



The Black Minds Matter is a public online course taught by Dr. J. Luke Wood of San Diego State University. The course is designed to increase the national consciousness about issues facing Black boys and men in education. The course draws parallels between issues faced by Black males in society and the ways that Black minds are engaged in the classroom. Through this lens, participants are presented with research on Black students in education (from preschool to doctoral education), emphasizing strategies and practices that can support their success.

#### WEEK 1 – Linking Black Lives and Black Minds

- Speaker: Ryan Smith, The Education Trust-West
- Interviewee: S. Lee Merritt, Civil Rights Attorney
- Speaker: Patrisse Cullors, Black Lives Matters

#### WEEK 2 – Foundations of Black Male Research and Practice

- Speaker: Frank Harris III, San Diego State University
- Interviewee: Shaun R. Harper, University of Southern California

#### WEEK 3 – Ascription of Intelligence

- Speaker: Fred A. Bonner II, Prairie View A&M University
- Interviewee: Donna Ford, Vanderbilt University

#### WEEK 4 – Assumptions of Criminality

- Speaker: Tyrone C. Howard, University of California Los-Angeles
- Interviewee: Pedro Noguera, University of California Los-Angeles
- Speaker: Nesha Savage, San Diego City College

#### WEEK 5 – Campus Climates and Non-Cognitive Outcomes

- Speaker: Terrell L. Strayhorn, DoGoodWork LLC
- Interviewee: James L. Moore III, The Ohio State University
- Interviewee: Kimberly A. Griffin, University of Maryland

#### WEEK 6 - Promising Practices for Teaching and Learning

- Speaker: Ilyasah Shabazz, Educator & Daughter of Malcom X and Dr. Betty Shabazz
- Speaker: Chance Lewis, University of North Carolina – Charlotte
- Interviewee: Jawanza Kunjufu, African American Images

#### WEEK 7 – Holistic Support for Black Male Learners

- Speaker: Eboni Zamani-Gallaher, University of Illinois – Urbana Champaign
- Interviewee: Robert T. Palmer, Howard University
- Speaker: Vanessa McCullers, Moms of Black Boys (MOBB) United

#### WEEK 8 – Advancing Black Male Policy, Support and Research

*12/11/17 (Monday) | 4:30pm to 6:00pm | Cafeteria 1620 \*Live Broadcast*

- Interviewee: Ivory Toldson, Howard University
- Speaker: Robert Simmons, Campaign for Black Male Achievement
- Interviewee: Jerlando F. L. Jackson, University of Wisconsin Madison