

IDENTIFYING AND COMBATING RACISM:

Tools to Fortify Your Mind, Body & Spirit

WHITE WOMEN AS ALLIES

FOR: European American/White lesbians and transgender women

WHEN: Friday, July 24, 2020 from 4:30 pm to 6 pm

COURSE DESCRIPTION

- Understanding history: what brought us to this time
- Our visible and invisible identities
- Our identities as privilege
- What it means to be an ally and what we can do right now



Dr. Kelly Watson and **Dr. Ronni Sanlo** have been deeply involved in the current Resistance movement since 2016. Kelly earned a bachelors and a doctorate from UCLA where she graduated from the UCLA School of Dentistry. She was the co-founder of women's recovery and outpatient centers in Arizona, and worked with the National Association of Alcohol and Drug Abuse Counselors to achieve treatment parity in insurance coverage for women. She continues her work in the recovery field. She is also the executive producer of the award-winning documentaries *Letter to Anita* and *Passionate Pursuits of Angela Bowen*, and continues to support LGBT issues in film and theater. Ronni graduated with a doctorate in education from the University of North Florida. She directed the UCLA LGBT Center and was professor and director of the UCLA Masters of Education in Student Affairs. Ronni is the founder of the award-winning Lavender Graduation and continues to write and speak on LGBTQ historical issues. Kelly and Ronni are retired and spend many of these quarantine days on their boat *Strait Knot* in Sequim, WA.