

Posters from Listening Session

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- My black brother was kicked off campus without a fair trial.
- My Latina based sorority was invited to a social with a frat and they made racist remarks about our food, drinks and music.
- When I tell you it's racist, don't second guess me.
- The conversation may have started with a video, but it means so much more to different people and their cultures. #voicesofthevoiceless
- I've been told that I need to speak English.
- You want my culture but not my struggle.
- I have been singled out by professors for my ethnicity for them to make a point.
- A guest speaker in WU101 called me out because I told her I'm from Mexico.
- Students at Washburn call other students the N-word and call Mexicans wetbacks.
- Washburn does not address any of the racism on campus. It has always been swept under the rug.
- Just because I choose to wear my hair natural, that isn't invitation to touch it.
- I have to work 10 times harder than my peers.
- My religion isn't scary!
- A professor saying students with low ACT scores should not have the same opportunities as other students.
- I was asked where I was really from after I said Topeka because I'm Mexican.
- While discussing what being transgender means, a man said it was a mental illness. We had a transgender classmate.
- Having a professor say you're at risk to fail because they think you don't understand English.
- I was attacked by a student for wearing Jilbab on my way to campus.
- I have to work 10x harder than my peers.
- Please address me by my correct pronouns.
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- I was told by faculty to stay silent about the adversity I've faced on campus.
- I was pulled over by WUPO and I was harassed and then accused of having drugs because of my skin color. I'm an athlete.
- I've been asked if my parents are citizens of this country.
- My interest group went to a formal where the two groups said the n-word. We reported it and haven't heard anything back.
- I am NOT your token black student.
- I've been told that I over exaggerated my experience of racism to get attention.
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- I reported a sexual assault by another woman and the Title IX Director asked if I had a voluntary lesbian experience and suddenly regretted it.
- I didn't come to class after the campaign Punish Muslims Day. I went to admin and they said they couldn't say anything about it.