



CELEBRATING BLACK VOICES

'Reclaiming Narratives'

17.10.24 10:00 - 11:30

Please join us to celebrate Black voices and celebrate Black History Month. The theme this year is “Reclaiming Narratives”, marking a major step in correcting and honouring the narratives of Black history and culture. By centering on "Reclaiming Narratives," we aim to shed more light on black stories, allegories, and historical truths. We will hear from colleagues within our partnership about their experiences.

10:00	Welcome and open Wilson Muleya - Head of Department of Social Work and Social Care at Kingston Univ.
10:05	“Reclaiming Narratives: Your Reputation, Your Legacy – Celebrating Black History with Power and Pride” What does your reputation mean to you? This question in an in-house management training, more than 15 years ago, was the beginning of a personal journey! Ngozi Onwuanibe - Workforce Development Consultant at Croydon Children’s
10:20	“Reclamation” A series of poems from a global stance of reclaiming elements of culture to more personal forms of reclaiming time and parenting style. Tiffany Green - Practice Development Lead at Merton Children’s
10:30	“It starts with a single story-changing the narrative” By embracing untold stories and diverse perspectives, we challenge historical omissions and reshape the future with a fuller, richer understanding of black history. Shungu Chigocha - Associate Director of QA and Practice Improvement at AfC
10:45	“Reimagining the narrative of being black and care-experienced” What happens when you reclaim and reimagine your own story with compassion and creativity? What if we moved out of our own way to transform? Paris Bartholomew - CPD Trainer. Lecturer & Speaker with care lived experience
11:10	Reflections from the group and invitation for contributions Feel free to share any insights, reflections, stories, or historical retrospectives that resonate with the ethos of “Reclaiming Narratives”
11:25	Thanks and close Wilson Muleya - Head of Department of Social Work and Social Care at Kingston Univ.



How you participate in this event is your choice - just come and listen or actively participate by sharing your thoughts and experiences, or those of someone who you admire.

There is no need to book, just [click here](#) to join the Zoom meeting directly.