

# **OCTOBER 2, 2023**



# **KEYNOTE ADDRESS & LUNCHEON**

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OCTOBER 2, 2023 | 12:00 PM MARGARET ROLLINS ROOM - R. RANDALL ROLLINS BUILDING 

### Chillin with the CWE: Candle Making Center for Women Cox Hall - Center for Women - 3rd Floor 1:00 pm - 2:00 pm

Join the Center for Women for our weekly "Chill with CWE " event, where crafting and camaraderie come together in perfect harmony. For diversity week, we are diving into the art of candle making, and you are invited to experience an afternoon of creativity, connection, and relaxation.

Open to Undergraduate and Graduate Students

No registration required.

## Monday Guided Meditation and Community **Emory Buddhist Club Emory Interfaith Center**

6:00 pm - 7:00 pm

We have invited a monastic from the local Atlanta area to lead a guided meditation, Dharma talk, discussion, and Q&A. We will provide snacks after the session to foster a social atmosphere so our members can get to know one another. We also give gifts to our teachers who visit each week.

# **Register Here**

**Bollywood Zumba Recreation and Wellness** WoodPEC 8:00 pm - 9:00 pm

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# **OCTOBER 3, 2023**



# **TRUTH, RACIAL HEALING, AND TRANSFORMATION** WORKSHOP **FACILITATED BY SHARON STROYE**

OCTOBER 3, 2023 | 11:00 AM GOIZUETA BUSINESS SCHOOL - ROOM 500 (EAST WING) 

#### **Diversity Winners Circle** Learning and Organizational Development - Diversity and Inclusion Education 1599 Clifton Road Room 1.432

10:00 am - 11:30 am

Diversity Winners Circle is an interactive game that navigates participants through DEI concepts such as diversity, culture, communication, privilege, and engagement. This session is limited to 25 participants. Emory University NetID Required

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### SCOTUS Impact on Higher Education, Healthcare, and Beyond Nell Hodgson Woodruff School of Nursing School of Nursing Room 110 (Hybrid) 11:00 am - 1:00 pm

Join us for an informative presentation and discussion on the current Supreme Court of the United States. The court's decisions have wide-ranging implications on our lives, but most of us know little beyond the headlines. This session will analyze some of the latest rulings from women's reproductive rights, LGBTQ protections, to Affirmative Action. Learn how cases are chosen, criteria for judication, and the real-life impact of the court's rulings. Dr. Sherard Robbins is a constitutional scholar and the Founder and Chief Executive.

# **Register Here**

"Bee Yourself" Button Making **Emory University Libraries** 

## **Robert W. Woodruff Library - Lobby Entrance** 11:30 am - 2:00 pm

Color and make your own [Bee] Yourself button. Free. All supplies provided.

No registration required.

## Sustainable Food Fair Office of Sustainability Initiatives | Emory Sustainable Food Fair Team **Asbury Walk**

11:30 am - 2:00 pm

In the Spring of 2007, Professor Peggy Barlett created a new anthropology course called "Fast Food/Slow Food" that introduced undergraduates to the issues of sustainable food systems and was the incubator for the Sustainable Food Fair. Then in 2016, Dr. Simona Muratore, a specialist in Italian culture and the Mediterranean diet, took over leadership of the Fall Food Fair class. With a lively event, the Sustainable Food Fair fosters greater awareness of sustainability issues in food and expands knowledge of the pros and cons of different production systems, including issues of environmental impact, social and cultural impact, diversity, taste, and nutrition/health issues among the Emory community. There will be locally farmed food and vendors, live music and performances, and interactive educational tables on topics such as fair trade, local produce, and modern diets at the fair!

## You Are Not Alone **Emory Black Employee Network (EBEN)** Virtual 12:00 pm - 1:00 pm

Join the EBEN ERG for a conversation about employee's resources available through the Equity & Compliance office. This will be a virtual, non-recorded event open to all employees. Open to Employees

**Register Here** 

Emory Black Student Union Kickback: Shuffle, Step, Slide **Emory Black Student Union** Cox Hall - Black Student Union - 3rd Floor 4:00 pm - 6:00 pm

Get ready to move, groove, and celebrate the rhythm of unity at our Black Student Union Kickback: Shuffle, Step, Slide event! Not only will you have the chance to showcase your dance moves, but you will also learn popular and classic line dances that have played a significant role in our community's history. Join us for an afternoon of music, dance, and learning as we come together to embrace the soulful beats and cultural significance of line dancing. Visit <u>race.emory.edu</u>.

No registration required.

## Association of Black Public Health Students Family Reunion **Association of Black Public Health Students Rollins Courtyard** 5:00 pm - 8:30 pm

The Association of Black Public Health Students welcomes back the Rollins community for our own family reunion! Join us on October 3rd at 6pm for food, music, and activities as we celebrate the start of the school year. We hope to see you there!

**Register Here** 

#### **Empowerment through Self-Defense Goizueta Women in Business Club** Goizueta Business School - W5225 7:00 pm - 9:00 pm

Rollins School of Public Health Students

Join us for an empowering evening of learning essential self-defense techniques and strategies with globally recognized self-defense training organization, SASS GO, hosted by the Goizueta Women in Business Club (GWIB). This event is designed to equip you with the knowledge and skills to confidently navigate potential safety challenges and enhance your personal security.

The event is limited to 25 participants. All interested participants are required to register on "The Hub" before the event. The class fee is fully covered for GWIB members as part of your membership dues. Please note: In the event of a no-show, participants will be expected to reimburse the club for the reserved spot. Goizueta Women in Business Club Members

**Register Here** 

# **OCTOBER 4, 2023**



**DIVERSITY OF DESSERTS** 

Join the Office of Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion and campus partners as we celebrate the diverse richness of the Emory community. Stop by to explore sweet treats from around the world.

OCTOBER 4, 2023 | 12:00 PM - 2:00 PM WONDERFUL WEDNESDAYS - ASBURY CIRCLE **>>>>>>** REGISTER HERE



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Office of Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion

**Diversity Winners Circle** Learning and Organizational Development - Diversity and Inclusion Education Seney Hall (Oxford Campus)

**Room 209** 10:00 am - 11:30 am

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10:00 am

## Supplier Diversity Open House Supplier Diversity 1599 Clifton Road, Atlanta, GA 30322

This session will offer the opportunity to learn more about working with Emory's systems and its Procurement Team, while offering insights on doing business within Emory's large, decentralized environment.

Certified Diverse Suppliers **<u>Register Here</u>** 

**Cafecito with LAL** La Alianza Latinx R. Randall Rollins Building - N101 12:00 pm

La Alianza Latinx invites students to discuss tips and tricks, look at academic timelines, drink some cafecito, and eat pan dulce.

Rollins School of Public Health Students

**Register Here** 

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**Mid-week Musical Meditation Office of Spiritual and Religious Life** Zoom and Facebook Live 12:00 pm

All are invited to reflect and decompress in a mid-week, mid-day time of sacred music. Join Maury Allums, Director of Music, and the Emory Office of Spiritual and Religious Life in taking a moment to breathe, relax, and connect with others in our community.

Sukkot Pickling Workshop **Office of Spiritual and Religious Life Dobbs Common Table Patio** 

12:00 pm - 2:00 pm

Join Rabbi Jordan Braunig, Emory's Jewish Chaplain, for a fermentation workshop during the Jewish holiday of Sukkot, a time of connection to agricultural cycles and the harvest season. In the ancient world (and today), an abundance of harvested produce is preserved through pickling. All are welcome to stop by the Sukkah at the DCT for a quick tutorial on making pickles through lacto-fermentation, and leave with your own small jar of kosher dills (or sauerkraut!). No prior pickling experience is required. RSVP is helpful for ordering, but pickling supplies will be available on a first-come-first served basis: Part of Emory Diversity Week 2023. Sponsored by the Emory University Office of Spiritual and Religious Life, the Tam Institute for Jewish Studies, and Emory Campus Life. For questions, please contact religiouslife@emory.edu.

**Register Here** 

Snacktvities with the ASC: Embroiderv **Office of Racial and Cultural Engagement** Asian Student Center - Cox Hall - 3rd Floor 3:00 pm - 4:00 pm

Join the Asian Student Center for our weekly Snacktivities! Take a break and relax with crafts, snacks, music, and friends. This week we are getting tangled up with embroidery; stop by and embroider a hoop to decorate your space, or if you're feeling especially creative, bring an item of clothing to embroider. We are 'sew' excited to see you there!

No registration required.

#### The Rose Library Drag Show The Rose Library Robert W. Woodruff Library - The Rose Library

7:00 pm Join us on Wednesday October 4th at 7pm in the Rose Library for our third annual drag show! The show is free and

No registration required.

open to the public.

Arts & Social Justice Fellows Program: A Conversation and Celebration of the Oxford Exhibit **Oxford College Library** Oxford College Library - 1st Floor - The Ran Elizer Exhibit Space 6:00 pm

Members of the Arts & Social Justice Fellows Program will be at the Oxford College Library to discuss the program and celebrate the Oxford Library's new "Creative Justice" Exhibit. Oxford faculty who have participated in the program will also be here to answer questions. A light hors d'oeuvres reception will follow. No registration required.



Interactive programming offering community building through crafts, conversations, and wellness activities. Office of LGBT Life

Open to Undergraduate and Graduate Students

No registration required.

## JLSA/OUTLaw Comedy Night with Liz Glazer **OUTLaw & Jewish Law Students Association** Law School - Classroom 1E 6:30 pm - 8:00 pm

JLSA and OUTLaw are hosting Liz Glazer, an award-winning standup comedian, actor, and writer. She began her career as a tenured law professor and gave it all up to do comedy, where her material draws from her own life as a lesbian, a rabbi's wife, and a former lawyer. **<u>Register Here</u>** 

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# **OCTOBER 5, 2023**

#### **Buddhist Meditation Office of Spiritual and Religious Life Cannon Chapel**

6:00 pm

Join the Emory Buddhist community in guided meditation and discussion. Come to meditate, to make friends, and to learn about Buddhist life at Emory. Contact: Emory Buddhist Chaplain Ven. Priya Rakkhit Sraman, psraman@emory.edu.

**Register Here** 

## Rainbow Thumb Queer Chat Oxford - Office of Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion (Campus Life) **Oxford College - Mural Room** WoodPEC

6:00 pm

Join Oxford - ODEI and OxPride as we celebrate LGBTQ Awareness Month for meet and greet and de-stressor event, where each attendee will walk away will a small desk plant with instructions on how to take care of it. There will also be a roundtable discussion and LGBTQ Awareness education presented.

Open to Students **Register Here** 

## Chat Centro Latinx x Escrtores ATL Open Mic Centro Latinx

Centro Latinx - Cox Hall - 3rd Floor 6:30 pm

Join Centro Latinx and Escritores ATL for an evening of poetry, food and community celebrating the voices of trans and queer Latinx writers!

No registration required.

# **OCTOBER 6, 2023**

#### Social Movements and the Politics of Law **Emory Center for Civil Rights and Social Justice Emory Law School**

# 9:30 am - 5:30 pm

This symposium examines the possibility of creating social change by merging legal and political advocacy with social movement activity. Esteemed speakers will convene to reflect on the life of Urvashi Vaid, who painstakingly advanced social justice using a multidimensional lens that exposed the connections between inequity based on race, sexual orientation, gender identity, poverty, immigrant status and nationality, and disability. After examining Vaid's contributions to the theory and practice of social change, panelists will offer recommendations for contemporary social justice advocacy during a climate of stiff political resistance.

## **Register Here**

## **Students of Color Support Group CAPS Office**

CAPS Office 1:00 pm - 2:00 pm

The purpose of the group is to provide a safe space and support to students of color on Emory's campus. Our intention is to provide students of color an outlet to discuss intersecting identities, realities, and experiences that align with student life (including but not limited to interpersonal concerns, family dynamics, academic stressors, and socio-political stressors).

Open to Undergraduate and Graduate Students

## **Register Here**

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#### Muslim Jumu'ah Prayers **Office of Spiritual Religious Life** Cannon Chapel

1:55 pm Join Emory OSRL for Friday Prayers. For questions, please contact isam.vaid@emory.edu.

**Office of Spiritual Religious Life** Cannon Chapel 5:00 pm

Join Emory's Hindu community for weekly prayers and community. All are welcome. Contact: Hindu Chaplain Shweta Chaitanya, shweta.chaitanya@emory.edu.

#### Emory Veterans Alumni Network "Welcome Back to Campus" **Emory Veterans Alumni Network**

#### Miller Award Alumni House 5:30 pm - 7:30 pm

Join Emory Alumni Veterans Network (EAVN) for a "Welcome Back to Campus" for Emory-Affiliated veterans. Enjoy an evening of networking, connecting and sharing. EAVN is re-branding this year as a network with events primarily in the Emory community in metro-Atlanta. EAVN will also have a special flag dedication ceremony during the event. EAVN wants to create a community of and for veterans - all who have served in uniform are invited to attend. Special guests include student veterans as well as Emory employee veterans.

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#### **Shabbat Services** Hillel at Emory

6:30 pm Service | 7:00 pm Dinner

Join Hillel at Emory for Shabbat services and dinner.

# **Register Here**

Friday Night Shabbat Chabad @Emory

## Chabad at Emory 7:30 pm - 8:30 pm

The vote is in, and there is truly nothing like it! Join fellow Emoryites and experience Shabbat @ Chabad's new location. A perfect blend of gourmet food, spirited singing, friendly schmoozing, and inspired ideas. This is not to be missed.

Shabbat Services at 7:30 pm followed by Shabbat Dinner at 8 pm.

RVSP is a must!!! Text Shabbat Dinner to 4049997787 to RSVP.

# **Register Here**

# **Previously Recorded Programs**



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DISABILITY

Joelle Butler, LCSW Associate Director, Faculty & Staff

Department of Accessibility Services **Emory University** 

## "What's Good for Boyle Heights is Good for the Jews": Creating Multiracialism in East Los Angeles

On November 7, 2022 the Tam Institute for Jewish Studies (TIJS) featured Prof. George J. Sánchez of the University of Southern California (USC) as the speaker for the 2022 Rothschild Lecture, which was titled "What's Good for Boyle Heights is Good for the Jews': Creating Multiracialism in East Los Angeles During the 1950s." This lecture discussed the creation of a multicultural radicalism in the Boyle Heights neighborhood of East Los Angeles during the 1950s. This new relationship between the Jewish and Mexican American communities took place during an exodus of Jews to Southern California's white suburbs after World War II, while leftists of all races sought refuge in Boyle Heights to escape the growing influence of McCarthyism.



# **Defining Disability**

Facilitated by Joelle Butler, Associate Director Department of Accessibility Services

The Defining Disability training will cover the

- following areas: • ADA definition versus disability as a cultural
  - identity
  - Person-first versus disability-first language
  - Visible versus invisible disabilities Temporary versus permanent disabilities
  - Defining disability amidst the COVID-19 pandemic

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# **Dispelling Myths About Disability**

**Combatting Stigma & Ableism** Facilitated by Joelle Butler, Associate Director Department of Accessibility Services

The Dispelling Myths About Disability Combatting Stigma & Ableism training will cover the following areas:

- Fact versus fiction regarding the foundation for common attitudes toward people with disabilities
- Common misconceptions that contribute to discrimination, stigmatization and marginalization of disabled people
- Defining "Ableism" • How to reshape our attitudes, behavior and language to foster inclusion.

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## Haben | The Deafblind Woman Who **Conquered Harvard Law**

A Conversation with Haben Girma

The first Deafblind person to graduate from Harvard Law School, Haben Girma is a human rights lawyer advancing disability justice. President Obama named her a White House Champion of Change. She received the Helen Keller Achievement Award, a spot on the Forbes 30 Under 30 list, and TIME100 Talks. President Bill Clinton, Prime Minister Justin Trudeau, and Chancellor Angela Merkel have all honored Haben. Haben believes disability is an opportunity for innovation, and she teaches organizations the importance of choosing inclusion. The New York Times, Oprah Magazine, and TODAY Show featured her memoir, Haben: The Deafblind Woman Who Conquered Harvard Law.

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# Watch Here

Antisemitism: A Conversation w Dr. Deborah Lipstadt & Dr. Carol E. Henderson

The Office of Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion's Thought Leader Series identifies opportunities to engage in conversation with some of the foremost thinkers at Emory and more broadly across the world who can provide educational awareness around topics and issues that create barriers to experiencing a more inclusive Emory, and a more humane and just society.

In this episode, Dr. Carol E. Henderson sits down with Ambassador Deborah Lipstadt, Dorot Professor of Modern Jewish and Holocaust Studies at Emory, and Special Envoy to Monitor and Combat Antisemitism. This intimate conversation brings awareness to the history of antisemitism and where we are today.

# Watch Here

# Introduction to Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion

Learning and Organizational Development is launching a new course: Introduction to Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion. Learn how your identity, and the identity of your peers, impacts your daily work and experiences. Explore the value of diverse perspectives and understand the positive impact of

an inclusive environment. Through interactive exercises and discussion, you will gain practical knowledge on how to support Emory's commitment to diversity, equity, and inclusion and make meaningful changes in your own sphere of influence. Log into Branier to register.

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## **Diversity.EDU in Branier**

Diversity Edu is a collection of online courses focused on Diversity, Equity & Inclusion. These courses were designed specifically for higher education. Once logged into **Branier**, you can search for classes by title. Please see attached list of Diversity.Edu classes.

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1. Send an email to LISTSERV@listserv.emory.edu 2. In the text of the email, write SUBSCRIBE ODEI [your first name] [your last name]. for example: SUBSCRIBE ODEI John Smith

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