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# Gandhi 150

## Waging Action on Hate and Racism in Hamilton

McMaster Innovation Park

175 Longwood Rd S, Hamilton

Friday, October 4, 2019 | 8:30 am - 5:00 pm

The overarching goal of the Gandhi 150 conference on hate is to work with the diverse communities of Hamilton and region towards the realization of a culture of peace and inclusion, inspired by the Gandhian values of nonviolence, universal welfare and soul force (satyagraha). The conference will present a keynote speaker and panelists who will focus our thoughts on understanding and counteracting the current spread of the virus of hate, laying the groundwork for the workshop groups. These groups will share strategies on overcoming the explosion of hate with a view to building community solidarity and shared consciousness of the interconnectedness of all people.



Keynote Speaker:

**Dr. Barbara Perry**

Director, Centre on Hate, Bias and Extremism,  
University of Ontario Institute of Technology

Other participants include:



**Bernie Farber**,  
Chair, Canadian  
Anti-Hate Network



**Azeezah Kanji**,  
Director of  
Programming, Noor  
Cultural Centre



**Anthony Morgan**,  
Human Rights  
lawyer, Consultant,  
Confronting Anti-  
Black Racism, City  
of Toronto



**Shylo Elmayan**,  
Director, Indigenous  
student Services/  
former Project  
Manager, City of  
Hamilton Urban  
Indigenous Strategy



**Lenore Lukasik-  
Foss**, Director of  
Good Shepherd  
Barrett Centre for  
Crisis Support/former  
Director of SACHA  
(Sexual Assault Centre  
Hamilton & Area)



**Dr. Atif Kubursi**,  
President,  
Econometric Research  
Limited, former  
Acting Executive  
Secretary, United  
Nations Economic and  
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Conference organizer:

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