The Third Annual Cincinnati Project Symposium

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Friday, February 17, 2017
8:30 AM – 2:30 PM
African American Cultural & Resource Center
(60 West Charlton Street)

“Taking a Stand: Anti-Black Racism and Coalitional Politics”

Keynote address by Dr. Patricia Hill Collins at 1:00 P.M.


Dr. Collins is a distinguished professor at the University of Maryland. She is also the Charles Phelps Taft Emeritus Professor of Sociology within the Department of African American Studies at the University of Cincinnati. She is a social theorist whose research and scholarship have examined issues of race, gender, social class, sexuality and nation. She is the author of the critically acclaimed books *Black Feminist Thought: Knowledge, Consciousness, and the Politics of Empowerment* (1990) and *Black Sexual Politics: African Americans, Gender, and the New Racism* (2005). She is the co-editor of *Race, Class, and Gender: An Anthology* (2013). Professor Collins’s research interests include the epistemologies of intersectionality and emancipatory knowledges (like critical race theory, nationalism or feminism), as well as situating the social experiences of African American youth within global social inequalities, capitalist development, transnationalism, and political activism.