## 21 Day Racial Equity Challenge

In follow-up to the February series *Black History Matters*, the National Abolition Hall of Fame and Museum (NAHOF) encourages folks to engage in Dr. Ernie Moore's *21 Day Racial Equity Challenge*. The NAHOF website will provide the link to Moore's self-paced program on Monday, April 5, 2021. To access the *Challenge*, visit <a href="www.nationalabolitionhalloffameandmuseum.org">www.nationalabolitionhalloffameandmuseum.org</a> and select the *21 Day Racial Equity Challenge*. The free program provides several modes of accessing information delivered each day. The programs of the first week (of five days) includes *Understanding Systemic Racism*, *The Effects of Racism*, *Understanding Bias*, *Understanding Privilege*, and *Cultural Competence*. A tracking tool is supplied to personalize and chart individual progress.

The 21-Day Racial Equity Challenge was created by Dr. Eddie Moore Jr.(#BlackMind) and codeveloped with Debby Irving, and Dr. Marguerite Penick (#DiverseSolutions). The plan has been adopted by organizations, associations, and corporations in the nation and world. Dr. Moore is the Director of The Privilege Institute in Green Bay WI. He created the Challenge to not only help people better understand issues surrounding equity, inclusion, privilege, leadership and supremacy, but also to do so in a way that would build a habit of learning by stretching it over 21 days. NAHOF is pleased to be offering this 21-Day Challenge in partnership with Dr. Moore. As participants engage in the various activities over the next 21 days, they are encouraged to be sure to tag, comment, and follow 21-Day Racial Equity Habit Building Challenge | Facebook.

Eddie Moore, Jr. received his Ph.D. from the University of Iowa in Educational Policy and Leadership Studies with research on Black Football Players at Division III Schools in the Midwest. For ten years Dr. Moore served as Director of Diversity at Brooklyn Friends School in Brooklyn NY and The Bush School in Seattle, Washington. In 1996, he started America & MOORE, LLC to provide comprehensive diversity, privilege, and leadership trainings, and workshops. Dr. Moore is co-editor of the publications *Everyday White People Confront Racial and Social Injustice: 15 Stories* and *The White Women's Guide to Teaching Black Males*.

The National Abolition Hall of Fame and (NAHOF) is chartered by the Board of Regents, New York State Education Department. NAHOF honors antislavery abolitionists, their work to end slavery, and the legacy of that struggle, and strives to complete the second, and ongoing abolition – the moral conviction to end racism. NAHOF is located in historic Peterboro NY in the two-hundred-year-old building in which abolitionists held the inaugural meeting of the New York State Antislavery Society in 1835. The Gerrit Smith Estate National Historic Landmark is an Underground Railroad site just down the street. For more information: <a href="https://www.gerritsmith.org">www.gerritsmith.org</a>,

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