

STUDY CIRCLES AURORA

CITY-WIDE INAUGURAL KICK-OFF EVENT ONLINE

Thursday, October 1, 2020 | 7:00 pm TO 8:00 pm

DISCOVER WHAT ALL THE TALK IS ABOUT!

JOIN US FOR A CITY-WIDE KICK-OFF
OF OUR DIALOGUE GROUPS

The issue our dialogue groups will be talking about—

“FACING RACISM IN A DIVERSE NATION”

Be A Participant in the Dialogue

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“Courageous Vulnerability: The Heart of Dialogue.”

About Torian Richardson

Our guest speaker for the Study Circles Aurora inaugural Kick-Off is Torian Richardson a resident of Aurora, IL, who received his Bachelor of Business Administration in Finance from Benedictine University, his Master of Public Administration in International Development from Tsinghua University, Tsinghua China and he has completed several graduate programs from Harvard Business School.

Mr. Richardson is a trained facilitator who is inspired by those who include others out of compassion and integrity. Torian has extensive experience in analytics, culture and people development, strategy, and stewardship and he has worked with several international organizations in leadership roles throughout Nigeria and China.

JOIN US TO FIND OUT THE ANSWER TO THE QUESTION

WHAT IS A STUDY CIRCLE?

Modeled after the internationally recognized Study Circles approach, these roundtable discussion groups, with participants from all over our community, will be discussing racism and addressing other critical public issues in a democratic, collaborative way.

Participants will begin the first round of discussion groups by examining the issue of racism, from many points of view, and they will be using materials created by the nationally recognized not-for-profit — Every-Day Democracy.

Through the Dialogue to Change model, those who join the our groups, will emerge with the ability to identify areas of common ground and be encouraged to develop viable recommendations for actions in our community.



The Aurora Public Library District is sponsoring and hosting this online Kick-off Event and the online Dialogue Groups for Study Circles Aurora via the Zoom platform.

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In the Online Zoom City-Wide Kick-Off Event.**

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