



Working Toward Health Equity: Race, Place, & History Understanding How Today's Landscape of Health Inequity Emerged

5:00 PM - Thursday, November 19, 2015

Theatre, 1900 Founders Drive, Miami Valley Research Park, Kettering, 45420

Delta Omega Lecturer:



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How can we better understand neighborhoods of intensive health disparity? How do place, race, and history shape social determinants and the contemporary landscape of health inequity? The presentation will speak to the role of these three factors in shaping the geography of opportunity and health. Jason Reece will discuss the Kirwan Institute's role in working with communities to utilize both spatial and historical analysis to intervene in contemporary place-based health challenges.

Jason is the senior associate director for the Kirwan Institute, an engaged research Institute based at The Ohio State University. The Kirwan Institute works in Ohio and nationally to support inclusion and expand access to opportunity for marginalized communities. Jason acts as an advisor and capacity builder to foundations, non-profits, community organizations and government agencies on community development, social equity in planning, civic engagement, GIS, and health equity. Jason co-developed the opportunity mapping methodology with John A. Powell, a methodology which has been adopted or utilized by more than dozens of non-profit, public sector and philanthropic partners and the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development.

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