Led by experts in the field, CUNY Faculty Diversity Dialogues are forums for CUNY administration, staff, and faculty to build awareness around a range of issues related to diversity, equity, and inclusion.

This series will provide a forum for discussion focused on matters of inclusion, implicit bias, intercultural communications, and efforts to increase diversity through faculty and staff recruitment, retention, and advancement in the workplace. These workshops are intended to support and encourage the participation of CUNY Faculty, Chief Diversity Officers, Deans, Search Committee Chairs, Provosts, Administrators, and College Presidents.

The Inclusive Academy: Achieving Diversity and Excellence  
Invited Speaker: Dr. Virginia Valian  
September 26, 2017  
Central Office  
1pm-4pm

Dr. Virginia Valian is Distinguished Professor of Psychology at Hunter College and is a member of the doctoral faculty of Psychology, Linguistics, and Speech-Language-Hearing Sciences at the CUNY Graduate Center. She is co-founder and director of Hunter’s Gender Equity Project, which has been funded by NSF, NIH, and the Sloan Foundation. She is director of the Language Acquisition Research Center. Dr. Valian will present on her forthcoming book, "The Inclusive Academy: Achieving Diversity and Excellence," (MIT) and facilitate the dialogue.

Upcoming Dialogues

Implicit Bias and Microaggressions Roundtable/ Workshop  
Invited Speaker: Dr. Kevin Nadal  
October 24, 2017  
Central Office  
9am-12pm

Intercultural Communication Roundtable/ Workshop  
Invited Speaker: Dr. Deidre Cooper Owens  
November 27, 2017  
Central Office  
1pm-4pm

*Meetings are open to CUNY faculty, staff and, administrators. Registration is required via Eventbrite. For more information, please contact ORD@cuny.edu.