



ENGAGE!

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ENGAGE! 2019: HAMPSHIRE COLLEGE ON THE MEND

The third annual Engage! Community Day of Education is a day-long learning opportunity for all Hampshire community members to acknowledge the difficulty and challenges of Spring 2019 while attending to the shifts happening on campus now. This year our focus is on rebuilding bridges, reconnecting with one another, and gaining skills to communicate across our differences. Our perspectives, backgrounds, experiences, positionality, privileges, and power differentials simply cannot be ignored as we move forward, particularly in times of great urgency.

8:30 A.M.-5:30 P.M. | THURSDAY, OCTOBER 24, 2019

It's crucial that our many voices are represented, heard, and engaged. Classes are canceled on Thursday, October 24, and we encourage departments to work with staff so that everyone can participate.

8:30 – Noon | **Onsite Registration Check-in @ FPH Lobby**

9 A.M. | **Opening with Community Elders @ FPH Courtyard**

9:30 A.M. – 1:30 P.M. | **Workshop Sessions @ FPH**

10 A.M. – 1:30 P.M. | **Mend and Repair Self-Care Chill Space @ Kern Center Gallery**

Contribute to the beginnings of a collaborative fiber arts project exploring the connections between the stories and systems that shape who we are and what we value as individuals and communities. Sponsored by Culture, Brain and Development.

2 – 5 P.M. | **Featured Event @ FPH, Main Lecture Hall**

“NEX(US): Hampshire Voices” a ‘Reality-Theater Production’ created from interviews and story circles with Hampshire College community/ies by nationally acclaimed theater artist and activist **Marty Pottenger**, who puts art to work on real-life issues. **NEX(US)** brings together Hampshire College students, staff, administrators, faculty, alumni, and Board of Trustees to share stories, listen to one another, make space for differences and find common ground. This week-long residency includes story circles, interviews, and workshops culminating in the **NEX(US)** workshop/performance featured event.

5 P.M. | **Community Reception @ FPH Lobby**

Register and find out more at <http://hamp.it/ENGAGE>

Folks who register by October 22 will be entered into a swag bag raffle!

“It is not difference which immobilizes us, but silence. Without community there is no liberation...but community must not mean a shedding of our differences...”

AUDRE LORDE