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John Hope Franklin
2019 Reconciliation in America
National Symposium
Presents

YOUTH CHANGE MAKERS

May 29th - May 31st

INTERACTIVE YOUTH-FOCUSED WORKSHOPS | YOUTH ENGAGEMENT RALLY
SPOKEN WORD PERFORMANCES | LOCAL BANDS | ART DISPLAYS
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Keynote Speaker
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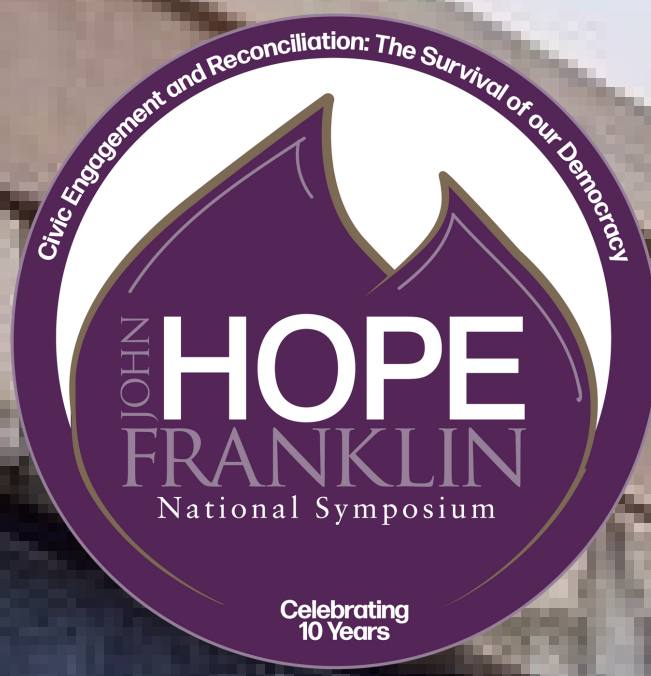
Sensational 11 -Year - Old Philanthropist
Social Entrepreneur
Creator of Project I Am
Providing "Blessing Bags" to the Nation's Homeless

Spoken Word Artist
Educator



MC & Presenter
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Youth Change Makers Sessions at-a-Glance

Wednesday, May 29th

6:00 – 8:30 pm

Symposium Opening Session with **Kenneth B. Morris**, great-great-great grandson of Frederick Douglass and the great-great-grandson of Booker T. Washington shares his story of civic engagement through the rich legacy of his family. **[Greenwood Cultural Center]**

Thursday, May 30th

8:00 am 2A-Youth as Catalysts for Community Impact (Lerner) **[Directors Row 3]**

9:00 am 1B-Where Democracy Lives & Dies at Oklahoma State University (Colley) **[Executive Room]**

10:00 am 1C-Langston Hughes Academy – Save our School Campaign (Adjei) **[Executive Room]**

or

5C-Using Children's Literature to Disrupt the Single Story of the History Textbook (Martin-Young) **[Directors Row 4]**

or

6C- The Police and You: Informed Response (Diamond) **[Directors Row 5]**

11:00 am 1R- **Reconciliation Café:** **[Attendees remain in same rooms as Session 3]**

Reflective time within small groups regarding reconciliation topics for the Symposium

12:00 pm 1L-**Lunch Discussion Panel** **[Promenade B & C]**

A civic engagement discussion on how our democracy responds to power versus powerlessness in a process of “giving voice to the powerless.”

Moderator: Tulsa's Mayor G.T. Bynum

Panel members: Tulsa School Superintendent **Dr. Deborah Gist**, Booker T. Washington Principal **Dr. Melissa Woolderidge**, Executive Director of Tulsa Metropolitan Ministries **Aliye Shimi**, and Civil Rights **Activist Ayanna Najuma**

2:00 pm 1P-**Plenary Session** **[Promenade D]**

Jakhil Naeem Jackson – Eleven-year-old social entrepreneur shares his story of civic engagement through “Blessing Bags” to assist the homeless and needy.

5:30 pm Community Remembrance Walk begins at Reconciliation Park and travels along the historical Greenwood Avenue, and will end at the OSU - Tulsa Auditorium for a Youth Rally to celebrate change makers. After the Rally, we want each person to walk away with “Blessing Bags” to distribute to the homeless (around 8:00 pm).

Friday, May 31st

9:30 am Gilcrease Museum Civic Engagement Exhibit

11:00 am 2R-**Reconciliation Café:** **[Promenade D]**

Reflective time within small groups regarding reconciliation topics for the Symposium

12:00 pm 2L-**Lunch Discussion Panel** **[Promenade B & C]**

Moises Echevierra, Executive Director and CEO of Oklahoma Center for Community & Justice

2:00 pm 2S-**Hope Medallion Ceremony** **[Promenade D]**

The culminating event for the Symposium will include sharing in a Hope Commitment Ceremony in which a 10-year Hope Medallion will be distributed to those in attendance. TCC Student **Gage Banks** and **Senator James Lankford** will be the Hope Commitment Keynote Presenters for this ceremony.