LLSS 393: Antiracist Education
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This introductory course looks at the role that racism plays in society-at-large, with special emphasis on schools. It will look at the social, historical, and political context of race in the U.S. It will explore how race has been, and is currently, a driving force behind commonplace notions of society and education. The course also will seek to understand the dynamics of antiracist dialogues. One major goal of the course is to help students develop vital knowledge and skills for engaging with one another more authentically. To realize this goal, the course will critically examine contemporary racial ideas like colorblindness and the “post-racial” society. Finally, the course will address how engaged, reflective citizens can effectively and powerfully teach about race and racism.

FALL 2017: Tuesdays and Thursdays 11:00 am-12:15 pm