

Theme: “Social Workers Can help Save Our Democracy”

March Is Social Work Month: The Social Work Lecture Series

Confirmed Times of Special Guests’ Appearances

REGISTER TODAY:

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- 9:30 am The Virtual History of Johnson C. Smith University School of Social Work
The Invocation
Dr. Kendal Mobley, Assistant Professor of Religion, Johnson C. Smith University
- 10:00 am Mr. Chad Lassiter, Executive Director Pennsylvania Human Relations Commission & JCSU SSW Alumni
Greetings from Johnson C. Smith University
Dr. Helen Caldwell, Host Dean, School of Social Work
Dr. Davida Haywood, Vice President for Student Affairs
Dr. Karen Morgan, Senior Vice President for Academic Affairs
- 10:45 am Mr. Edolphus Towns, Former U.S. House of Representative Congressman & Co-Sponsor of The Dorothy I. Height & Whitney M. Young, Jr., Social Work Reinvestment Act
- 11:00 am Beverly Smith, National President of Delta Sigma Theta Sorority Inc.
In Memory of Social Work Pioneer, Soror Dr. Dorothy I. Height
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The Dr. Dorothy I. Height Social Work
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TEXT: *height21* to 704.452.4207 TO GIVE
- 11:15 am Dr. Jenny Jones, Dean, Whitney M. Young, Jr., School of Social Work Clark Atlanta University
- 11:30 am Dr. Darla Spence Coffey, President & CEO, Council on Social Work Education
- 11:40 am Break
- 11:50 am Dr. Cindy Kistenberg, Professor of Communications & Theatre & Johnson C. Smith University
Charlotte Racial Justice Consortium
Mr. Kenneth Hagler, Johnson C. Smith University
Charlotte Racial Justice Consortium Student Fellow
- 12:00 pm Dr. Charles E. Lewis, Jr., *KEYNOTE SPEAKER*, Founder & Director
Congressional Research Institute For Social Work and Policy (CRISP)
“Social Workers Can Help Save Our Democracy”
- 12:45 pm Dr. Mildred “Mit’ Joyner, President of National Association of Social Workers, NASW
- 1:00 pm Dr. Angela Henderson, Social Justice Social Work Warrior,
CEO, Congressional Social Work Caucus RoundTable, 1st BSW Congressional Field Supervisor
- 1:15 pm Dr. Catherine Gayle, President. Association of the Baccalaureate Social Work Program Directors (BPD)
Chair of the Department of Social Work at Savannah State University
- 1:30 pm Dr. Sandra Edmond Crewe, Dean, Howard University School of Social Work
- 1:45 pm Dr. Jerome Schiele, Chair, PhD Program, School of Social Work, Morgan State University
- 2:00 pm The U.S. House of Representative, The Honorable Congresswoman Dr. Alma Adams (NC) (Letter)
- 2:15 pm Dr. Gary Bailey, Assistant Dean for Community Engagement and Social Justice at the College of Social Science,
Policy and Practice at Simmons University, Boston
‘This is Not the Time to be Silent’
- 2:30 pm Dr. Kristie Holmes, United Nations Women — USA Board of Directors
- 2:45 pm Break
- 3:00 pm Dr. Martell Teasley, President, National Association of Deans, & Directors of Social Work (NADD)
Dean, College of Social Work, University of Utah
- 3:30 pm Melissa Smith Haley, President, National Association of Black Social Workers (NABSW)
- 3:45 pm Dr. Schnavia Smith Hatcher, Director/Professor, School of Social Work, University of North Carolina Charlotte
- 4:00 pm Dr. Isiah Marshall, Associate Dean and Associate Professor Jackson State University College of Health Sciences
School of Social Work
- 4:15 pm Dr. Melita Mitchell, Interim Dean of the Metropolitan College of Professional Studies
Johnson C. Smith University
- 4:30 pm Student Recognitions and Awards
- 4:45 pm Closing Remarks

9:30 am—5:00 pm March 12, 2021