

DEIA Information and Resources

SFZC Leadership, teachers, and groups

- [Solidarity and Allyship with Black Sangha Members as We Work Towards National Healing and Recovery](#) - June 2, 2021 / Statement from San Francisco Zen Center Leadership, in collaboration with the Central DEIA Committee and CAIC, which includes within it a list of related resources
- [Speaking Out Against Anti-Asian Violence](#) – March 10, 2021 / Statement from San Francisco Zen Center Leadership, in collaboration with the Central DEIA Committee and CAIC, which includes within it a list of related resources
 - [Poll: 1 out of 4 Asian Americans has experienced a hate incident](#) – The different ways hate is experienced: Survey of 16,336 U.S. adults, March 18 – 25, 2021
- [Statement on the January 6, 2021, Attack on the US Congress](#) from SF Zen Center Leadership
- [Statement from San Francisco Zen Center's Spiritual Leadership](#) – June 1, 2020; opens with "The spiritual leadership of San Francisco Zen Center stands with the families and communities of George Floyd, Breonna Taylor, Ahmaud Arbery, and the countless other Black lives lost to the systemic racist violence endemic to American society." Also posted on [SFZC's Facebook page](#) for June 1, 2020, with comments and responses.
- The SFZC Dharma App has a [Social/Racial Justice](#) category with talks from SFZC and invited teachers, including BIPOC teachers
- [Resources for Understanding and Dismantling Racism and White Supremacy](#) from the SFZC Unpacking Whiteness group

SFZC Recommended and endorsed

- [Racial Equity Tools website](#)
 - [Racial Equity Tools \(RET\) Sitemap](#) lists resources on 98 individual Category pages organized into four major sections or "rooms": Fundamentals, Plan, Act, and Evaluate
 - [Transforming White Privilege](#)
 - [ANTI-ASIAN VIOLENCE RESOURCES](#)
- The [SZBA DEIA Online Resource page](#) is a collection of books, articles, and other media, from which you can draw to educate yourself and your community about DEIA. Available as [a PDF](#) with clickable links or as [a Word document](#)

- The Central DEIA committee endorses this [call to action on systemic racism from the Soto Zen Buddhist Association](#), which committee member Tova Green co-authored
- Dr. Ann Gleig's keynote address, "[Undoing Whiteness in American Buddhist Modernism](#)", at the 2018 SZBA Conference addressing the issue of the Absolute & the Relative and how that relates to racism
- Resources for [white people, for men](#), and [on disability and ableism](#) from East Bay Meditation Center