

The Faculty Professional Development Program, the Center for Teaching and Learning, and the Center for Cultural Pluralism invites UVM faculty and staff to a workshop with Visiting Scholar

Dr. Karen Suyemoto, PhD



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.

Teaching Diversity Relationally: Engaging Emotions and Embracing Possibilities

Friday, April 20, 2018

Location:

The Larner Classroom—Med Ed 100
Larner College of Medicine

Two Available Sessions:

Session One: 9:00 AM - Noon

or

Session Two: 1:30 - 4:30 PM

Teaching diversity courses are often challenging as students experience strong emotions that are then played out relationally among students in the classrooms, and relationally between students and faculty. This workshop focuses on understanding students' emotional responses and resistance, and effectively engaging the relational dynamics and difficult dialogues that emerge in these courses.

We will consider how students' and professors' positionality affects engagement and interactions, and share strategies through the exploration of case examples from UVM faculty.

REGISTRATION REQUIRED - SPACE IS LIMITED

For current UVM faculty and staff only

To register, email Jennifer.Diaz@uvm.edu with preferred workshop session



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