

The Center for Research on Educational Equity, Assessment and Teaching Excellence, UC San Diego

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We at UC San Diego CREATE echo the critical voices lifted by our campus' community centers and institutional leaders (<https://ucsdnews.ucsd.edu/pressrelease/statement-on-george-floyd-breonna-taylor-and-ahmaud-arbery>), condemning the brutal murders of Black people at the hands of police and the devastating disproportionate impact of this pandemic on communities of color in our region and nationwide. We also condemn powerful speakers in this nation who have threatened non-white groups and spread misinformation in this crisis, harming our collective public health.

This moment in our history asks each of us to consider how we will join efforts to address these crises in our region and nation.

We recommit ourselves to a battle against racism, xenophobia, and all "isms" treating Black people, Latinx people, Asian people, Native American people, or any group as "less than" in any form.

We recommit ourselves to a rejection of white supremacy, meaning that we reject any treatment of "white people" as "more than," instead of just equally human.

In our daily work to #CREATEequity at CREATE, we refuse racism on the street, in schools, and everywhere in our society.

We seek to help build a society where all people are treated as equally valuable. We are here for all in our community who need us. Reach out at create@ucsd.edu.

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