

#BestOfEquityChat

Freedom Dreams and Sources of Hope

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Welcome back for the final episode of this summer's [#BestOfEquityChat](#) series. Like last year, we've saved the best for last -- join us as we look at S4's freedom dreams for [#highered](#) and the sources of hope for its future. [@DrPamLuster @DrTammeil @lamkeithcurry @CollegeFutures](#)

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We start off tonight with [@CCCSChancellor](#) Joe Garcia and how people recognizing the value of community colleges give him hope for his freedom dream. [#BestOfEquityChat @DrPamLuster @DrTammeil @lamkeithcurry @CollegeFutures](#) (1/2) <https://x.com/CCCSChancellor/status/1735114897929719869>

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Find [@CCCSChancellor](#) Garcia's full [#EquityChat](#) episode here (2/2): https://equityavengers.com/wp-content/uploads/2023/12/EACHAT_1213.pdf...

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"When education becomes a RIGHT, not a PRIVILEGE." Yes to ALL of this freedom dream from [@Njodaitis](#)' Director of Higher Ed [@immigrantsrise](#). [#BestOfEquityChat @DrPamLuster @DrTammeil @lamkeithcurry @CollegeFutures](#) (1/2) <https://x.com/DrTammeil/status/1709731628715589814>

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Checkout [@Njodaitis](#)' full [#EquityChat](#) episode (2/2): https://equityavengers.com/wp-content/uploads/2023/10/NancyJodaitis_Template.pdf

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Edu-activist and [@HomiesEmpower](#) Co-founder, Dr. Cesar A. Cruz [@teolol](#) shared his freedom dream for free, accessible universities 4 all. [#BestOfEquityChat @DrPamLuster @DrTammeil @lamkeithcurry @CollegeFutures](#) (1/2) <https://x.com/teolol/status/1732577363559612610>

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Author & Assoc. Prof. [@DrHarrisJay](#) talked about how the focus on DEI actually gives her hope. Learn how from her S4 response. [#BestOfEquityChat](#) [@DrPamLuster](#) [@DrTammeil](#) [@lamkeithcurry](#) [@CollegeFutures](#) (1/2) <https://x.com/DrHarrisJay/status/1768078718885400896>

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Learn more from [@Dr.HarrisJay](#)'s full [#EquityChat](#) episode here (2/2): https://equityavengers.com/wp-content/uploads/2024/03/EACHAT_0313.pdf

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Civic Mapping Initiative [@leagueofcities](#) Program Director, [@mattcrespi](#)'s freedom dream involves no longer being dependent on the ability to afford or drive a personal vehicle. [#BestOfEquityChat](#) [@DrPamLuster](#) [@DrTammeil](#) [@lamkeithcurry](#) [@CollegeFutures](#) (1/2) <https://x.com/MattCrespi/status/1765554984953766020>

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Read [@mattcrespi](#)'s full [#EquityChat](#) episode here (2/2): https://equityavengers.com/wp-content/uploads/2024/03/EACHAT_0306.pdf

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Imagine a [#highered](#) landscape where joy & academic success are equally prioritized. We see your vision Dr. Iris Aguilar, [@FoundationCCC](#). [#BestOfEquityChat](#) [@DrPamLuster](#) [@DrTammeil](#) [@lamkeithcurry](#) [@CollegeFutures](#) (1/2) <https://x.com/FoundationCCC/status/1788370417323041160>

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Find more from Dr. Aguilar's ([@FoundationCCC](#)) full [#EquityChat](#) episode (2/2): https://equityavengers.com/wp-content/uploads/2024/05/EACHAT_0508.pdf

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Professor [@TyroneCHoward](#)'s freedom dream encapsulates the spirit behind [#racialequity](#). [#BestOfEquityChat](#) [@DrPamLuster](#) [@DrTammeil](#) [@lamkeithcurry](#) [@CollegeFutures](#) (1/2) <https://x.com/equityavengers/status/1793443843423301919>

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That's a wrap on S4's [#BestOfEquityChat](#)! TY for following us on this walk down memory lane & to all our S4 guests for sharing their nuggets of wisdom. [@DrPamLuster](#) [@DrTammeil](#) [@lamkeithcurry](#) [@collegefutures](#) (1/2)

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Join us again next week, same time same place, for our [#EquityChat](#) S5 kick-off ep with Dr. [@TincherLadner](#), President & CEO [@PHITHETAKAPPA](#). Until next time, [@DrPamLuster](#) [@DrTammeil](#) [@lamkeithcurry](#) [@equityavengers](#) OUT!