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# BLACK, BROWN, AND POWERFUL: FREEDOM DREAMS IN UNEQUAL CITIES

April 26, 2018 | LATTC, South Tent

Gary M. Segura | Laurence B. Frank | Ananya Roy | Paul Ong Lola Smallwood Cuevas | Tony Roshan Samara | Manuel Criollo Jorja Leap & Kathy Wooten | Bryonn Bain & the Lyrics Crew

In Los Angeles and elsewhere, black and brown communities face multiple forms of banishment and exploitation. At this evening of inspiring talks and performances, convened by the Institute on Inequality and Democracy at UCLA Luskin, we shine a light on organizing frameworks and resistance strategies that challenge exclusion and refuse subordination.



# PROGRAM

5 - 6 p.m.

6 - 8 p.m.



# Welcome Reception & Opening Remarks

*Gary M. Segura*, Dean, UCLA Luskin School of Public Affairs *Laurence B. Frank*, President, LA Trade-Tech College

From Banishment to Freedom Ananya Roy, UCLA

South LA 50 Years after the Kerner Commission Paul Ong, UCLA

**Black Workers Rising, Los Angeles Rising** *Lola Smallwood Cuevas*, Los Angeles Black Worker Center

Tenant Power: Victories for Housing Justice

*Tony Roshan Samara*, Urban Habitat & Right to the City Alliance

# Resisting Police in Schools & Organizing for Educational Reparations Now

*Manuel Criollo*, Activist-in-Residence at UCLA

# Building Power in Watts: Community Leaders & Systems Change

*Jorja Leap*, Watts Leadership Institute *Kathy Wooten*, Loving Hands Community Care

# Special Performance: Lockdown Unplugged

Bryonn Bain & the Lyrics Crew, UCLA

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April 27, 2018 | LATTC, South Tent and Aspen Hall

Terra Graziani, Hilary Malson, & Ananya Roy | Susan Burton & Noah Zatz | Laura Abrams, Manuel Criollo, & Matthew Mizel Funmilola Fagbamila | Pete White

This day of workshops follows Thursday evening's talks and performances, "From Banishment to Freedom." The Institute on Inequality and Democracy at UCLA Luskin now invites you to participate in a full day of dialogue and collaborative work.

# **#ONRACE**



8:30 a.m. - 9:30 a.m. LATTC, South Tent

9:30 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.

LATTC, Aspen Hall

Workshop A. Rm 101

Workshop B. Rm 107 Workshop C. Rm 120



### Workshop Registration and Breakfast

Friday attendees are requested to participate for the entire day in one of the three workshops.

Workshop A. Freedom is a Place: Land, Rent, and Housing

Moderators: Terra Graziani, Hilary Malson, and Ananya Roy, UCLA

#### Workshop B.

Pay for Freedom, Work for Free: Economic Extraction in Criminal Justice Moderators: *Susan Burton*, A New Way of Life Re-Entry Project, and *Noah Zatz*, UCLA

# Workshop C. Disentangling the Web of the Juvenile Justice System

Moderators: *Laura Abrams*, UCLA, *Manuel Criollo*, Activist-in-Residence, UCLA, and *Matthew Mizel*, UCLA & InsideOut Writers

Lunch

#### Special Performance: Woke Black Folk

Funmilola Fagbamila, Black Lives Matter LA

#### **Freedom Dreams in Unequal Cities**

Moderators: Ananya Roy, UCLA, and Pete White, LA Community Action Network A joint convening of the three workshops to share research and analysis, frameworks and strategies for organizing, and possibilities for shared visions and proposals.

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1:00 p.m. - 1:30 p.m. LATTC, South Tent

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