

Seminar on Criminal Justice Past & Present

The Criminal Justice Studies Seminar of the CUNY
Academy for the Humanities and the Sciences Presents:

DECOLONIZING CRIMINAL JUSTICE EDUCATION

COLLABORATIVE LEARNING INSIDE RIKERS ISLAND



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Talk Overview

This seminar explores a decolonial approach to criminal justice education that brings LaGuardia Community College students into direct collaboration with incarcerated students in a shared learning environment.

Discussant: Paulo Moreira - Criminal Justice Student at LaGuardia Community College | Justice Fellow at College Way | Research interests in Freirean Theory and Critical Social Thought.

Wed - February 25, 2026

6:30 PM - 8:30 PM

The CUNY Graduate Center | Room 9206

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