The Center for Cultural Pluralism invites UVM faculty and staff to a training with visiting scholar:

Dr. Karen Suyemoto, Ph.D.

Engaging Students and Reducing Resistance in the Diversity Classroom: Transforming Pedagogies.

Monday, May 22, 2017
Location: The Larner Classroom at the Robert Larner, M.D. College of Medicine

Two Sessions to choose from:

Session 1: Time: 9 am - 12 pm
or
Session 2: Time: 1:30 pm - 4:30 pm

Teaching students in courses about race, culture, and other systems of power and privilege is challenging for many reasons, but one of the most difficult is encountering students’ resistance. This workshop aims to explore manifestations of resistance and the ideological and emotional reasons behind these responses. Using the framework of developing as an ally as a foundation, the majority of the workshop will focus upon discussing and sharing strategies for addressing resistance and engaging students.

Karen L. Suyemoto, PhD is a Professor of Clinical Psychology and Asian American Studies and the Director of the Transnational Cultural and Community Studies Program at the University of Massachusetts Boston. Her research focuses on fostering awareness and advocacy for resisting racism through understanding the effects of race and racism and examining how cultural responsiveness and racial social justice can be developed through and integrated into education, training, research, and therapy practice.

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