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A Walk to Respect: The Afterglow



Abraham Lincoln and Frederick Douglass set powerful examples of the importance of communicating with and listening to people with opinions and beliefs that are different from our own. Sharing their cookies led both of them to a greater understanding that resulted in a friendship built on mutual respect.

During six performances, more than 1,000 people experienced the moving dialog about how two disparate leaders formed a

friendship of respect with the spoken words that resonate in modern times. As Playwright Beth Duda shared in her quest

A PURPOSEFUL PARTNERSHIP



While the Lilly Family School of Philanthropy's relationship with TPF is relatively new, it is already providing valuable opportunities for students and alumni, TPF, and its partners.

1. [Fellows Program](#) provides graduates of the Lilly Family School of Philanthropy, the world's first school dedicated solely to the study and teaching of philanthropy, a year-long career-building opportunity to learn innovative philanthropic principles and share their expertise through engaging initiatives tied to their personal passions. Through the Fellows Program, TPF aspires to create a network of future leaders aligned in their innovative approach to philanthropy.

2. [The Future of the Philanthropic Sector -- Experiential Learning with The Patterson Foundation](#) connects students to living

editorial, "While they did not solve their differences on the first day, they connected and took their first steps towards understanding.

Abraham Lincoln and Frederick Douglass, A Walk to Respect, revealed the power of "Turning Outward," an approach conceived by Rich Harwood, president and founder of The Harwood Institute. It has inspired TPF as a method of strengthening efforts."

As an investment in our community through the Aspirations to Actions Initiative, TPF is supporting registered Stepping Forward Book Circles throughout Charlotte, DeSoto, Manatee, and Sarasota counties.

Stepping Forward Book Circles aim to help participants build a sense of community, foster positive relationships among citizens, discover shared aspirations, and embrace possibilities for our collective future through guided discussions around Rich Harwood's Stepping Forward book.

LEARN MORE or catch up on the highlights HERE.

examples of innovative philanthropic strategy through TPF and its connections to nonprofits in the Sarasota area.

During their visit to Florida, students will focus on

- Capacity Building through Margin & Mission Ignition
- Issue-Based Movement through the Suncoast Campaign for Grade-Level Reading
- Inspiring Philanthropy through the Giving Challenge

Because there will be a mix of undergraduate and graduate students, this exposure allows for meaningful participation across the experience and interest spectrum.

3. March 25 -- IU Lilly Family School of Philanthropy Information Session (open to the public) You are invited to join TPF and IU Lilly Family School of Philanthropy in-person or virtually for breakfast at the Hyatt Regency Sarasota to learn about their on campus and virtual Masters in Philanthropic Studies courses. If a career in philanthropy interests you, this is a not to be missed event -- IU offers the only Masters program in philanthropy nationally!



Highlights: A Walk to Respect [time: 2:40]



CENSUS 2020 EDUCATION

6 REASONS TO COMPLETE THE CENSUS

1. **Apportionment** - State population counts from the decennial census are used to reapportion seats in the U.S. House of Representatives.

2. **Redistricting** - State and local officials



2. **Redistricting** - State and local officials use decennial census results to help redraw congressional, state, and local district boundaries.

3. **MONEY to States and Localities** -

Census totals help determine the amount of funding that state governments and local communities receive from the federal government FOR THE NEXT DECADE

4. **Planning** - Data from the census inform a wide range of government, business, and nonprofit decision making.

5. **Emergency Response** - Detailed population information is critical for emergency response in the wake of disasters.

6. **A Base for Federal Surveys** - The Census Bureau's Population Estimates Program uses census data in combination with birth, death, and migration data to produce annual population and housing unit estimates...

Source: [Population Reference Bureau](#)

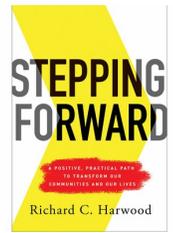


[2020 Census Jobs - Be A Census Taker \[2:23\]](#)

STEPPING FORWARD BOOK CIRCLES CONTINUE

Thanks to the hundreds of folks who have already joined or lead a Stepping Forward book circle. For those of you who haven't, learn how TPF will support your book circle.

Read up on what's happening with Stepping Forward book circles in your community and [sign up to lead one today!](#)



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