The Root: Racism and Privilege in America

The Root:
Understanding Racism, Privilege and Power
Lecture and Dialogue
Friday, Sept. 9, 2016 | 6:30 – 8:30 p.m.
Performing Arts Center
Mesa Community College
1520 S. Longmore, Mesa

Learn about race and racism from a historical perspective to its daily impact on American society. Engage in a comprehensive exploration of racism — including privilege, bias and power dynamics — that will foster critical thinking, increase awareness, and encourage solution-oriented change.

Examing The Root:
Racism, Privilege, Leadership and Action
Interactive Workshop
Saturday, Sept. 10, 2016 | 9 a.m. – 4 p.m.
Kirk Student Center – Navajo Room
Mesa Community College
1833 W. Southern Ave., Mesa

This full-day workshop will move beyond foundational understandings and provide an opportunity for a more in-depth examination of racism and privilege. Explore the systems, their functions, why they persist, and how they can be disrupted and undone. Participate in discussions about leadership, community organizing and action, and network with peers.

Eddie Moore Jr., PhD is one of the most dynamic thinkers on contemporary race relations and inter-group dialogue. He addresses “The Root” causes and impacts of systemic racism in America. Moore is founder and program director of the White Privilege Conference, a top national and international conference addressing issues related to privilege and power, and in 2014 he created The Privilege Institute. Moore earned a doctorate in education leadership from the University of Iowa.

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