

Dear Colleagues,

We are excited to invite you to the next event in the <u>Inclusive National Security initiative</u>, which will close out the third year's theme of intersectionality and national security.

Our upcoming event— Lethal Intersections: Safety, Security, and Youth — will take place on Wednesday, September 27th at 3:00 PM ET via Zoom. Our keynote speaker will be Dr. Patricia Hill Collins, Distinguished University Professor of Sociology at the University of Maryland, College Park. Dr. Maleeka Glover, the Executive Director of Women of Color Advancing Peace, Security and Conflict Transformation (WCAPS), will serve as the expert discussant and moderate the Q&A portion.

Dr. Patricia Hill Collins will share insights from her forthcoming book, *Lethal Intersections: Race, Gender, and Violence*. Using the experiences of American youth, she examines how intersectional approaches can be used to analyze and address violence as a social problem. Her presentation discusses the complex power dynamics of race, gender, class, and sexuality that organize violence at varying levels of society, and how these dynamics shape how young people experience and perceive safety and security.

This event will explore the following questions: In what ways might intersectional analyses contribute to solving violence as a social problem that affects youth? How might the concept of intersectionality broaden conceptions of safety and security for youth? How might intersectional analyses of safety and security generate new approaches to solving the social problem of violence?

Please <u>click here</u> to register for this **September 27** event. Note: we are using a registration platform that works best in Google Chrome. If a pop-up blocker makes it difficult to register at the link above, please respond to this email for assistance. After you RSVP to attend, you will receive a confirmation email with login details for the event. This event will be recorded and will later be available to access on our webpage.

Do not hesitate to reach out to <u>InclusiveNatSec@cna.org</u> with any questions.

Thank you and we look forward to seeing you at our closing event of the year!

Best wishes,

InclusiveNatSec Team

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