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## School Division Meeting

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Chapter L of NYASP

# Race Talk: Diversity, Inclusion & The School Psychologist

Presented by *Dr. Stacy A.S. Williams, Ph.D., NCSP*  
Assistant Professor of Psychology and Field Training Coordinator  
at the School Psychology Program at Marist College

**Friday December 1, 2017**  
**Little Theater of Scarsdale High School from 8:00-11:00 a.m.**  
(8:00-8:30 schmoozing and coffee)

This presentation focuses on strategies to mitigate tension in the school environment and encourage an inclusive space where all perspectives are welcomed. For practitioners to be prepared they must be self-aware, student aware, and possess facilitation skills that will prosper healthy dialogue. A one-size model of engaging and facilitating race/diversity talk is no longer feasible. Pedagogical approaches need to be both flexible and adaptable to the audience. In order to support the mental health needs of all students, practitioners will need to make a conscious and continued effort to engage in race and diversity talk. Time will be left at the end for a conversation based on real life experiences and questions that attendees can share.

NYASP and WCPA members are admitted without charge  
Non-member fee \$15.00 (Cash or checks only)

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