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What To Expect from Funders Together Programming in 2019

It is a new year, but our mission remains the same: provide Funders Together members with dynamic and actionable programming that supports and informs their work to prevent and end homelessness. After receiving feedback from members and taking a deep look into philanthropy's priorities and role in this field, we've structured our 2019 learning opportunities calendar to better reflect our members' diverse grantmaking in homelessness and desire to stay updated on timely issues related to the movement.

In our most [recent blog post](#), Stephanie Chan, Director of Membership and Programs, outlines what you can expect from our learning programs this year. We would love to hear your thoughts on our programming calendar and invite you to provide feedback in our [2019 Programming Feedback Survey](#).

If you have questions about our programming or have suggestions on what you would like to see, please don't hesitate to contact Stephanie at stephanie@funderstogether.org or 617-245.0314 x105.

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Funders Together Events



 **Funders Together**
TO END HOMELESSNESS

2019 Funders Forum

Building the Will to End Unsheltered Homelessness

February 20, 2019 | San Diego

*in conjunction with the
2019 Solutions for Individual Homeless Adults National Conference*

[2019 Funders Forum](#)
February 20, 2019
San Diego, CA

Funders Together is excited to welcome [Dr. Tiffany Manuel](#) as our 2019 Funders Forum Keynote Speaker!



During the day, Dr. Manuel, [President & CEO of TheCaseMade](#), will speak on the role that philanthropy can play in helping to foster the kind of community alignment and public will building that can help us take advantage of the current momentum in the field.

Dr. Manuel, formerly the Vice President of Knowledge, Impact, and Strategy of Enterprise Community Partners, Inc. provided the strategic vision and implementation of [Enterprise's Opportunity 360 platform](#), a comprehensive set of tools and resources for measuring opportunity in the United States. Her work includes authoring papers and articles such as "[You Don't Have to Live Here: Why Housing Messages Are Backfiring and 10 Things We can Do About It](#)" and "[Building Justice: How to Talk about Racial Equality in a Way that Gets It Done](#)" as well as speaking at numerous events and webinars.

Want to know what else is in store for the day? Check out our [working agenda](#) to see what topics will be featured and what you can expect from this year's Funders Forum.

To register or for more information about the Funders Forum, click the registration button below.



Co-Sponsored FCI Briefing Series: Census 2020 Messaging Testing Results

Funders Together is a proud co-sponsor of this briefing series on census messaging results in partnership with the Funders Census Initiative and Democracy Funders Collaborative Census Subgroup. Last year, national field partners were funded to conduct get-out-the-count messaging research to identify messages that resonate with hard-to-count communities. The series is continuing with results from additional national partners:

[Census 2020 Message Testing Results Part 5 | Wednesday, January 16 at 1pm-2pm ET](#)

Presented by National Congress of American Indians

[Census 2020 Message Testing Results Part 6 | Wednesday, January 23 at 1pm-2pm ET](#)

Presented by Arab American Institute

[Racial Equity Tools by Race Matters Institute Webinar Series Part 3 & 4 | January 24, 2019 and February 28, 2019](#)

****New reduced rate for Part 3 & 4****

Led by Race Matters Institute, this webinar series covers a range of tools for understanding the history of racial inequity in homelessness, conducting a racial equity impact analysis, and developing strategies to advance racial equity in your organization. **The first two webinars in this series have already taken place, but you can participate in the final two webinars at a discounted rate!** By signing up for the second half of this series, participants must also participate in a call with Stephanie Chan which will cover the content of the first two webinars in this series.



[Member Call: Debriefing the First Two Webinars from the Race Matters Institute Webinar Series | January 25, 2019 at 1pm EST](#)

If you missed the first two webinars in our Race Matters Institute webinar series, we invite you to join this member call where we will debrief the conversations and discuss different forms of racism, why we need to lead with structural racism, and what racial equity looks like as well as how to build a racial equity backmap and the value of doing so. This member call will be conversation-based, so please come ready to ask questions, jump in with your thoughts, and share racial equity resources you've looked at!



[Partner Webinar: Looking Ahead to 2019 - Policy Opportunities for Children & Families | January 29, 2019 at 12pm EST](#)

Join the [Children, Youth, & Families Funders Roundtable](#) learn about the policy opportunities and challenges facing families in 2019 and 2020 at both the federal and state levels. You'll also learn what funders can do and how to communicate about the effects of policy on families.



[Member Call: Building A Funder Network | January 31, 2019 at 1pm EST](#)

Join us to learn more about what it takes to start a funder network or collaborative, as well as explore various models and structures for each. This call will provide some lessons learned and opportunities to engage funders around networks and collaboratives. During the call, you will also discover how Funders Together can support you in starting one in your community.

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[Centering Voices of Lived Experience | February 13, 2019 at 1pm EST](#)

In this webinar, we will be joined by True Colors Fund and CSH, two organization that are committed to and immersed in lifting up voices of lived experience and empowering them to assist in the creation of solutions to prevent and end homelessness. We will discuss philanthropy's role in creating a culture of lifting voices of lived experience in communities around the country.

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 **Where We Will Be**

In addition to our Funders Together programming, check out these [partner events that Funders Together will be at](#), representing and highlighting philanthropy's work in the efforts to prevent and end homelessness. If you are attending any of these events or would like to attend and meet up, please contact [Amanda Andere](#) or you can find more information directly on the [Where We Will Be page](#).

Click on the map below to see what events we will be at in the coming months!



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