

WSBA is pleased to share news about current happenings within our wider community of diversity stakeholders. Please feel free to send relevant announcements directly to the list serve at any time or to <a href="mailto:diversity@wsba.org">diversity@wsba.org</a> to be added to the calendar. If you have questions or ideas about this list serve or if you want to subscribe or unsubscribe from it, please contact us at <a href="mailto:diversity@wsba.org">diversity@wsba.org</a>.

## **COVID-19 Equity Analysis and Resources**

During this period, we will be sharing articles and resources that highlight equity and justice issues and responses related to Covid-19. See this <u>WSBA webpage</u> for more resources.

## **Disparate Impact and Equity Analysis:**

Three Things Lockdowns Have Exposed About Working and Parenting

BLACK WOMEN HAVE LONG FACED RACISM IN HEALTHCARE. COVID-19 IS ONLY AMPLIFYING IT.

I Never Planned to Be a Front-Line Worker at Dollar General

Coronavirus: 'I can't wash my hands - my water was cut off'

White Supremacy Organizational Culture in the Time of COVID-19

10 Basic Tips on How to talk about China, Chinese people and COVID19

The Coronavirus Pandemic Is Settling Some Old Arguments About Ableism

**Legal Services and Probono Opportunities** 

## **OTHER OPPORTUNITIES**

**Free Bystander Intervention Training**: In response to the rise in Anti-Asian/American and xenophobic harassment, Hollaback! partnered with Asian Americans Advancing Justice | AAJC to adapt our free bystander intervention training to meet this moment. For more information and training dates visit <a href="here">here</a>.

JustLead WA's state-wide Virtual People of Color Caucus in 2020: <u>JustLead</u> is planning to hold virtual meeting spaces for People of Color across the state to connect. If you do not have in-person caucusing opportunities near you or who simply would like to connect with folks across the state, let us know and sign-up <u>here</u>. Please contact Omid Bagheri (omidb@justleadwa.org) with any questions.

## JustLead WA's Bi-Monthly Racial Justice Caucus for White Women (Seattle)

Contact jenniferw@justleadwa.org for information on the next meeting that will take place in Seattle, WA.

Upcoming Events	
May 4	UW Law - Rule of Law in a Pandemic: The impact of stay-at-home orders on
Webinar	homeless populations   12:30pm – 1:45pm PST.
	<u>Join via Zoom</u> . Or Telephone: Dial US: +1 253 215 8782 or +1 602 753
	0140 Webinar ID: 959 1058 4551
May 7	Three-Part Webinar Series - Part II: Leading through Times of Isolation   This
Webinar	session will offer some technical tools, resources, and lessons learned for
	supporting remote teams and virtual work. We will also explore the role of
	leaders in supporting teams through times of crisis and staying grounded in
	our social justice values as well as what we can learn from these times to
	create positive and equitable workplace cultures that last through our current
	crisis and beyond. Register here.
May 11	WIDEN Removal Defense Training Day For Non-Immigration Lawyers
Webinar	WIDEN in collaboration with Washington State minority bar associations,
	presents an in-depth, online training in immigration removal defense law for
	non-immigration lawyers. More information and registration <u>here</u> .
May 14	Washington Race Equity & Justice Initiative Racialized Ableism - Before and
CLE	After COVID-19   This session will discuss the intersectional impacts of
Webinar	COVID-19 on Black, Indigenous, People of Color (BIPOC), disabled, and non-
	wealthy (particularly low income) communities. Participants will leave with a
	greater understanding of the differences and connections between disability
	rights (ADA) and disability justice, medical ableism and medical racism, and
	the role environmental racism and social determinants of health play in the
	disparate impact on these communities. 1.5 Ethics Credit Available. Register
	<u>here.</u>
May 14	KABA - Judicial Panel on COVID-19 Impact   Please join the Korean American
Webinar	Bar Association of Washington and four of our esteemed judges for a virtual
	panel discussion and Q&A on how the courts are handling the challenges
	raised by Covid-19 and how court operations (and litigation in general) are
	changing in the short-, medium-, and long-term as a result of these
	challenges. Register here.
May 19	Indigenous Data Sovereignty: An Emerging Human Right   Developed in
CLE	partnership with the WSBA World Peace Through Law Section, This webinar
Webinar	will cover: Brief background on Indigenous Rights, Introduction to Indigenous

	Data Sovereignty, and future change to law incorporating data sovereignty.  Register here.
May 26 CLE Webinar	Legal Lunchbox™ Series: Best Practices for Serving (Low-Income) Veterans — Perspectives from Different Branches   This month's Legal Lunchbox will help legal professionals who want to work with low-income veterans to better understand the unique challenges facing this client community, effectively address VA benefit denials, and learn from the lived experiences of WSBA members who have served in the armed forces. Register here.
June 10 Video/Teleconference	<b>REJI Partner Meeting  </b> Washington Race Equity and Justice Initiative partner meetings are bi-monthly and open to the public. Add to Calendar for Video/Phone Call-in Information.
June 11 Webinar	Three-Part Webinar Series - Part III: Planning for the Future: Life After COVID-19   This session will be designed based on needs that surface during the first two workshops and the ongoing COVID-19 crisis. In addition to addressing continued urgent needs we will also explore how we can bring the energy, innovation, and commitment to solidarity that has been generated forward to create continued support for communities that are most harmed by oppression and public health crises and to help build a new and more equitable future. Register here.