# Bridging the Diversity Gap

## A Workshop in Cultural Proficiency

Presented by: Generation Ready

December 16, 2016

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*"It's rare when you encounter a staff development experience that is inspiring, relevant to the life experiences of the students and community you serve, and affords an opportunity for practical application of the concepts you've learned in the form of scaffolded planning. Thank you."*

*- Mark Gross, Administrator, Lancaster Unified School District*

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Microsoft's NY-11 Times Square Conference Center, 6th Floor, New York, NY
December 16, 2016 | 9 a.m. - 3 p.m. | $175 per person

There can be no educational excellence without educational equity. Schools are the heart of a community and educators have a responsibility to respect and respond to the diverse environments of their communities.

In order to ensure successful learning for all students, they must have access, support, and resources to achieve success in school and become productive citizens.

Our cultural proficiency workshops galvanize awareness to improve academic instruction by developing effective leaders and teachers that align policies, practices, values and procedures to meet the needs of all students regardless of race, ethnicity, gender or socioeconomic status.

**At this workshop, we will:**

- Reflect on personal attitudes and beliefs about diverse groups of students
- Identify common barriers
- Build a common language around culturally proficient policies, practices and behaviors
- Learn to develop and sustain a culturally proficient school environment

**Space is limited. Visit tinyurl.com/zl3937e to reserve your spot today!**
A series of follow-up workshops will be offered in winter/spring 2017.