

Comprehensive Bio for calvin terrell, the Drapetomaniac

Calvin Terrell is founder and lead facilitator of Social Centric Institute; an organization he designed to provide education and training for all ages to enhance human interactions and global progress. He is a former Assistant Director of the National Conference for Community Justice/Anytown USA Arizona Region. He has taught for Upward Bound at Arizona State University and the Arizona National Guard's Freedom Academy. For the past twenty five years, Calvin has lectured, trained, and lead comprehensive workshops for valuing diversity, equity, and justice building in schools, corporations, and civic organizations for thousands of adults, children, and youth throughout the United States. Some organizations Calvin has rendered services to are:

- Colorado River Indian Reservation, Fort McDowell, White Mountain Apache, other Tribal Nation youth gatherings, and Osborn Elementary School District Native American Parent Education Program (workshops on Indigenous Solidarity, 21st century parenting, and ongoing prejudice/internalized oppression prevention trainings)
- AZ Adult and Youth Probation Departments (workshops at El Puente Conference on Latino Solidarity and prevention of internalized oppression, statewide conference keynote and workshop on racial/generational prejudice, and youth violence prevention work).
- Lambda Phi Epsilon, Oldest Asian American Fraternity, Keynotes for conference and facilitation of collaboration dialogues on intra-racial collaboration among Asian American communities and inter-racial collaborative efforts with wider community.
- Stanford University student government, first year student, and identity associations retreat on systemic justice and enhancing culture of the university.
- Human Rights Campaign in Washington D.C. (ongoing lectures in Historical Black Colleges and universities on Black Solidarity, internalized oppression prevention, Gay Straight alliances, and Social justice workshops).
- Girl Power Conference at Arizona State University West (keynote on male responsibility to gender equity and justice workshops).
- City of Flagstaff (on going generational/racial justice and parent trainings for Police Department. Community mediations/facilitated dialogues after fatal shooting of a teen by officer, LGBTQ recognition as protected groups, Tribal nation concerns of usage reclaimed water on San Francisco Peaks mountain).
- City of Phoenix Head Start (keynotes for summer and winter conferences on racial prejudice and investing in the arts, facilitate ongoing workshops on organizational change, communication, and global diversity).
- State of Connecticut State Education Resource Center (fifteen plus years of providing coaching, keynotes, professional development, and planning for educators, mental health professionals, and policy makers to eliminate racial disparities in education, employment, healthcare, housing, and incarceration).
- Minnesota Department of Education's Regional Centers of Excellence (ongoing training of equity coaches to address rural, urban, and suburban school challenges with regards to achievement, class, mental health, and race).

- State of Michigan Grand Valley State University (Annual fall seminar to assist future teachers with strategies to build equitable pedagogy, interrupt anti-black, anti-indigenous, xenophobic, sexist, and ableist institutional practices).
- National Teen Leadership Program (ongoing summer presentations and periodic community workshops throughout the state of California on preparing youth for ecocentric global readiness and healing historical trauma around racial intersections with all identities, class, religion, gender, and environmental disruption).
- Muhammad Ali Center and Museum in Louisville, KY (assisted in development of a permanent youth interactive display).
- International Conference of Parks & Recreation (lectures on elements of underground Hip Hop culture uses as tools for constructive social change and racial prejudice prevention).
- Minority Student Association Network (keynote and panelist at Cleveland Conference on closing the achievement gap in schools, ongoing consultation and services provided related to race based disparities in achievement, violence prevention, staff development on power/privilege, and student trainings/workshops).

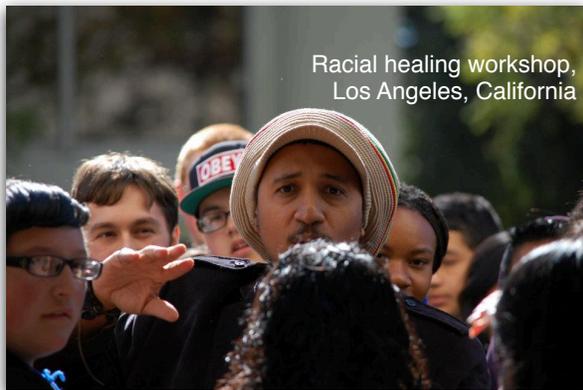
Calvin transforms pain into power and haunts into healing. Surviving violences, losing loved ones to addictions, murder, white supremacy, and misogyny, as well as owning his own prejudices and role in oppression, compels Calvin's service. Calvin is founder/director of Social Centric Institute, a non-profit he built to educate anyone and everyone to be healers of historical trauma around racial intersections, class, religion, gender, and environmental disruption. Calvin has engaged every demographic throughout the US in historical trauma healing processes. His approaches draw from many technologies that are colonial, decolonized, and indigenous.

For his dedication to human rights, Calvin's been awarded with honors from faith, educational, civic, and activist organizations, as well as government institutions, including the city of Phoenix year 2000 Dr Martin Luther King, Jr. "Living the Dream" Award, Arizona Affirmative Action, Davis Monthan Air Force Base, and various religious institutions. A compelling story about Calvin's work with youth is featured in the book "Chicken Soup for the African American Soul" of the Chicken Soup series. Calvin's reputation for excellence and sustainable impact have afforded him collaborative venues with former Chief Justice Sandra Day O'Connor and former AZ Governor / US Secretary of Homeland Security, Janet Napolitano. The demand of his services prompted organizations such as Harpo Inc., Oprah Winfrey's production company to contract Calvin to train executive producers, coach various members of the production team, and assist in their transition to the "O" network. Most recently, the Obama Foundation sought Calvin's collaboration with regards to community empowerment. In 2019 Calvin also delivered his first TED talk called "Socio-spiritual Evolution" that can be accessed at his website calvinterrell.com, the TED website, and on YouTube. Calvin challenges the privileged to abandon fragile pedestals of inconsiderate obliviousness, while he encourages the oppressed to remember their power developed from surviving historical unfairness. He invites all to abandon identity superstitions and materialistic traditions, so humanity can meet and collaborate on a healing field of justice waiting for cultivation. His greatest achievements are marriage, fatherhood, and a relationship with the infinite power that fashioned the stars. Calvin is not a democrat, nor a republican, a libertarian or anarchist; he is soul experiencing black membership of the human race. Calvin helps all remember their power and he doesn't care what you

think or feel about him, but he loves you! His ultimate goal is the contribute to the healing of historical traumas so the ecocentric material, social, and spiritual progress of all Earth's peoples we lead to a global sharing of power and virtue in All Relations...



Racial Justice Assembly
@Cesar Chavez High Phoenix, AZ



Racial healing workshop,
Los Angeles, California



Community Circle
Phoenix, Arizona



Social Centric
Proclamation
Phoenix, AZ



Healing Historical Trauma
Presentation
Phoenix, AZ