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TO ALL SUPPORTERS OF THE NAACP MILWAUKEE BRANCH

GREETINGS:

It is with great pleasure that we invite you to attend and support the 2023 NAACP Milwaukee Branch Annual Freedom Fund Dinner. The keynote speaker is Professor, Historian, Author, and Documentary Filmmaker, Dr. Hasan Kwame Jeffries. Please visit the branch's website for more information about the keynote speaker and dinner information (www.naacpmke.org).

The 2023 Annual Freedom Fund Dinner will be held:

Friday, October 27, 2023

Reception at 5:30pm

Dinner at 6:30pm

Wisconsin Center

400 W. Wisconsin Avenue, Milwaukee, Wisconsin

Please join and support us as we celebrate the 99th year of the Milwaukee Branch NAACP. As the oldest, largest and strongest civil rights organization in the Nation, we continue to work for political, educational, social and economic equality for people of color through nonviolent use of the press, the petition, the ballot and the courts.

You can support us in the fight for justice by purchasing a sponsorship, an ad, a table(s) or individual tickets. A Sponsorship Form is included for your use. All ticket purchases include a one-year membership in the NAACP. We invite you to become a life member of the NAACP.

Your support will make a difference in fulfilling the promise of Equality for All through the work of the NAACP.

Sincerely,

Clarence P. Nicholas

President, NAACP Milwaukee Branch

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MILWAUKEE BRANCH FREEDOM FUND DINNER

Save the Date

Friday, October 27, 2023

Wisconsin Center – Expo Hall 400 West Wisconsin Avenue Milwaukee, Wisconsin

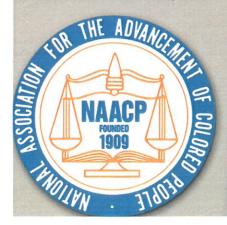
5:30 p.m. Reception 6:30 p.m. Dinner

Keynote Speaker: Hasan Kwame Jeffries Professor, Historian, Author and Documentary Filmmaker

Thank you for your support! NAACP Milwaukee Branch

Clarence P. Nicholas
Milwaukee Branch President

Dr. Gloria Pitchford-Nicholas Freedom Fund Dinner Chairperson



RESPOND EARLY: Last year's dinner was a sellout, and we anticipate the same for this year. For additional information, please contact the branch office at (414) 562-1000 or naacpmkeorg@gmail.com

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HASAN KWAME JEFFRIES

Hasan Kwame Jeffries teaches, researches, and writes about the African American experience from a historical perspective.

He has chronicled the civil rights movement in the ten-episode *Audible Originals* series "Great Figures of the Civil Rights Movement," and has told the remarkable story of the original Black Panther Party in *Bloody Lowndes: Civil Rights and Black Power in Alabama's Black Belt*, which has been praised as "the book historians of the black freedom movement have been waiting for."

Hasan has collaborated on several public history projects, including serving as the lead scholar and primary scriptwriter for the \$27 million renovation and redesign of the National Civil Rights Museum at the Lorraine Hotel in Memphis, Tennessee, the site of the assassination of Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr.

Hasan regularly shares his expertise on African American history and contemporary Black politics through public lectures, op-eds, and interviews with print, radio, and television news outlets, including the New York *Times*, Washington *Post*, Los Angeles *Times*, NPR, CNN, and MSNBC.

He has contributed to several documentary film projects as an historical advisor and featured on-camera scholar, including the 2023 documentaries Fight the Power: How Hip Hop Changed the World (PBS) and Lowndes County and the Road to Black Power (NBC/Peacock). And his 2020 TEDx Talk "Why we must confront the painful parts of US history" has been viewed more than 2 million times.

Hasan's commitment to teaching what he calls "Hard History" led him edit *Understanding and Teaching the Civil Rights Movement*, a collection of essays by leading civil rights scholars and teachers that explores how to teach civil rights history accurately and effectively, and to host the podcast "Teaching Hard History," a project of the Southern Poverty Law Center's Learning for Justice division. Hasan also helps school districts develop anti-racism programming and culturally responsive curricular content centered on social studies by conducting professional development workshops for teachers and administrators.

An associate professor in the Department of History at The Ohio State University, Hasan takes great pride in opening students' minds to new ways of understanding the past and the present. For his pedagogical creativity and effectiveness, he has received numerous awards, including Ohio State's highest commendation for teaching – the Ohio State Alumni Award for Distinguished Teaching.

Born and raised in Brooklyn, New York, Hasan graduated from Morehouse College in 1994 with a BA in history and earned his PhD in American history with a specialization in African American history from Duke University in 2002.



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- Premiere recognition at the dinner
- ◆ Full page ad in the Freedom Fund Souvenir Booklet
- Remarks at the Freedom Fund Dinner

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