman in the Jim Crow South, athletics as a pathway to education, and her place at the intersection of sports and politics that was the 1968 Olympics.

FEBRUARY 21: 1 - 3pm, Library

- **Black History Mobile 101 Museum Month at the Cañada library**

MARCH 6: ACES Flex Sessions

- **Equity in the Classroom: Maintaining High Retention and Success for All Students.** Professors Michael Hoffman and Rebekah Taveau will discuss why and how to do equity data investigations and share high impact instructional interventions and student success stories.
- **Equity in Student Services.** Diva Ward, Director of Learning Center and Marisol Quevedo, Program Supervisor, Promise Scholars Program, will lead a discussion and activity focused on self-care during equity work.

MARCH 7: 11-12:30pm

- **Interactive Talk on Personal and Collective Healing with Mindfulness Expert, Charlotte Nguyen.** This talk will be followed by an introductory meditation to help you connect with your body and breath. Together, we will explore why radical self-care and reconnecting to our ancestral healing practices is critical for the work of liberation.

APRIL 15: 9:45-11am

- **Ethnic Studies at Cañada Open Class Lesson.** Did you know we have classes focusing on race, ethnicity and/or equity and inclusiveness in ten different disciplines? Come 'sit-in' on Professor Bob Lee's Sociology 141: Ethnicity and Race in Society for the class session about racial oppression against African Americans.

MAY 7:

- **Everyone Is Welcome Here, a Community-Building Music & Spoken Word Celebration with Aisha Fukushima**, global raptivist (rap activist), performance artist, and educator. Celebrate the Cañada College Mural Project and Equity Lecture Series. Affirm our college/community commitment to inclusivity, equity, and diversity. Co-Sponsored by The Center for Student Life and Leadership Development Vending Commission.

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