



2024 Equity Summit: Navigating Equity for an Inclusive Future

February 22nd, 2024 | 10:00AM CT

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10:00 – 10:05 AM Welcome & Opening Remarks
Ashley Watts, Texas Racial Equity Collaborative (TREC) Doctoral Fellow, CHILDREN AT RISK

Data Highlight

10:06 AM – 10:15 AM Center for Social Measurement and Evaluation (CSME), CHILDREN AT RISK

Unveiling Inequities: Navigating Health, Justice, Education, and Basic Needs Disparities

Description: Discover the profound impact of inequities in health, justice, education, and basic needs. Engage with thought leaders as they dissect disparities, advocate for justice, and promote inclusive solutions.

10:16 AM – 10:40 AM Moderated by **Viridiana Carrizales**, Co-Founder & CEO, ImmSchools
Veronica Alvarez, Director of Transformation, Dallas Truth, Racial Healing & Transformation (TRHT)
Rev. Russell Hall, Director of Youth Homeless Services, Houston: reVision
Yvette Leno, Founder & Director, Beauty's Community Garden

Keynote Address

10:40 AM – 11:05 AM **Jerry L. Hawkins**, Executive Director, Dallas Truth, Racial Healing & Transformation (TRHT)

Navigating the Equity Landscape: How Organizations Are Pioneering Change

Description: Join us for an enlightening panel featuring experts from diverse organizations, as they share their impactful initiatives and practices in the equity space. Learn how these leaders are championing equity through a truly equitable lens, driving meaningful change in their respective fields.

11:05 AM – 11:35 AM Moderated by **Asha George**, Chief Diversity Officer, Electronic Arts
Meghan Green, Ed.D, Assistant Professor of Raciolinguistic Justice in Early Childhood Teacher Education, Erikson Institute
Kevin A. Hall, Community Innovation And Outreach Partnership Program Director, WIC Greater Dallas Program

Michele D. Harper, Chief Equity Officer, Evident Change
Elvira Salazar, Director, Online Learning & Technology, Latinos for Education

Cultivating Tomorrow's Equity Leaders: A Path to Inclusivity

Description: Explore the intergenerational dynamics of equity leadership in this insightful discussion. Seasoned equity leaders and emerging talents will share their experiences, challenges, and collaborative efforts. Discover how bridging the generation gap can accelerate progress towards a more equitable society.

11:35 AM – 11:55 AM

Bethany Edwards, Ph.D., Southern Methodist University
Peter Libreros, Bilingual Interventionist in a Title I campus in Cypress-Fairbanks ISD

11:55 AM – 12:00 PM Closing Remarks

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