



# THE CONVENING

## Journey Towards Liberation

February 23 - 24, 2024

Husky Union Building (HUB)  
University of Washington  
Seattle, WA

The Convening is a BIPOC-led, two-day gathering dedicated to providing the tools and community to thrive, connect, develop partnerships, and advocate for liberatory practices in education.

This event is open to BIPOC Educators and all leaders in education.

### Be Part of The Convening!

Register early to enjoy a discounted price of \$150. Group discount is available for groups of 5 or more.



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## Keynote Speaker



### Ruha Benjamin

Professor, Department of  
African American Studies, Princeton University  
Author, *Viral Justice:*  
*How We Grow The World We Want*

## Educators as Imagination Incubators: Possibilities & Practices Toward Liberatory Education

A world without prisons? **Ridiculous.**  
Schools that foster the genius of every child? **Impossible.**  
A society where everyone has food, shelter, love?  
**In your dreams. Exactly.**

In this Keynote, Ruha Benjamin will take us into the liberating power of the imagination. Let's explore the possibilities and practices required to imagine and create more just and habitable worlds of learning and being.

## About Network For EdWork

TAF's Network for EdWork (NWEW) develops collaborative partnerships with and among districts, schools, higher education, nonprofits, and government to close gaps in recruitment, encourage retention, develop internal and external competencies, and foster the promotion of BIPOC educators and education leaders in order to become more representative of their student populations. Supporting and connecting BIPOC educators and leaders is essential to creating education spaces where students of color - and thereby all students - thrive.