

"Do Black Lives Matter in ICT4D?" ICT4D LONDON

MEETUP

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Rules of engagement

1. Be nice :)
2. Mute yourselves during presentations and unmute and join the conversation when asked
3. Listen attentively :)
4. Ask questions in the Zoom chat, we'll have a Q&A after the panel and brief reflections
5. Enjoy! 🍀

Agenda

PANELLISTS

1. Thelonius Cook, Owner and Farmer at Mighty Thundercloud Edible Forest and ICT4Ag Consultant with USAID's Farmer-to-Farmer program
2. Haben Fecadu, Human Rights Lawyer, Amnesty International
3. Shikoh Gitau, CEO of Qhala, a digital innovation company that catalyzes digital transformation capabilities for organizations across Africa
4. Aarathi Krishnan, Humanitarian Futures and Strategic Foresight Advisor and Technology and Human Rights Fellow at the Harvard Carr Centre for Technology and Human Rights
5. Hannah Metcalfe, Country Director (Tanzania) and Global Private Sector Lead for Viamo
6. Olasupo Oyedepo, Co-founder and first Director of the African Alliance of Digital Health Networks

We will have an hour of guided conversation with our panelists with 30 minutes of open discussion.

For more info, read [Ronda's blog](#).

Introductions

Introduce yourselves here add your info below if you like and please add your details below (only if you're happy to share)

[Use this format below]

Name / Organisation (if applicable) / Twitter handle (if you like) / Location / Your favourite anti-racist resource or community

1. Ronda Zelezny-Green / Internet Society & Panoply Digital / @rondaz_g/ London, UK / [Kimberly Latrice Jones's Monopoly speech](#)
2. Dama Sathianathan / Bethnal Green Ventures / @Dama_Yanthi @bg_ventures/ London, UK / [10x10VC](#) and [YSYS community advocates](#)
3. Julia Burchell / DAI / Independent Consultant @juliaburchell / London, UK / [Interview with Reni Eddo-Lodge](#)
4. Ken Banks / Yoti / Head of Social Purpose / @kiwanja / Cambridge, UK / [The aid sector must do more to tackle its white supremacy problem](#)
5. Bryce Hartley/ Independent Consultant/ London, UK / [13th](#)
6. Teddy Woodhouse / Alliance for Affordable Internet / @TeddyWoodhouse / London UK / [Dismantling Racism: A Workbook for Social Change Groups](#)
7. Savana Surana / [Identity 2.0](#) / @savenatthefish / [Superior by Angela Saini](#)
8. Matthew Downer / GSMA Mobile for Humanitarian Innovation/ @mddowner / London UK / Brit(ish), Afua Hirsch
9. Stephanie DeMarco/ Birmingham City University/@peoplebeweird/Birmingham, UK via Boston, MA/Facing History <https://www.facinghistory.org/> (for my students) Leading Routes - Black in Academia <https://leadingroutes.org/bia>
10. Matt Hogan/Raspberry Pi Foundation/Manchester, UK/@matthoganlive
11. Richard Tandoh / Global Innovation Fund / [linkedin.com/in/richardtandoh](https://www.linkedin.com/in/richardtandoh/) / [Modernity + Coloniality course](#)
12. Aarathi Krishnan/Humanitarian Futures/@akrishnan23/ Geneva, Switzerland/ <https://medium.com/@intldogooder/the-re-learning-the-re-sourcing-85f6d6ea7846>

13. Savita Bailur/ Caribou Digital/ @savitabailur
<https://savitabailur.com/2020/07/30/intersectional-inequality-in-digital-development-reflections-of-a-brown-woman/>
14. Shyam Krishna/ Royal Holloway, University of London/@digiflaneur/London UK
15. Belinda Baah / GSMA / [@Bel_Baah](#) / [Rachel Cargle's instagram](#)
16. Jenny Casswell / GSMA / @jencasswell / Layla Saad
17. Liz Coll / Consumer Rights, recently ex-Consumers Intl/ @elcoll
18. Susan Wyche/ Michigan State University/ @spwyche
19. Joe Press / @impazzatta
20. Adam Fivenson / InterAction / [LinkedIn](#)
21. Olly Parsons / GSMA Mobile for Humanitarian Innovation / @ollyparsons / Chimamanda Ngozi Adichie -
https://www.ted.com/talks/chimamanda_ngozi_adichie_the_danger_of_a_single_story/transcript?language=enChimamanda Ngozi Adichie: The danger of a single story | TED Talk
22. Onebunne Chinonso Godwin / @1Gnonny
23. Nisha Ligon / Ubongo / www.ubongo.org @nishaligon / [Black Baby Books](#) and [So You Want to Talk About Race by Ijeoma Oluo](#)
24. Hannah Metcalfe/Viamo/ www.viamo.io/ @hannahm292/ [Ibram Kendi \(especially 'How do be an AntiRacist'\)/ We don't need white tech saviours in Africa - we need a level playing field by Eliza Anyangwe](#)

More resources/ communities to check out

<https://peopleofcolorintech.com/>

Yoti paper looking at 'Social Purpose in a Time of Crisis' which includes (what might be) a useful template for organisations looking to report on and address issues of inclusivity and equality -

<https://www.yoti.com/wp-content/uploads/Social-Purpose-In-A-Time-Of-Crisis-Keen-Banks.pdf>

Race after technology. Abolitionist tools for the new Jim Code - Ruha Benjamin
ISBN-13: 978-1-5095-2639-0

Between the world and me - Ta Nehisi Coates

Recent pieces about racism in development

- [Oxfam blog: Does development have a problem with racism?](#)
- [The New Humanitarian: Decolonising aid, again](#)
- [The Guardian: The aid sector must do more to tackle its white supremacy problem](#)

Network of Black Women in Development

- Website: <https://www.popworksafrika.org/blackwomenindev>
- Facebook Group: <https://www.facebook.com/groups/1713823518654946/>

Women of Color Advancing Peace, Security and Conflict Transformation or WCAPS is a similar platform. Website: <https://www.wcaps.org/>