Course:
Racism and Justice Seminar

Professor:
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Course Materials:

Please see the Book List, published on the Registrar’s page.

Required Materials: There are two texts for this class:

   Format: Reflowable Enhanced Brief E-Book
   Available from $ 27.48 USD on VitalSource
   SKU: 9780190086282R180

   Format: Hardcopy and audiobook available from booksellers and libraries everywhere.

First Assignment:

1. Read: Golash-Boza text, pp. 1-32
2. Write: At the end of the chapter, on page 28, the text poses a reflection "Thinking about Racial Justice." Write a reflection of up to 2 pages that:
   a. describes your race, how you came to know it, and what it means in your everyday experience and sense of yourself
b. identifies proof that the racial identity most often ascribed to you or adopted by you is a social construction with political meanings, as opposed to a biological one

c. discusses why understanding your own (and perhaps your family's) experience of race more effectively might be important to racial justice work in the world today

Additional Notes:

Greetings, everyone! I'm glad you're here and look forward to working with you. I very much look forward to working with you this semester to increase our collective understanding about race and racism and the socio-legal struggle for racial justice in the United States. If you have any difficulty obtaining either of the required course materials, please let me know at rvmagee@usfca.edu.

Warmly wishing you well, and in deepest support,
Professor Magee