

# OLD PARKLAND CONFERENCE

MAY 12–14, 2022 | DALLAS, TEXAS

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THURSDAY, MAY 12

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4:00 p.m. Registration Opens

5:00–5:45 p.m. Welcome Reception

6:00–7:45 p.m. Dinner and Opening Remarks

### **Keynote Speech**

- ❖ Jason Riley, Senior Fellow, Manhattan Institute

7:45–8:30 p.m. Starlight Chat

### **The Fairmont Conference: Four Decades Later**

- ❖ Glenn Loury, Professor of Economics, Brown University; Distinguished Visiting Fellow, Hoover Institution; Senior Fellow, Manhattan Institute
- ❖ Jason Riley, Senior Fellow, Manhattan Institute
- ❖ Ian Rowe, Senior Fellow, American Enterprise Institute
- ❖ Shelby Steele, Robert J. and Marion E. Oster Senior Fellow, Hoover Institution

FRIDAY, MAY 13

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8:00 a.m. Breakfast Opens

8:30–9:00 a.m. Keynote Speech

### **Why Does Racial Inequality Persist?**

- ❖ Glenn Loury, Professor of Economics, Brown University; Distinguished Visiting Fellow, Hoover Institution; Senior Fellow, Manhattan Institute

9:15–10:15 a.m. Panel Discussion

### **Black Education: Myths and Tragedies—Why Achievement Gaps Persist**

- ❖ Kevin Chavous, President, Stride K12
- ❖ Eric Hanushek, Paul and Jean Hanna Senior Fellow, Hoover Institution
- ❖ James Heckman, Henry Schultz Distinguished Service Professor of Economics, University of Chicago
- ❖ Reihan Salam, President, Manhattan Institute

10:30–11:30 a.m.

Panel Discussion

**The Economics and Politics of Race: What’s Driving Social Inequality in the 21st Century?**

- ❖ David Kaiser, Author, *No End Save Victory: How FDR Led the Nation into War*
- ❖ Glenn Loury, Professor of Economics, Brown University; Distinguished Visiting Fellow, Hoover Institution; Senior Fellow, Manhattan Institute
- ❖ Jason Riley, Senior Fellow, Manhattan Institute
- ❖ Tony Sewell, Chair, United Kingdom Commission on Racial and Ethnic Disparities

12:00–1:15 p.m.

Lunch and Keynote Speech

**The Shock of Freedom and the Reinvention of Racism**

- ❖ Shelby Steele, Robert J. and Marion E. Oster Senior Fellow, Hoover Institution

1:45–2:45 p.m.

Panel Discussion

**Race and Culture: How Skills, Values, and Attitudes Affect Upward Mobility**

- ❖ Anthony Bradley, Director, Center for the Study of Human Flourishing, The King’s College
- ❖ Craig Frisby, Professor Emeritus, University of Missouri
- ❖ Kay Hymowitz, William E. Simon Fellow, Manhattan Institute
- ❖ W. Bradford Wilcox, Director, National Marriage Project, University of Virginia; Nonresident Senior Fellow, American Enterprise Institute

3:00–4:00 p.m.

Panel Discussion

**Affirmative Action Reconsidered: Do Blacks Need Special Treatment to Succeed?**

- ❖ Gail Heriot, Professor of Law, University of California, San Diego; Member, US Commission on Civil Rights
- ❖ Mene Ukuemberuwa, Editorial Page Writer, *Wall Street Journal*
- ❖ Kenny Xu, President, Color Us United

4:00–6:00 p.m.

Break and Tours of Old Parkland

6:00–7:00 p.m.

Reception

7:00–8:45 p.m.

Dinner and Keynote Speech

**Keynote Speech**

- ❖ Hon. Clarence Thomas, Associate Justice, US Supreme Court

8:45–9:15 p.m.

Starlight Chat

**Reflections on the Path Forward for Americans**

- ❖ Hon. Clarence Thomas, Associate Justice, US Supreme Court
- ❖ John Yoo, Nonresident Senior Fellow, American Enterprise Institute; Visiting Fellow, Hoover Institution

SATURDAY, MAY 14

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7:30 a.m. Breakfast Opens

8:00–9:00 a.m. Panel Discussion

**Discrimination and Disparities: Is Policing a Bigger Problem Than Crime?**

- ❖ Janice Rogers Brown, Former Judge, United States Court of Appeals for the District of Columbia Circuit
- ❖ Roland Fryer, Professor of Economics, Harvard University
- ❖ Rafael Mangual, Head of Research, Policing & Public Safety, Manhattan Institute
- ❖ Jason Riley, Senior Fellow, Manhattan Institute

9:15–10:15 a.m. Panel Discussion

**Success on the Ground: How Local Leaders Are Reshaping Hearts, Minds, and Communities**

- ❖ Ron Anderson, Founder, Project Reclaim
- ❖ Sylvia Bennett-Stone, Director, Voices of Black Mothers United
- ❖ Jon Ponder, Founder and CEO, Hope for Prisoners
- ❖ Bettye Tyler, Founder, Marvellous Works
- ❖ Robert Woodson, Founder, Woodson Center

10:30–11:30 a.m. Keynote Speech and Panel Discussion

**Empowering the Rising Generation to Overcome the Victimhood Narrative**

- ❖ Ian Rowe, Senior Fellow, American Enterprise Institute

**Passing the Torch: How Do We Engage the Next Generation?**

- ❖ Ayaan Hirsi Ali, Founder, AHA Foundation; Research Fellow, Hoover Institution
- ❖ Wilfred Reilly, Assistant Professor, Kentucky State University
- ❖ Ian Rowe, Senior Fellow, American Enterprise Institute
- ❖ Delano Squires, Contributor, Blaze Media