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## **Join the Women's Inter-Cultural Exchange for a Cross-Cultural Conversation to Help Build Trust Across Race and Culture...One Conversation at a Time**

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Trust -- placing confidence in someone or something -- is a relative easy concept to imagine but a much more difficult one to achieve, particularly among groups with a history of distrust, inequality and racial animus. If Charlotte is truly to become a model of the New South, a thriving community which embraces diversity and confronts the obstacles to social mobility, we must begin to engage in intentional, honest dialogue about race and injustice -- the hard work necessary to build long-term trusting relationships and a more inclusive community.

WIE's Cross-Cultural Conversations platform is designed to facilitate these discussions in intentionally constructed groups of 8-12 participants. Participants will engage with "others," those different from the friends and family with whom we typically interact in our homes and neighborhoods, places of work, and houses of worship. Through the sharing of personal stories and experiences, participants can begin to dismantle stereotypes, bridge differences and, ultimately, build trust.

We are forming groups now for our 2019 CCC series and encourage you to join the conversation. Your voice and perspective are welcomed and needed. Simply click the link below to sign up today. And please feel free to forward this email to friends and colleagues you think may be interested in being part of this important movement across Charlotte.

If you have questions or need any additional information, you can reach us by email at [wie@wi-ce.org](mailto:wie@wi-ce.org) or by telephone at 980.355.7000.

Sincerely,

The WIE Cross-Cultural Conversations Committee

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