



MSU THEATRE TROUPE *GIVING VOICE* PRESENTS: “WITH ALL DUE RESPECT”

**FRIDAY, OCTOBER 26
12:30-1:30 HILL HALL 002**

Institutional climate in regards to a diverse population is everyone’s responsibility. Whether business or academia, everyday interactions challenge an organization’s goal for a positive, inclusive environment. Actors with *Giving Voice* use the power of theatre to spark dialogue on issues of diversity, inclusiveness and cultural competence. Based on a foundation of research, the nationally recognized *Giving Voice* troupe brings diversity training to new levels, addressing various issues of oppression, including micro-aggressions. This forum will engage audiences in thoughtful awareness, development of strategies and the opportunity to try those strategies in a safe environment.

Sponsored by the Culturally Sustaining Pedagogies Faculty Inquiry Group, led by Drs Tammi Davis, Chloé Bolyard, and Mandy Benedict-Chambers

Why Giving Voice?

-Develop Cultural Competency

-Enhance faculty awareness of multicultural dimensions of teaching

-Participants report lasting impressions of particular individuals portrayed

-Talkback sessions with individuals portrayed are extremely insightful

-Confidence is developed through modeling of others participating and/or personal participation

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