

NSULA Gail Metoyer Jones Center for Inclusion and Diversity



Living the Dream: It Starts with Me Spreading Hope, Courage, & Unity

*"Make a career of humanity. Commit yourself to the noble struggle for equal rights. You will make a better person of yourself, a greater nation of your country, and a finer world to live in."
– Dr. Martin Luther King Jr., 1959*

The NICSS Program



"The Northwestern Inclusive Coaching seminar series (NICSS) is designed to raise awareness and facilitate growth in knowledge of Diversity, equity, and Inclusion among NSU constituents. We want to enhance understanding, engage community members in positive dialogue and create respectful, safe environments for all"

The NICSS training sessions are interactive workshops that last no longer than an hour and fifteen minutes. They are a great opportunity to add value to your organization's DEI knowledge base!

To request a session, scan the QR code and complete the Microsoft Form

Cultural Bridge Builders

"Together We Learn"

Mission: We would like to encourage an open atmosphere that promotes discussion and learning of other cultures, beliefs, and practices

Looking for students to serve as peer educators and advocates for diversity!

Requirements

- NSU Student
- At least 18 years old
- Open minded and values diversity
- Self aware of biases
- Willing to do research
- Responsible
- Willing to attend trainings and to do community outreach

Scan the QR code to apply



Upcoming Events

Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. Weekend Celebration

NSULA will host their annual Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. weekend celebration where we honor the legacy of Dr. King. Everyone is welcome to attend.



Tuesday, Jan 9th: *Descendants* Movie Screening

Friday, Jan 12th–Saturday, Jan 13th: MLK Days of Service

Monday, Jan. 15th: MLK Jr. Day Walk

Upcoming Events

National Day of Racial Healing

This day challenges us to engage with and be strategic about how we handle issues of racism, bias, inequity, and injustice in our society.

To help us in this mission, Mrs. Elisabeth P. Mora will be our speaker.

Wednesday, January 17th



- **New Years' Day - January 1st**
- **National Braille Day - January 4th**
- **Korean American Day - January 13th**
- **Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. Day - January 15th**
- **Bodhi Day - January 18th**
- **International Day of Commemoration in Memory of Victims of the Holocaust - January 27th**

NICSS: Equity vs Equality

Dr. Kathryn Gentry and Dr. Jack Atherton will be hosting a NICSS session about systemic barriers and devices for faculty and staff.

January 2024

Last Month

CID partnered with Delta Sigma Theta's Iota Mu chapter to raise money on World AIDS Day for the Black AIDS Institute.



Tip of the Month

Challenge Stereotypes

Stereotypes are oversimplified images or ideas about social identity and while some may seem harmless, stereotypes are overwhelmingly inaccurate and can negatively impact decisions around employment, education, the justice system, housing, and financial services.

By taking time to reconsider stereotypes internally and question whether the assumptions we are making are supported by real evidence specific to an individual, we can work to ensure everyone is valued equally.

