

FORUM ON PREVENTING YOUTH VIOLENCE
SATURDAY, APRIL 25, 2015
10 AM – 4 PM
ST. ELIZABETH'S AUDITORIUM

List of Panelists

Office of the Attorney General

1. Seema Gajwani, Special Counsel on Juvenile Justice Reform, Office of the Attorney General

Panel 1: Family and Community

2. Kiersten Stewart, Director of Public Policy and Advocacy, Futures Without Violence
3. Representative, Latin American Youth Center
4. Youth Representative, Latin American Youth Center
5. Ivan Cloyd, Member, Alliance of Concerned Men

Panel 2: Physical, Mental, and Behavioral Health

6. Ruby Gourdine, Professor, Howard University School of Social Work
7. Kristin Moore, Senior Scholar and Co-Director of Youth Development, Child Trends
8. Philip J. Leaf, Director, Johns Hopkins Center for Prevention of Youth Violence
9. Representative, Department of Behavioral Health

Panel 3: Economic Opportunity

10. Deborah Shore, Executive Director, Sasha Bruce Youthwork
11. Youth Representative, Sasha Bruce Youthwork
12. Representative, D.C. Peace Team
13. Representative, Office of Youth Programs, Department of Employment Services

Panel 4: National Approaches

14. Brandon Scott, Councilmember, Baltimore City Council, 2nd District
15. Seema Sadanandan, Program Director, ACLU-NCA
16. Marc Schindler, Executive Director, Justice Policy Institute
17. Jessica Ann Mitchell, Black Women for Positive Change

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Panel 5: Juvenile Justice, Part I

- 18. Sloan Baxter, Youth Advocate, Boys Town
- 19. Sarah Maentz, Program Support Specialist, Boys Town
- 20. Jessica Sandoval, Vice President and Deputy Director, Campaign for Youth Justice
- 21. Juan Peterson, Member, Free Minds Book Club

Panel 6: Juvenile Justice, Part II

- 22. Tyrone Parker, Executive Director & Founder, Alliance of Concerned Men
- 23. Dontae McCoy, Member, Alliance of Concerned Men
- 24. Daniel Okonkwo, Executive Director, D.C. Lawyers for Youth
- 25. Clinton Lacey, Director, Department for Youth Rehabilitation Services

Panel 7: Education, Part I

- 26. Lyn Twyman, CEO, LASERS, Inc.
- 27. Robyn Lingo, Deputy Director, For Love of Children
- 28. Sarah Comeau, Deputy Director & Co-Founder, School Justice Project
- 29. M.J. Park, Executive Director, Little Friends for Peace

Panel 8: Education, Part II

- 30. Franklyn Malone, CEO, 100 Fathers, Inc.
- 31. Tarek Maassarani, D.C. Alliance for Restorative Practices
- 32. Gabriel Benn, Educator & Youth Advocate
- 33. Student, Ballou High School