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Transformative Resistance in Higher Education

4th Annual Center for Equity and Cultural Wealth Institute

The past year has illuminated inequities that have long existed in higher education, but it has also presented a unique opportunity.

Join us as we explore practical approaches and strategies to identify and reform inequitable, oppressive structures in higher education by centering equity and our cultural wealth.

The two-day virtual institute will be framed by our opening keynote speaker, Tara Yosso, who created the theory of community cultural wealth and by our closing speaker, nationally renowned poet and playwright, Claudia Rankine.

For more information including registration and call for proposals, visit bhcc.edu/cecw

Tara Yosso
Tara J. Yosso is a Professor in the Graduate School of Education at the University of California Riverside. Her research and teaching apply the frameworks of critical race theory and critical media literacy to examine educational access and equity, emphasizing the community cultural wealth Students of Color bring to school.

Claudia Rankine
Claudia Rankine is a poet, essayist, playwright, and the editor of several anthologies. She is the author of five volumes of poetry, two plays, and various essays. Rankine is the recipient of the Bobbitt National Prize for Poetry, the Poets & Writers’ Jackson Poetry Prize, and fellowships from the Guggenheim Foundation, the Lannan Foundation, the MacArthur Foundation, United States Artists, and the National Endowment of the Arts.