

SOLOMON SCHECHTER DAY SCHOOL AND  
WEST HARTFORD PUBLIC SCHOOLS PRESENT:  
**Thinking Beyond Disabilities: A Community Conversation about Intersectionality**

*In honor of Martin Luther King Day, a conversation on disabilities and race*

**Monday, January 15, 2018 from 7 -8:30 pm**  
**Solomon Schechter Day School of Greater Hartford**  
**26 Buena Vista Road, West Hartford, CT**

This event is free and open to the public.

Reservations required. Please call **860-561-0700** or email [rsvp@ssds-hartford.org](mailto:rsvp@ssds-hartford.org).

An evening of thoughtful conversation about disabilities, access and the intersectionality of race. This panel conversation will highlight the perspectives of four Connecticut leaders who have dedicated their lives to advocating on behalf of people with disabilities and providing direct services to them and their families in the hopes of meeting their individual, familial and community needs. This conversation will emphasize how race and culture intersect and help us understand these complex realities.

**Panelists:** **Grace Clark**, founder of Autism Multicultural Program (AMP); **Solanfy Fourte**, Ph.D., LCSW, BCBA-D; **Bruce Putterman**, who served on the West Hartford Board of Education for 12 years where he advocated for Special Education; and **Representative Derek Slap**.

Following the panelists, **Dr. David G. Embrick**, who holds a joint position as Associate Professor in the Sociology Department and African Studies Institute at the University of Connecticut, will moderate a conversation among the panelists which will culminate in a Q&A with the audience.

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