

1st Feb 2023

*Request form Respectme Team in connection with their Change Maker Series. *This is a good opportunity to get the good work happening in Edinburgh to be included at National level.*

*EIS - Professional learning opportunities on offer

*Facing History and Ourselves- Professional learning opportunities and resources

*Tackling racist incidents training session – *This session might have to be postponed if uptake remains low*

*Edinburgh University Teaching slavery in Scotland Event

*CRER (Coalition for Racial Equality and Rights) report 'Do Black Lives Still Matter In Scotland?' Jan 2023



Please send any case studies, exemplars of good practice, resources you have developed, to me by **Feb 8th**.

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LGBTI+ Discrimination and Bullying - To support each episode in the Change Maker Series, we are creating a digital resource pack for our delegates. Featuring in this, we would like to include relevant signposting links, case studies, exemplars of best practice specific to theme e.g. whole school community and or youth led Diversity, Inclusion and Anti-Bullying initiatives.

1. Please can you send any relevant case studies and exemplars across Edinburgh schools for:
 - LGBTI+ Discrimination and Bullying
 - Any stand out whole school Diversity and Inclusion and LGBTI+ initiatives which recognise, respond to and prevent LGTBI+ related bullying and perhaps address multiple Equalities.

Respectme will review and consider which one(s) are appropriate to include in respectme's digital resource pack.



[Teaching Slavery in Scotland](#) – Edinburgh Workshop - Wednesday 8th Feb 2023 - Arrival from 4.30pm- - Timing 5.00-7.00pm

* The event is aimed at secondary school history teachers (and all interested primary teachers / education staff.)

Do you want to expand your practice in teaching about Atlantic slavery, enslavement, and the traffic in captive Africans (Atlantic slave trade)? This workshop has been developed by a group of interested teachers, anti-racism activists and academics, in collaboration with the Scottish Association of Teachers of History, to help improve the teaching of the histories of slavery, enslavement, empire and race in Scotland.

Refreshments will be served before and after the event.

Sign up - <https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/teaching-slavery-in-scotland-edinburgh-workshop-tickets-519684469237>



FACING HISTORY & OURSELVES
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LGBTQ+ History Month [Assembly](#) - adapt/add (if needed) for your audience/age group

[Discussing Race in the Classroom](#) with KS3 and KS4 Students – Thursday 9th Feb 2023, 4:00 - 5:00 pm

[International Women's Day and Discussing Gender Inequality with Your Students](#) – Tuesday 21st Feb 2023, 4:00 - 5:00 pm

[World Book Day: Creating a Diverse and Inclusive KS3 Literary Curriculum](#) – Thursday 23rd Feb 2023 | 4:00 - 5:00 pm

[Teaching in the Wake of Violence](#) (UK) – Lesson plan resource



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Tackling racist incidents - Thursday 9th Feb 2023, 4.30-6.30pm

Audience – All teaching staff - In person session – Drummond Community HS

Still time to sign up - **Course Code – CF2974** - We are encouraging each school to send one member of staff to complete either this face to face training or the online session (CF2975 - 16th March 4.00-6.00)

EIS - professional Learning opportunities



[Leadership Toward Management for BME Educators](#) - Thursdays 9th and 16th February 2023, 5-8pm.

This two-part course will be delivered online. To get the most out of the course, participation in both sessions is encouraged.

To register for this course, please complete the [online booking form](#).

[Understanding Racial Trauma in Children and Young People](#) – Saturday 11th Feb 2023

Join Neish Training for a one day, online course on understanding racial trauma in children and young people.

Please book your place via the [online booking form](#).

[A Rights Based Approach to Teaching & Learning](#) - Monday 20th February 2023, 4pm-5.30pm

WOSDEC will deliver this very practical online short course on A Rights Based Approach to Teaching & Learning.

Please complete the [online booking form](#) to secure your place.

[Introduction to the Foundations of Inclusive Practice](#) – Thursday 23rd February-2023, 10am to 12pm

Join the University of Strathclyde online for an interactive workshop on Introduction to the Foundations of Inclusive Practice.

Places are limited for this workshop. Book your place via the [online booking form](#).

If you have any questions, please contact Natalie Carroll (ncarroll@eis.org.uk).

[Drawing as a creative pedagogical tool for learning and inclusion](#) – Thursdays 23rd and 9th March 2023, 6.30pm-8pm

Join Strathclyde University online for Drawing as a Creative Pedagogical Tool for Learning and Inclusion.

Please book your place via the [online booking form](#). If you have any queries, please contact Grace at gpaton@eis.org.uk.

For information about a wider range of PL opportunities on offer through EIS - please visit [Scotland-Wide Accessible Learning Opportunities](#)



[‘Do Black Lives Still Matter In Scotland?’](#) Jan 2023

We all have a part to play in keeping anti-racism on the agenda. The changes which happened as a result of Black Lives Matter came about because ordinary people were holding institutions to account and making decision makers take real actions. Anti-racism cannot only be about taking to the streets when something bad happens - we do not need further tragic events to galvanise action.