PART II
Strategies to Unwind Residential Segregation

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Thank you and announcements
Taniqua Huguley
Anika Singh Lemar is a Clinical Associate Professor at Yale Law School. She teaches the Community and Economic Development clinic (CED), which provides transactional legal services to organizations seeking to advance economic opportunity. CED’s clients include affordable housing developers, community development financial institutions, farms and farmer’s markets, fair housing advocates, and neighborhood associations. Lemar received her B.A., cum laude, in Ethics, Politics, and Economics from Yale University and received her J.D., cum laude, from New York University School of Law where she was a Root-Tilden-Kern Scholar, a Dean’s Scholar, and a Robert McKay Scholar. While in law school, she received the Paul and Daisy Soros Fellowship for New Americans and helped to found Next City, a highly-regarded urban affairs publication.
Erin Boggs has worked on issues of equity, particularly in the context of housing, for almost 20 years. After dedicating six years to a range of fair housing issues, such as the foreclosure crisis, the housing challenges faced by people with disabilities, and housing discrimination based on a range of characteristics such as the presence of children, the use of government housing subsidies, and race and ethnicity, Boggs recognized the need for an organization specifically focused on the intersection of inequality and geography.

Prior to founding Open Communities Alliance (OCA), Boggs served in a range of roles including as Deputy Director of the Connecticut Fair Housing Center. While at the Center she spearheaded the organization’s work on opportunity and race. Boggs also worked for the CT American Civil Liberties Union as a Staff Attorney and Interim Legal Director and practiced law with a national antitrust firm. Boggs worked at the Harrison Institute for Public Law at Georgetown University Law School and at the Center for National Policy, both in Washington, D.C.

Boggs is a graduate of Wesleyan University and Georgetown University School of Law. A native of Washington, D.C., Boggs attended the D.C. Public Schools.
Dr. Karen DuBois-Walton currently serves as the President of the Elm City Communities/Housing Authority of the City of New Haven and President of The Glendower Group, LLC (the development affiliate of HANH) and 360 Management Group, Inc. (the property management affiliate) responsible for administrative, programmatic and policy direction of the public housing, housing choice voucher program, finance and planning and development activities. In this role she is responsible for an annual operating budget of over $120 million and a capital improvement plan valued at $700 million. Previously, she served as Chief of Staff and Chief Administrative Officer for Mayor John DeStefano, Jr. in the City of New Haven, CT. Dr. DuBois-Walton earned her B.A. from Yale University and M.A. and Ph.D. from Boston University. Dr. DuBois-Walton resides in New Haven. She is actively involved with the Community Leadership Program of the Graustein Memorial Fund; and sits on several non-profit boards including Yale-New Haven Hospital, CONNCORP, LLC, the Melville Charitable Trust, Teach for America, the First City Fund Corporation and the ACES Foundation. She is a member of the CT State Board of Education. In 2014 Dr. DuBois-Walton was named one of The Network Journal’s “25 Most Influential Black Women in Business.” In 2011, 2013 and 2018 she was named one of the “100 Most Influential Blacks in Connecticut” by the CT State Conference of the NAACP. In 2015 she was awarded the Greater New Haven NAACP’s Community Service Award.
Rev. Philippe E. C. Andal was licensed and ordained into the Christian ministry by the Community Baptist Church of New Haven, Connecticut and now serves this congregation as Senior Pastor.

Under his leadership, several ministries have been developed and re-organized to meet the needs of a changing, intergenerational community in the heart of Newhallville. Rev. Andal earned a Bachelor of Science in Business Administration from Fisk University and a Master of Divinity from Yale University, both with honors, distinctions, and awards. Additionally, Rev. Andal was a 2017 Seminary Fellow of Fellowships at Auschwitz for the Study of Professional Ethics, holds a Certificate in Executive Church Leadership from the Howard University School of Business, and is appointed as Lecturer in Pastoral Leadership and Church Administration at Yale Divinity School.

Rev. Andal serves on the boards of the American Baptist Churches of Connecticut and the Yale Divinity School Alumni Board and is elected as Moderator of the Levite Association of the Connecticut State Missionary Baptist Convention. With a heart for the community, Rev. Andal serves as Treasurer and on the Strategy Team of Congregations Organized for a New Connecticut (CONECT), an interfaith collective of 28 churches, mosques, synagogues, and other houses of worship representing over 25,000 people who work together through building relational power to effect change for the common good on the local, state, and national levels.
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We hope to see you on May 7th!

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