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## NEWS/EVENTS



**Freedom '63  
REMIXED**

**Legacies of the  
March on Washington**

**FRIDAY, AUG. 16**

Featuring

DICK GREGORY

DOROTHY ZELLNER

GWENDOLYN ZOHARAH SIMMONS

With

BOOTS RILEY

HARI KONDABOLU

JEANNE THEOHARIS

50 years after the historic 1963 March on Washington, movement veterans and the new generation of activists and artists meet for an inspired evening of conversations. Through personal narratives of the March and the civil rights movement to an analysis of the challenges of war, Trayvon Martin, “post-racial” America, and creating a new movement

for racial equality, these dialogues will speak to the state of the dream and the soul of the nation.

Friday, August 16 | 6:30 PM (Doors open at 6:00PM)  
Schomburg Center for Research in Black Culture  
515 Malcolm X Boulevard, Harlem, NY 10039

FREE AND OPEN TO THE PUBLIC



## FINAL EVENT OF OUR TEACH RADICAL SERIES: ALTERNATIVE EDUCATION IN PRACTICE

Part 5: Using Media to Teach for Change

Tuesday, August 30 | 6 - 8pm | Rosa Luxemburg Stiftung-NYC  
275 Madison Ave., Suite 2114, NYC 10016

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We live in a media-saturated society, and media is not neutral. Rather, it is embedded in structures of domination. Still, human beings are not passive vessels. We have always brought our own agency to the process of decoding the messages of the mass media. Digital technology has reduced the cost of producing and distributing audio-visual materials, and more than ever, we can speak back to the parade of electronic images on the screens that surround us. Still, the structures of domination remain.

Join us for a discussion with Global Action Project and Sandy Storyline on how we can use media to strengthen community, amplify unheard stories, and work to create a more just world.

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## MEDIA

### VIDEO FROM THE 2013 LEFT FORUM



#### Fighting Racism in a Post-Racial World

Kazembe Balagun from RLS-NYC, moderates a thought-provoking discussion on race with Tahir Della from the Initiative of Black People in Germany and Steve Williams, former director of POWER.

### FOOTAGE FROM OUR TEACH RADICAL SERIES

Check out the following videos on our YouTube Page:



#### Teach Radical I: Educating for Community Power

Omar Freilla from the Green Worker Cooperatives and Steve Williams, former director of POWER, discuss strategies for equipping people with the tools to improve their lives, fight injustice, and change the world.



#### Teach Radical II: Agitating for Better Public Schools

Margrit Pittman-Polletta and Edwin Mayorga from the New York Coalition for Radical Educators, and Sam Anderson from the Coalition for Public Education discuss the challenges facing public schools in NYC.



#### Teach Radical III: Building Movements Through Education Spaces

Christine Peng from the Maysles Institute and Max Uhlenbeck from the Brecht Forum discuss how they work for social change through education.

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## NEW PUBLICATION

### LIFT THE LOAD OF POVERTY

Fighting for Black Equality in the Age of Obama

By James Jennings - July 2013

This summer the Supreme Court gutted the Voting Rights Act of 1965, Trayvon Martin's killer got acquitted, and Detroit declared bankruptcy. While we are told about a post-racial society, all social indicators show that the US continues to be a racially divided country. James Jennings, Professor of Urban and Environmental Policy and Planning at Tufts University, examines the current state of the struggle for Black equality.



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