

2018-19 ACE-DV Speakers Initiative Webinar Series

Register now for the next 2 webinars in this year's series from the ***Adult Children Exposed to Domestic Violence (ACE-DV) Leadership Forum***.



Webinar 2, Navigating Challenges in Storytelling with Audiences

Tuesday, December 4, 2018 at 2pm Eastern,
1pm Central, 11am Pacific

Register: <http://ow.ly/Zr8w30mw3PG>

In this 90 minute panel discussion, representatives of the ACE-DV Leadership Forum will strategize together about common audience-generated challenges when sharing our stories in public spaces. Presenters will explore setting boundaries, responding to difficult questions, managing less receptive audiences, considerations for presenting "triggering" material, and prioritizing your wellness.

Speakers include:

- Rebecca Balog, National Indigenous Women's Resource Center and Women of Color Network
- James Henderson, Battered Women's Justice Project
- Ruby White Starr, Latinos United for Peace & Equity of Caminar Latino
- Olga Trujillo, Latinos United for Peace & Equity of Caminar Latino

Webinar 3, Not One Path: Speaking to Our Relationships with Those Who Abuse

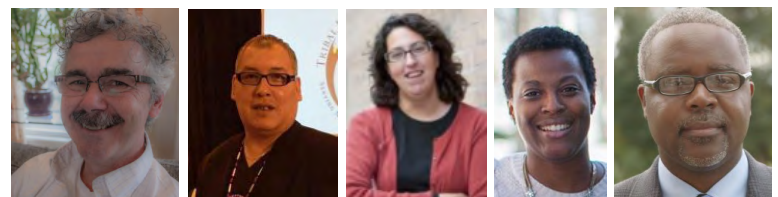
Tuesday, January 15, 2019 at 2pm Eastern, 1pm
Central, 11am Pacific

Register: <http://ow.ly/gzXJ30mw3M5>

This 90 minute panel discussion will explore the challenges and opportunities in naming our complex relationships with those who have caused harm to us and/or our caregivers. Presenters will explore the importance of humanizing those who abuse, speaking to personal accountability, forgiveness, and more. Speakers will discuss the challenges of navigating on-going family dynamics and how to speak truth to this through our stories.

Speakers include:

- David Adams, Emerge
- Lenny Hayes, Tate Topa Consulting, LLC
- Ericka Kimball, Portland State University
- Shenna Morris, Georgia Coalition Against Domestic Violence
- Johnny Rice II, Coppin State University



The [Adult Children Exposed to Domestic Violence \(ACE-DV\) Leadership Forum](#) is a project of the National Resource Center on Domestic Violence, established to amplify the voices and experiences of ACE-DV to enhance our work to end domestic violence. [Through the 2018-19 Speakers Initiative webinar series](#), leaders and partners engage in conversations about what it means to bring voice to this unique experience in impactful, meaningful ways.

More from this series:

Webinar 1: Valuing Your Story

Recording & Materials: <http://ow.ly/MYG130mw3Iu>

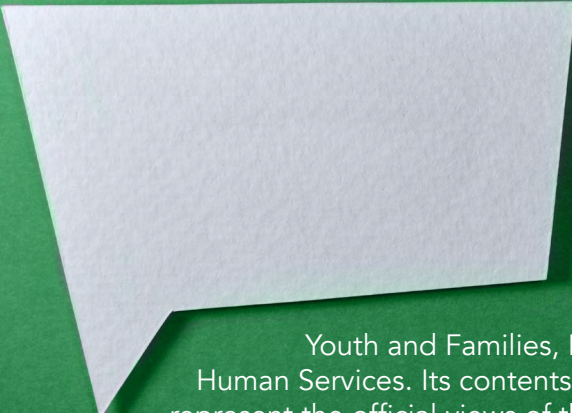
In this 1-hour panel discussion, representatives of the ACE-DV Leadership Forum explored considerations for valuing your worth as a speaker, making the case to our agencies/systems, negotiating contract terms and fees, retaining rights to your story, and the risks and challenges in speaking your truth, especially for those who experience multiple layers of oppression.

Webinar 4: Bringing Your Whole Self to Your Work

Coming in March 2019

This webinar will explore the risks and benefits of incorporating your personal and professional identities, and how to use storytelling as a tool in advancing our work in various settings. Presenters will discuss the multiple dimensions of their experiences, the risks and challenges of naming them, and the power of visibility.

The ACE-DV Speakers Initiative's guide, [From the Front of the Room: Sharing Your Childhood Story of Domestic Violence](#) helps build the capacity of adult survivors of children's exposure to share their stories publicly. This year's Speakers Initiative through webinar series offers opportunities to explore key topics in greater depth.



To receive announcements and registration information for these webinars and other learning opportunities offered through NRCDV, [click to subscribe to the newsletter](#) or [like us on facebook](#).

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