

We're looking forward to gathering tonight for further discussion on *Me & White Supremacy* by Layla F. Saad. **The Zoom link is below the reminders.**

A few reminders:

We want you to join us however you can, but if possible, please turn your camera on. These are difficult discussions; visual cues and facial expressions are helpful, even over Zoom. Similarly, it is easier for you to see the other attendees when you use a computer rather than a mobile device.

The [Circle Way](#) agreements are a starting point for our time together.

- We hold all stories or personal material in confidentiality.
- We listen to each other with compassion and curiosity.
- We ask for what we need and offer what we can.
- We agree to employ a group guardian to watch our need, timing, and energy.
- We agree to pause at a signal when we feel the need.
- Our addendum: we will treat this as a living document, which the group can revise as they choose.
- THREE PRACTICES
  - Speak with intention: noting what has relevance to the conversation in the moment
  - Listen with attention: respectful of the learning process for all members of the group
  - Tend to the well-being of the circle: remaining aware of the impact of our contributions
- THREE PRINCIPLES
  - Leadership rotates among all circle members
  - Responsibility is shared for the quality of experience
  - Reliance is on wholeness, rather than on any personal agenda

Based on feedback from advisors, we are going to focus primarily on week 1's topics, what the author refers to as "the sticky web of white supremacy":

- You and White Privilege
- You and White Fragility
- You and Tone Policing
- You and White Silence
- You and White Superiority
- You and White Exceptionalism

---

Community Engagement Librarian Sam invites you to a scheduled Zoom meeting.

Topic: *Me & White Supremacy* by Layla F. Saad

Time: Aug 18, 7 PM Central Time

**If possible, log on a few minutes before the hour.**

**Join the Zoom session in one of three ways:**

- 1) Online: <https://balibrary-org.zoom.us/j/92470028778?pwd=WIFsZ3lXdUJlcnU4MUtIWnIrLzlsdz09>  
Meeting ID: 924 7002 8778; Password: 271864

2) One tap mobile: +13126266799,,92470028778#,,,,,0#,,271864# US (Chicago)

3) Dial by your location: +1 312 626 6799; Meeting ID: 924 7002 8778; Password: 271864

If you are dialing in from outside the area, find your local dial-in number here: <https://balibrary-org.zoom.us/j/92470028778>

---

#### General info about Zoom:

- Controls only appear when you move your mouse (or touch the screen) within the Zoom window.
- We suggest the Gallery view rather than the Speaker view for this program. In the upper right corner, toggle between seeing only the person who is speaking or a gallery of attendees.
  - Whichever view you are currently using, the button shows the option to switch to the other. For example, when you're in "speaker view" the button at the top of the screen will say "gallery view," because it is offering you the option to switch to that. This can be confusing.
- If your environment has background noise, please mute your microphone when you are not speaking.