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### A Message from The Alumni Council



Vanessa Cubano Associate Director of Instititional Advancement National Black History Month, also known as National African American History Month, during February is a time for all Americans to celebrate the achievements of African Americans. The month recognizes their central role in American history.

Other countries, including Canada and Great Britain, have also set aside months to honor black history. The month of February was chosen to coincide with the birthdays of President Abraham Lincoln and noted civil rights advocate Frederick Douglass. The first record of Africans arriving in North America is dated 1619, when a privateer ship carrying "twenty and odd" Africans landed at Point Comfort, Virginia, which is now modern-day Hampton, Virginia. The Africans were traded as slaves in exchange for provisions. African-American's impact our society throughout history and in numerous ways. Here are just a few prominent individuals we honor this month:

- Thurgood Marshall was the first African-American appointed to the Supreme Court. We recognize Thurgood Marshall every year on National Maryland Day.
- George Washington Carver developed over 300 products from peanuts. Celebrate George Washington Carver and his contributions to the peanut industry on National Peanut Day.
- Shirley Chisholm was the first African-American woman elected to U.S. House of Representatives.
- Rosa Parks helped initiate the Civil Rights Movement by refusing to give up her seat on the bus in Montgomery, Alabama. Celebrate Rosa Park on Rosa Parks Day and learn more about her contributions to the Civil Rights Movement.
- Louis Armstrong is widely known as a jazz pioneer. Information about Louis Armstrong can be found in November on National Louisiana Day.
- Colin Powell is a 4-star General who became Secretary of State. Colin Powell dedicated the Buffalo Soldier Monument at Fort Leavenworth, Kansas, establishing the first Buffalo Soldiers Day.
- Barack Obama was elected the first Black President of the United States.

To Celebrate Black History Month University Relations is hosting a Watch Party to foster knowledge of African American history and its impact on our lives today. We have a beautiful poem create by our Alumni Association Co-Chair Dr. Jeremiah Pearcey witnessing his experience of what Black History Month means to him. Additionally we have an insightful article by Lilith Owyoung about the passing of two inspirational activist and their own experience with Black History. Let the past guide us, the future give us hope and in the present seek peace.

# **Co-Chairs** Corner

# Give Me Space

By Dr. Jeremiah Pearcey In Honor of Black History Month and George Floyd

Does your skin suffocate? When you leave the house does it cause ire to precipitate When you drive your car do you contemplate Potentialities of the last breath vou'll take? You can't escape. You're bound by your color, while you vie for space ... ... To breathe... Give us space to see the Give us space to grieve The 300-year doctrine that our life is without meaning We've been told were dreaming The unseen It's a fallacy It can't be Racism ended in the 19th Century. You don't deserve my empathy All lives matter But my feelings are real And though I've been told not to feel, I feel The dogs of oppression nipping at my heels When we walk or when we talk, I can hear the howls coming up and down the block Red and blue It doesn't mean for us what it means for you It's a pain of identity we're going through It's dving Of a kind, as the sheer terror sculpts a frame of mind Afraid to move a muscle; it takes just one time But it's fine... Just give me space to see the Give me space to grieve The chains still clink when we apply for jobs When we bird the park, or when we go for jogs The cross still burns on our front lawns with voter suppression laws, the confederate cause, redlining draws A line That this isn't we it's us. Everyone not on Rosa's bus Everyone that wants to stand for their fellow man We'll take your hand Against... This system, redundant in its inequality From 1619 to George Floyd's death scene And beyond... Is this momentum or the redundant system powering on? Can't we all just breathe? Or must we always grieve?

Listen Here

Alumni Association Co-Chair Dr. Jeremiah Pearcey

### 5 Things You Can Do In Honor of Black History Month

February is Black History Month, a time to honor the essential contributions of Black people in the story of America. National and local events and online celebrations will take place throughout the month to focus attention on Black people's achievements and history.
 Since 1976, the US has officially marked the contributions of Black people and celebrated the history and culture of the Black experience in America every February.
 Read on to learn how you can participate.

#### **Support Black-Owned Businesses and Restaurants**

Becoming a customer of local Black businesses helps protect livelihoods and supports Black entrepreneurs. If you aren't sure which businesses in your area are owned and operated by your Black neighbors, several resources can help. Start off by learning how to find Black-owned restaurants where you live. Several directories have now been created to highlight and promote Black businesses. Official Black Wall Street is one of the original services that list businesses owned by members of the Black community. Support Black Owned uses a simple search tool to help you find Black businesses, Shop Black Owned is an open-source tool operating in eight US cities, and EatOkra specifically helps people find Black-owned restaurants. Also, We Buy Black offers an online marketplace for Black businesses. The online boutique Etsy highlights Black-owned vendors on its website -- many of these shop owners are women selling jewelry and unique art pieces.

#### **Donate to Black Organizations and Charities**

Donating money to a charity is an important way to support a movement or group, and your monetary contribution can help fund programs and pay for legal costs and salaries that keep an organization afloat. Your employer may agree to match employee donations, which would double the size of your contribution -- ask your HR department. Nonprofit organizations require reliable, year-round funding to do their work. Rather than a lump sum, consider a monthly donation. Even if the amount seems small, your donation combined with others can help provide a steady stream of funds that allows programs to operate.

#### Attend Local Black History Month Events

Many cities, schools, and local organizations will host events celebrating Black History Month in February 2022. Check your local newspaper or city website to see what events are happening in your area -- for example, Atlanta, Chicago, Dallas, Baltimore, Seattle and Louisville, Kentucky, have extensive events planned this month. If you can't find anything in your area or don't want to attend events in person, the Smithsonian Institution in Washington, DC, is offering online Black History Month events nearly every day in February.

#### Watch Black History Documentaries and Movies

You can find movies and documentaries exploring the Black experience right now on Netflix, Disney Plus and other streaming services. The CNET staff has compiled a selection of feature films and documentaries for Black History Month 2022, including the wonderful Summer of Soul and Black is King. Netflix, Amazon Prime Video and Hulu all have special collections of streaming movies and shows for Black History Month. PBS also offers several free video documentary collections, which include smaller chunks of Black history for all ages. The collections include subjects like the Freedom Riders, the 1963 March on Washington and the Rise and Fall of Jim Crow.

#### Find Black authors and stories for yourself and your children

There are so many great books to read in Black History Month, but where to start? Try your local library. Many will have Black History Month collections for both adults and kids. Libraries will also often have Black History Month book recommendations by age. The San Diego Public Library, the Detroit Public Library and DC Public Library, for example, have programs and collections to browse for adults and children. Next try Black booksellers. The No Name Book Club, dedicated to amplifying diverse voices, has compiled a list of Black-owned bookshops across the US. The club also highlights two books a month by writers of color -- this February's selections are Salvation by bell hooks and The Nation On No Map by William C. Anderson.

For More go to:

https://www.msn.com/en-us/news/technology/9-ways-to-celebrate-black-history-month-in-2022/ar-AATqRYM? ocid=entnewsntp

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# Alumni Spotlight



### Congratulations to Prema R. Rao, Ph.D.

Dr. Rao has a Bachelor's in Chemistry/Zoology and a Master's in Biochemistry, both from Rutgers University. She has over ten years' experience as a Research Scientist in the biomedical device industry with numerous publications and patents to her credit. Prema's second career started after receiving a Ph.D. from Saybrook University in Psychology with a focus in Health Studies, a precursor program to Mind-Body Medicine. Prema's dissertation dealt with the treatment of anxiety disorders from allopathic and Ayurvedic perspectives.

Post graduation, Prema was able to meld her past research skills with the newly acquired knowledge of Ayurveda while working at Bioved Pharmaceuticals, which develops and markets natural, plant-based, scientifically validated nutraceuticals. Around the same time, Dr. Rao was inspired to found Akhila Health in 2014, based on fundamental principles learned over the years through education and experience. Akhila Health is a nonprofit organization whose vision is to bring greater awareness of a holistic approach to health and wellbeing to underserved women. The transformative program empowers women to take ownership of their lives for longlasting change.

In addition to education at Saybrook and Vedika Global, Prema's leadership roles at various organizations have been instrumental in mobilizing Akhila Health. Over the years, Prema volunteered her time in shelters where she became acutely aware of the plight of the homeless. The underserved population has additional burdens to bear without necessarily having the education and resources to manage stress. Stress impacts in multiple ways but it can also be managed by holistically addressing body, mind, emotions, intellect and spirit; this is Akhila Health's mission. Prema is grateful to work with Akhila Health's talented individuals who have a zeal to pay it forward and do good in the community. She extends a warm welcome to the Saybrook community to join her in this offering.

> For more information on Akhila Health, please visit, <u>www.akhilahealth.org</u> To join our team, please send an email to <u>akhilahealth@gmail.com</u>

### How to be an Accomplice for Love

#### By Lilith Owyoung, M.A.

Beloved Teacher Thich Nhat Hanh (Thay), revered as the Father of the Mindfulness, embarked on his next journey on January 22, 2022. Bell Hooks, an incredible author-activist, took her journey on December 15, 2021. Both teachers, in my heart of hearts, were considered "Auntie" and "Gung Gung" (Cantonese, "grandfather"). When my Dad passed away in 2020, I had turned to Plum Village the following year for healing. No Mud, No Lotus by Thich Nhat Hanh guided me through my heartache, anger, and grief as part of a week-long retreat. While I have not met either of them in person, their wisdom has carried me over the decades. I respected Dr. Hooks and Thay as my elders and deeply valued their teachings. Since the day I learned that Dr. Hooks walked on, I have felt like a tiny lost child soul, searching once more for love and justice given the current temperature of American society. To liberate oneself is to find self-love and safety within and yet take courage to seek liberation for all humankind.

**Bell Hooks** 

Lilith Owyoung, M.A

**Thich Nhat Hanh** 

How do we move in love to bring forth a just and sustainable society? How do we find focus in non-violence with the atrocities surrounding us? Thich Nhat Hanh reached out to Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. in 1965 to discuss the Vietnam War. He regarded Dr. King as a Bodhisattva, an enlightened being who strived to better the world for all people.

"In May 1967, one year later, I met Martin Luther King Jr. again in Geneva at a conference called Pacem in Terris—"Peace on Earth"— organized by the World Council of Churches. Dr. King was staying on the eleventh floor; I was on the fourth floor. He invited me up for breakfast. On my way, I was detained by the press, so I arrived late. He had kept the breakfast warm for me and had waited for me. I greeted him, "Dr. King, Dr. King!" "Dr. Hanh, Dr. Hanh!" he replied."

- Excerpted from "At Home in the World: Stories from a Monk's Life," Thich Nhat Hanh (2016) pp.72-73. Retrieved from Plum Village.

Thich Nhat Hanh and Dr. Martin Luther King Jr.'s greeting is a testament to Dr. King's love language. He kept Thay's breakfast warm while he waited for him to make his way through the press. It is truly the little things that matter in life, and it is how we show up for each other and treat each other. We live in a very individualistic society - this American culture, this American Dream - this country founded upon Indigenous genocide and enslaved humans. As a society, what we are missing is a genuinely loving community. We like to talk about being in a community. However, are we truly walking and breathing in the essence of our beloved community?

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The Black Panthers taught us mutual aid by feeding and protecting the community. Black women of the South fed Civil Rights activists from their kitchens, through their windows, and from their hearts. Feeding people is loving people. Sharing strengthens community in human connectedness that surpasses any dream of colonial Americanized capitalistic "success ." Dr. King emulates his call for us to rise together in our beloved community by keeping Thay, beloved brother, and teacher's breakfast warm. These simple examples teach us about the simplicity of love. Love is only as complicated as we make it. Love in action vibrates further than the mere existence of the word itself. That action can be as simple as offering food to another human.

Dr. Bell Hooks met with Thay in 2017. They discussed love and walking in love. Dr. Hooks asked Thay, "how do we build a community of love?" Dr. Hook's shared how when she was in college, Dr. King's message of building community in love faced opposition from militant perspectives. When people are angry or fearful, they act out of that emotion. Violence is imminent. I deeply understand the roots of violence as a marginalized human being who has been racially attacked verbally, physically, and vicariously. My reaction to injustice towards my being and those marginalized like me brings out an angry "Momma Bear ." My anger comes from a place of helplessness and protectiveness of being unable to stop this overwhelming oppression I watch in every facet of American society. I understand the militant perspective as a front-line activist. You have to harden a piece of your heart when participating in non-violent direct action (NVDA) activism to face police riots, national guard, and/or fascists when protecting your intuitive, loving spirit and taking a stand for the collective voices of liberation. Many of us simply can not function with hardened hearts. It causes a psychological and traumatic split in one's being when ultimately our actions are rooted in a place of intrinsic love of community and freedom for all humans.

Those who seek non-violence as a source of social change must continue to take courage in loving action. In the years as an activist, educator, and mother, I have learned many different facets of love. The biggest lesson has been being an accomplice for love - and it is simple. Being an accomplice for love is how we show up for each other, walking mindfully and peacefully and keeping a loved one's breakfast warm.

*Lilith Owyoung, M.A. - Currently M.A. in Human Development with specializations in Leadership in Education/Human Services; sub-specializations in College Teaching/Teaching Adults. Focus in Early Childhood Education and Social Justice.* 

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# News You Can Use

### Robotic Dogs and Laughter Therapy: Combating Loneliness and Isolation While Social Distancing

Robotic dogs, laughter therapy and mindfulness are some of the ways that might help people -- particularly the elderly -- cope with loneliness and social isolation while social distancing, say researchers.

https://www.sciencedaily.com/releases/2021/02/210217151110.htm

#### First Meta-analysis Shows Promise for Yoga, Meditation, Mindfulness in Noncussion

Chronic concussion symptoms are notoriously difficult to treat. But a researcher who is also a yoga instructor and has been teaching yoga for 17 years - is hoping that a recent study, the first-ever meta-analysis looking at the use of yoga, meditation, and mindfulness-based interventions for the effective treatment of chronic concussion symptoms, will offer hope to those still struggling with their symptoms.

https://www.sciencedaily.com/releases/2020/11/201130131439.htm

#### 9 Marketing Trends You Need to Jump on in 2022

Social media is constantly evolving, and keeping up with the trends is difficult. People who deliberately made marketing plans for 2021 had to accommodate many shifts to make through. A plan must focus on long-term goals and be subdivided into short-term welfare.

https://www.entrepreneur.com/article/411180

#### What You Need To Know About How the Metaverse Will Affect Business

Most major technological trends develop behind the scenes for a long time. Then, at some point, a larger-than-life personality pushes things into more of a mainstream focus. Steve Jobs did it with iPads. Elon Musk is doing it with EVs. That's why, when Mark Zuckerberg announced Facebook's rebrand to Meta, the world sat up and paid attention.

https://www.entrepreneur.com/article/415480

#### 4 Better Ways to Think About Wellness At Work Without Mentally Healthy People, Your Business Will Not Thrive.

The terms "mental health" and "mental well-being" are often used interchangeably, but they are different concepts that should be addressed using different approaches. It has become critical for employers to offer more holistic employee benefits that recognize the distinction, particularly as we continue to navigate the COVID-19 pandemic.

. https://www.fastcompany.com/90717496/this-is-most-powerful-way-to-think-about-mental-health-at-work



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