

Dear Maxwell Community,

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Maxwell DEIA Spotlight: Barnes Center at the Arch

[The Barnes Center at the Arch](#) is a leading-edge facility that opened in 2019. The Center's focus is on holistic health, or multidimensional aspects of wellness including physical, mental, emotional, social, and spiritual health. The Barnes Center is home to a full-suite athletic and weight training facilities, full-service pharmacy, counseling services, climbing walls, meditation rooms, pool, esports room, and more! Visit [the Barnes Center Wellness Portal](#) for more information and to register for health and wellness activities.

[Take a virtual tour](#)

Faculty and Staff Training Opportunities

Supporting student mental health is a campus community responsibility. The Syracuse University [Kognito partnership](#) implements strategies to improve holistic well-being of students through increased education within the lenses of mental health, suicide prevention, substance use and empathic communication.

For more in person training opportunities please complete the [Faculty/Staff Training Request Form](#).

Other important Links

[Barnes Center Patient Portal](#)

[Students Thriving Program](#)

'Cuse Conversations (Podcast)

Hosted by Syracuse University's Internal Communications team, the 'Cuse Conversations podcast allows listeners to hear directly

from Syracuse University's talented current students, decorated faculty members, dedicated staff members and accomplished alumni.

[Addressing Mental Wellness and Social Anxiety with Counseling Director Carrie Brown \(Podcast\)](#)

The Tanner Lecture Series on Ethics, Citizenship and Public Responsibility

The New Jim Crow and Beyond: Friday, October 27, 4pm EDT
– Maxwell Auditorium

Michelle Alexander, civil rights attorney, advocate, legal scholar, and author of The New York Times best-seller, *The New Jim Crow: Mass Incarceration in the Age of Colorblindness*.

In this moderated dialogue, Alexander will discuss breaking the silence about racial injustice in the American legal system. In her book, *The New Jim Crow*, she explores the racial biases that still exist and how segregation has been replaced by mass incarceration. Currently, there are more African Americans in prison than were enslaved in 1850. She blames the drug war for much of this, as people are then labeled as felons and stuck in an endless cycle of discrimination. How can they improve their lives when they can't get a job, housing or health benefits? In this moderated Q&A, drawing on her new work, the acclaimed civil rights lawyer explores the myths surrounding our criminal justice system from a racial and ethical standpoint, and offers ideas for improving the system.

- ❖ Reception and Book Sale following the lecture (Credit cards only)
- ❖ A live stream link will be available from our website on the day of the event at [Campbell Public Affairs Institute](#).
- ❖ Parking is provided for a small fee in the Irving Garage. Registration Required

For additional accommodations and information, contact jjnocevs@syr.edu or 315.443.5850.

For more information, and to register for this event check out [The Taner Lecture Series on Ethics, Citizenship and Public Responsibility Event Page](#)

Ray Smith Symposium: Indigenous Resilience, Climate Change, and the Environmental Humanities

Rethinking the means and ends of climate policy and solutions through the Indigenous lens: November 12 & 13

We invite you to hear from internationally renowned Indigenous knowledge keepers as they examine environmental problem-solving and natural resources management from an Indigenous perspective. Speakers will discuss a range of topics, including conservation and biodiversity preservation, fire management, arctic climate change, and water rights in the American West. The two-day symposium will feature lectures, a panel discussion, catered luncheon, student poster presentation, and dinner reception featuring Haudenosaunee performance art.

The list of the invited scholars is as follows:

[Dr. Rosemary Ahtuanguaruak](#) (Iñupiaq environmentalist/educator, Alaska)

[Mr. Brandon Lazore](#) (Onondaga artist, Snipe Clan, New York)

[Mr. Edward Hummingbird](#) (Cherokee Nation artist/art historian/gallery owner, Oklahoma)

[Ms. Linda Infante Lyons](#) (Sugpiaq/Alutiiq artist, Alaska)

[Ms. Ali Medak-Knight](#) (Mechoopda Indian Tribe of Chico Rancheria, California)

[Dr. Christopher Roos](#) (Professor, Southern Methodist University, Texas)

For more information and to RSVP please visit: [Ray Smith Symposium Event Page](#)

Community Folk Art Center

Legacy Speaker Jasmine P White, '15: November 9, 2023 at 6:00pm

Community Folk Art Center at Syracuse University will present the inaugural Legacy Speaker, Jasmine P. White, '15 of S.I. Newhouse School of Public Communications. Jasmine P. White is a groundbreaking screenwriter and producer on a mission to create transformative tales that heal and empower.

Following her 2015 graduation from Syracuse University, Jasmine refined her craft as a Junior Executive on the Lifetime Original movies team. She contributed to notable projects such as *Surviving R. Kelly*, *Married at First Sight*, *The Clark Sisters*, and more. Her time at Lifetime fueled her passion for storytelling and amplifying diverse voices.

While at Lifetime, Jasmine successfully crowdfunded and produced her groundbreaking digital series, *Hotline*. With the support of over 300 backers, the series found homes on platforms like Amazon Prime, RevoltTV, and OTV. *Hotline* garnered acclaim for its inclusive representation of transgender and queer talent, delivering a groundbreaking new series.

Jasmine's trajectory only continues to ascend, highlighted by her recognition as the 2022 recipient of the esteemed CRNY grant, a remarkable \$1.85M investment that bolsters her commitment to creating original content. Evolving into a dedicated full-time writer and producer, Jasmine's journey is characterized by unwavering dedication and boundless creativity.

For more information, and to register for this event check out [CFAC Legacy Speaker: Jasmine White, '15](#)

*Other upcoming Events: [Snaps & Taps Open Mic, Hosted by Randum](#): November 15, 6:30-9pm EST, Community Folk Art Center, Black Box Theater