



**The Elephant in the Room:
Conversation and Action for
Diversity, Inclusion, and Equity in the
Classroom and Beyond**

A Year of Learning and Growth

FALL SEMESTER:

- Oct 26:**
3:30pm **Judy Conlin, Wisconsin Public Schools**
Workshop: "Listening, Hearing, and the Win-Win Perspective"
114 HSS
- Nov 7:**
3:30pm **IUP's Reflective Practice**
"Facilitating Challenging Conversations in the Classroom: Preparing for the Unexpected or Unimaginable" (Faculty Only)
116 Ackerman
- Nov 9:**
3:30pm **Rachel DeSoto-Jackson & Carrie Cole**
IUP's Department of Theater and Dance
Workshop: "Improv/Performance and De-Escalation"
114 HSS

SPRING SEMESTER:

- Feb 1:**
3:30pm **Melanie Hildebrandt, IUP's Department of Sociology**
Workshop: "Building an Inclusive Classroom"
- Feb 15 & 16:** **Joe Bandy, Vanderbilt University**
 Brielle Harbin, University of Pennsylvania
- 15th, 3:30 pm** Keynote: "Advancing Diversity and Inclusion in Higher Education"
- 16th, 8:30 am** Workshop: "Promoting an Inclusive Culture in the Classroom"

~Completion of 4 events earns a Certificate of Training in Diversity and Inclusion~

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