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# RACE

CHALLENGE YOUR PERSPECTIVE.

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Pacific Science Center's new exhibit raises profound questions about the U.S. concept of race. In conjunction with this exhibit, join us for free Group Workshops and a Speaker Series.

## THE EXHIBIT

Using interactive maps, historical artifacts, computer simulations of gene flows, compelling photographs and multimedia presentations, *RACE: Are We So Different?* challenges how we think about race and human variation and reveals the reality—and unreality—of race. It probes how racism has impacted every social institution, and shaped our country's history.

**Free on the first Monday of each month (Oct.–Dec.) for the first 800 people, from 5–8 p.m.**

***For more information on Group Workshops and the Speaker Series visit [seattle.gov/rsji](http://seattle.gov/rsji).***



Are We So Different?  
*RACE* is a Project of American Anthropological Association.  
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## GROUP WORKSHOPS

### *What does “racial equity” mean? How can we take action to achieve greater equity?*

Businesses, non-profits, PTSAs, faith-based organizations, neighborhood associations, government agencies, youth groups and other groups from the community are invited to participate in free Group Workshops at Pacific Science Center or your place of gathering. Each Group Workshop includes a 75-minute pre-exhibit session and a two-hour post-exhibit session. These experiences are designed for groups to use the exhibit to expand and apply their understanding of racial equity in their own groups and communities. RSJI staff and our trained facilitators will work with your group to tailor the workshop experience to your particular needs and goals. All groups will be provided with resources and next steps to make on-going commitments to work to end racial inequity.

Group Workshops are free to groups who experience the exhibit. Pacific Science Center is committed to making the *RACE* exhibit experience affordable for everyone who would like to engage with it. Discounted group admission rates are available to all groups of 10 or more who make advanced reservations. If you are concerned that your workshop group will not be able to cover the cost of admission, please contact Diana Falchuk at the Race and Social Justice Initiative to discuss ways that we can make your group's participation possible: [diana.falchuk@seattle.gov](mailto:diana.falchuk@seattle.gov) or (206) 684-5282.

## SPEAKER SERIES

### *The Speaker Series presents international, national and local leaders in racial equity.*

- **Tuesday, October 1, 7 p.m.** at Pacific Science Center – Kick-off event featuring John Powell, author, international civil rights scholar and current Executive Director of the Haas Institute for a Fair and Inclusive Society and UCLA Berkeley.
- **Monday, October 7, 7 p.m.** at Pacific Science Center – *Broken on All Sides* film viewing and panel discussion with local leaders in racial equity in criminal justice. *Broken on All Sides* examines racial inequities in the American criminal justice system through the lens of Philadelphia. Complete your experience with the *RACE* exhibit. From 5-8 p.m., the first 800 people who visit the exhibit will see it for free. This event is a lead-in to the Seattle Social Justice Film Festival, running Oct. 10–13: [socialjusticefilmfestival.org](http://socialjusticefilmfestival.org).
- A third event will be announced later in the fall.

### **All Speaker Series events are free and open to the public.**

A donation of \$5 or old eyeglasses, dictionaries or postage stamps is requested for the film viewing and discussion, to benefit Books to Prisoners.

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Group Workshops and the Speaker Series are sponsored by the following City of Seattle Departments – Office of Arts & Culture, Department of Transportation, Department of Neighborhoods, City Attorney's Office, Human Services Department/Youth and Family Empowerment Division, Seattle Public Library and Seattle Center – as well as the Seattle Social Justice Film Festival, Non-Profit Anti-Racism Coalition, Center for Ethical Leadership, Social Justice Fund, City of Federal Way Diversity Commission, Federal Way Public Schools, City of Redmond/Old Redmond Schoolhouse Community Center, Snohomish County, Seattle Times, University of Washington Department of Communication and Seattle Metro Chamber of Commerce.