



# Breakout Sessions and Presenters

## Racial Microaggressions

Learn about different types of racial microaggressions, how to identify them, the impact they have on an individual, community, and society, and how to combat these harmful words and behaviors.

### Presenter: Yari Hernandez Shupe



**Yari Hernandez Shupe** was born and raised in rural southern Minnesota with her 2 brothers and Mexican immigrant parents. Her hometown is a mix of mostly White and Latinx individuals which created a divided bicultural experience as she navigated her childhood and adolescent years. Through witnessing the inequity and discrimination against the Latinx population she developed a passion for helping those in her cultural community and raising awareness of the issues and barriers faced by the Latinx community.

She now lives and works in Madison, Wisconsin with Latinx youth to help them navigate their academic and career journey while exploring their personal and cultural identity. She hopes to continue her work empowering young Latinxs and advocating for equitable resources for all marginalized communities.

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