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## **Champions Hold Chain Reaction**



On August 8th, The **WIE CHAMPIONS** held a **"Chain Reaction"** where each person shared the things in his life that formulated their initial prejudices toward people not like them and what they've done to change this attitude. The purpose of the **"Chain Reaction"** is for members of the group to get to know each other better and "get ahead of the curve" thus preventing the what happened in Charlottesville and other areas in the country". Comments from participants were things like "It made me feel uncomfortable but I found out that there were others who've had similar experiences", "Being able to share my experiences made me realize how far I've come toward be more acceptable of others", "I now have a bond and an appreciation of others of different cultures".

The 2+ hour session was moderated by Gwen Garnett, WIE COO and Program Coordinator. WIE's consultants are experts in conducting authentic and meaningful conversations that build trust across race and culture.

The Champions are the men's affiliate of WIE and support their mission of *"Building Trust Across Race and Culture"*. The group meets monthly for breakfast from 7:30 - 8:30 at The Mayobird on East Boulevard. Plan on attending the next meeting August 30th by registering [HERE](#). Consider supporting the Champions by making a donation below.



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