ACTIVISM IN THE ARTS

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| 00:04:59 | Culture's Compass | Hello Welcome to Activism in the Arts. Just a reminder to please keep all comments and questions appropriate to the session topic and refrain from using inappropriate language. Be sure to post any questions in the â€œAsk a Questionâ€ section at the bottom of the screen! |
| 00:04:19 | Culture's Compass | Also, don't forget to use the hashtag #CulturesCompass2020 on your socials! |
| 00:01:24 | Kristen Turner | Hi again everyone! Very excited for this session |
| 00:01:40 | Hana Glaser | Supper excited for this panel! |
| 00:02:49 | Abir | Me too :slightly\_smiling\_face: |
| 00:02:54 | Kyla Ross | This is so exciting to have you all here! cannot wait to learn from you all! |
| 00:03:44 | Kristen Turner | (Just a note for people who may have been pulled from the previous session like myself - it's live now, if you don't see it, refresh your page!) |
| 00:03:52 | Kaisha Ayienga | Hi everyone! I am so happy this is happening. |
| 00:08:39 | Kyla Ross | I am moved and motivated by the wealth of experience we are being gifted with in this multi-generational panel. |
| 00:09:30 | Kyla Ross | SAME |
| 00:14:01 | Jennifer Dick | Yes! Thank you for this conversation. |
| 00:14:28 | Kristen Turner | Well said Malindi :clap: |
| 00:18:57 | Hana Glaser | Amazing article Syrus! |
| 00:19:07 | Jennifer Dick | Yes, and in the archive |
| 00:19:09 | Jennifer Gordon | https://canadianart.ca/features/give-us-permanence-ending-anti-black-racism-in-canadas-art-institutions/ |
| 00:19:25 | Emma Burke-Kleinman | Thanks for the link, Jennifer! |
| 00:19:33 | Maria Morgunova | thanks for the link! |
| 00:19:52 | Jenneen Beattie | A small explain of giving over the organization to Black emerging artist is Whippersnapper Gallery. They give the Black Artists Union a 2 year residence to program the space. https://whippersnapper.ca/exhibitons/black-artist-union-takeover |
| 00:20:12 | Jenneen Beattie | example\* |
| 00:21:46 | Vicki Hargreaves | 'We cannot get weary' The best |
| 00:22:32 | Jennifer Gordon | https://canadianart.ca/features/a-crisis-of-whiteness/ |
| 00:22:54 | Tuhin | As was said yesterday "I'm tired of all the BULLSHIT" |
| 00:22:54 | Vicki Hargreaves | The armada!! |
| 00:22:59 | Tracey Prehay | Thank you for sharing Jennifer |
| 00:23:18 | Jennifer Gordon | Hi Tracey! Great to se you here! |
| 00:23:32 | Kristen Turner | Welcome back Sage! |
| 00:23:45 | Kyla Ross | Yay welcome back Sage! |
| 00:23:56 | Jennifer Gordon | Welcome back Sage! |
| 00:24:10 | Taisa Petruk | My sincere apologies for the late join! |
| 00:25:41 | Taisa Petruk | If they are hiring you ... bring it up ... |
| 00:26:58 | Liz Pead | Good for you Charles, time for more people to do the emotional labour themselves. |
| 00:27:11 | Vicki Hargreaves | Willful ignorance |
| 00:28:24 | Kristen Turner | Vicious cycle... |
| 00:29:47 | Jennifer Gordon | And the power of narrative. What stories are told, how, and to whom |
| 00:35:07 | Taisa Petruk | Contract work , in this specific time, is even worse. understanding contracts/agreements is not easy but I really encourage it. |
| 00:35:52 | Kristen Turner | Yes Malindi... getting people in these spaces is only the start. Moot point if there aren't efforts to support them to stay. |
| 00:37:21 | Colleen Smith | Agreed. Sustained presence and inclusion is necessary. |
| 00:38:47 | Liz Pead | BUSY?!!! |
| 00:38:52 | Abir | the curriculum is a very important point |
| 00:39:02 | Shanlee | Great conversation! |
| 00:39:29 | Grace Francisci | Hi Sage! |
| 00:41:09 | Belinda Cunha | So proud to have had a black teacher in Gr 3, Gr 8 and beyond. You are right! This made a big difference in my life and everyone should have the same experience regardless of your race. I'm white and he was by far my favourite teacher. Also brought in black guest speakers. |
| 00:41:14 | Kristen Turner | Thank you charles. Lots to think about here. |
| 00:43:05 | Elka Weinstein | Afua Cooper is amazing! |
| 00:43:11 | Tracey Prehay | Dr Afra Cooper |
| 00:43:15 | Kyla Ross | https://nzingamaxwell.wordpress.com/2013/11/02/dub-poem-i-dont-care-if-your-nanny-was-black-dr-afua-cooper/ |
| 00:43:28 | Mercedes Webb | This is cathartic to hear everything y'all are saying and sharing and giving me strength to do my work in my community feeling more supported just knowing these conversations are happening GÌ±ilakas'la (thank you) |
| 00:43:34 | Chris Coxson | My experience with tons of creative contract work is that smaller, independent community groups more receptive to change & engagement & sharing. I find contracts with larger organizations/corporations generally resistant and even hostile to listening to others that they are not familiar with. Not open to change. Now is the time for artists to choose to change the dialog and method of working with others. |
| 00:43:48 | Culture's Compass | https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=AEgHvpzw8V4&feature=youtu.be |
| 00:45:42 | Abir | thanks for sharing the link because when I googled it I found Ed Sheeran song :slightly\_smiling\_face: |
| 00:46:18 | Kyla Ross | https://www.fracturedatlas.org/ |
| 00:46:22 | Kyla Ross | thank you Syrus! |
| 00:46:43 | Belinda Cunha | Love that strategy. Puts the onus on the individual or the perpetrator. |
| 00:47:01 | Jennifer Gordon | Yes, the danger of white tears |
| 00:48:13 | Hana Glaser | I've used those tools in an educational setting before they're very interesting |
| 00:49:14 | Abir | How can I found these tools |
| 00:49:49 | Jennifer Gordon | White Fragility by Robin D'Angelo is a good starting place |
| 00:50:17 | Kristen Turner | Open to feedback but I'd highly recommend reading BIPOC authors over a white woman |
| 00:51:44 | Michelle Buchholz | Bryan Brayboy (2005) Tribal Critical Race Theory (TribalCrit) is EXCELLENT - racism in education from an Indigenous perspective |
| 00:52:13 | Tuhin | Thanks Michelle! |
| 00:53:45 | Culture's Compass | Thank you all for sharing these great resources! |
| 00:54:13 | Chris Coxson | Sing "Power To The People" Right on |
| 00:54:25 | Kaisha Ayienga | This has been amazing! |
| 00:55:08 | Karen Tisch | â€œWhy Iâ€™m No Longer Talking to White People About Raceâ€ by Reni Eddo-Lodge |
| 00:56:06 | Polly | The Skin We're In: A Year of Black Resistance and Power by Desmond Cole |
| 00:56:39 | Mykelti | Thank you Syrus |
| 00:56:48 | Tuhin | https://www.iirp.edu/images/pdf/AvNtDE\_EDUC\_701\_-\_Brayboys\_Toward\_a\_Tribal\_Critical\_Race\_Theory\_in\_Education.pdf |
| 00:56:54 | Tracey Prehay | In the Wake: On Blackness And Being by Christina Sharpe |
| 00:56:58 | Kyla Ross | Happy Pride Syrus! thank you |
| 00:56:59 | Kristen Turner | Thank you all for taking the time and energy to have this conversation that you've clearly had your whole lives. A lot to reflect on and move forward with. |
| 00:57:02 | Alannah | :clap: |
| 00:57:03 | Maria Morgunova | thank you |
| 00:57:11 | Emma Burke-Kleinman | :clap: |
| 00:57:22 | Layan A. | :clap: :clap: :clap: |
| 00:57:30 | Chris Coxson | Desmond write powerful, thoughtful stuff. Read James Baldwin also. |
| 00:57:31 | Mykelti | together we are stronger |
| 00:57:58 | Kyla Ross | Thank you Sage, one struggle does not invalidate the other |
| 00:58:34 | Alannah | :point\_up\_2: this |
| 00:58:38 | Kyla Ross | YES! |
| 00:58:49 | Kyla Ross | You are powerful |
| 00:58:54 | Mykelti | :raised\_hands: |
| 00:59:04 | Hana Glaser | "Until we are free: reflections on black lives matter in Canada by Rodney Diverlus, Syrus Marcus Ware and Sandra Hudson is also a great read! |
| 00:59:04 | Polly | Please!! Action takes precedence |
| 00:59:19 | Kyla Ross | ITMF! yesss |
| 00:59:24 | Chris Coxson | Yoko Ono once said each person has power, and you can affect 10 others, who affect 10 others, etc |
| 00:59:32 | Belinda Cunha | YAY! Humber's Indigenous Transmedia Fellowship! |
| 00:59:44 | Kyla Ross | his struggle is real too! |
| 00:59:47 | Polly | Ues hana!!! |
| 00:59:52 | Kristen Turner | Absolutely Sage |
| 00:59:57 | Kyla Ross | The babies feel the stress |
| 01:00:04 | Hana Glaser | Thank you all sooo much for your energy and commitment to this work! |
| 01:00:05 | Vicki Hargreaves | Zoom forcing us to acknowledge our contexts, family, etc. Who knew? |
| 01:00:15 | Amy Calder | I couldn't agree more, we all need to support each other to cause any true change. From the eldest to the youngest. Mentally, spiritually, socially and politically. |
| 01:00:16 | Amber Melhado | Wow, what a powerful panel to listen to and learn from. Thank you all for your time, your energy and your insight. |
| 01:00:17 | Chris Coxson | Your brother is fortunate to be surrounded by people who care |
| 01:00:26 | Abir | I know Sage ... I have 2 daughters and I live this |
| 01:00:40 | Catherine Shepertycki | Migwech - thank you |
| 01:00:41 | Culture's Compass | Thank you very much charles, Syrus, Sage, and Malindi for this very important and needed talk. We're honoured to have such great generational wisdom with us on this panel! - We'll be back after a short break with a musical performance from Baoba! |
| 01:00:43 | Kyla Ross | Thanks all!!!! |
| 01:00:44 | Kaisha Ayienga | thank you! |
| 01:00:46 | Elizabeth Emond-Stevenson | Thank you very much |
| 01:00:50 | Kyla Ross | :kissing\_heart: |
| 01:00:51 | Vicki Hargreaves | Thank-you! |
| 01:00:56 | Polly | Thabk you so much!!! |
| 01:00:56 | Juliana | :clap: |
| 01:01:00 | Abir | Thank you so much |
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| 01:01:10 | Jennifer Dick | Thank you so much |
| 01:01:17 | Alannah | Miigwech! |
| 01:01:27 | Colleen Smith | Thank you everyone! |
| 01:01:41 | Pam Briz | Great panel! Amazing job moderating Malindi! |
| 01:01:50 | Angela Songui | Great panel! |