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Our Connecting Spaces: Mixed-Income Housing & Place-Based Initiatives

What builds community in place-based initiatives and mixed-income housing? What creates authentic relationships? What prevents them and why does it matter? On Oct. 26 at noon, we'll begin to unpack these questions in the first of our fall Schul Conversations, a part of the Schul Forum Series.

Place-based initiatives and mixed-income housing are widely seen as best practices in affordable housing and community development, and as key policy tools in efforts to deconcentrate poverty. However, this restructuring of neighborhoods, often in place of concentrated affordable or public housing, does not always lead to connections among neighbors. In some cases, it results in displacement of a community and its culture.

During this engaging conversation, we'll hear from panelist Mark Joseph, Ph.D., the founding director, National Initiative on Mixed Income Communities; Jack, Joseph and Morton Mandel School of Applied Social Sciences; Case Western Reserve University; Andrew Case, Ph.D., a Gambrell Faculty Fellow and UNC Charlotte associate professor of Psychological Science & Health Psychology; Tiffany Capers, executive director, CrossRoads Corporation; Julie Porter, executive director, DreamKey Partners; and moderator Byron White, Ed.D., associate provost for Urban Research and Community Engagement.

Join us at noon as we begin to explore the spaces where we connect in the Charlotte region and why our connecting matters for economic mobility. The

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Conversations and the <u>Chancellor's Speaker Series</u> will lead to the in-person Schul Forum on February 1, 2024.

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