THE UCI DEPARTMENT OF AFRICAN AMERICAN STUDIES AND DEPARTMENT OF ART HISTORY PRESENT

## **GEORGE FLOYD AND ANTI-RACIST** STREET ART

Join us for a webinar with the creators of the George Floyd and Anti-Racist Street Art Project in the Twin Cities, Todd Lawrence and Heather M. Shirev.

> TUESDAY, MAY 25TH 2021 11 AM - 12:20 PM

RSVP Link: http://bit.ly/GeorgeFloydAnti-RacistStreetArt

## MAPPING GEORGE FLOYD AND ANTI-RACIST STREET ART-

Artists and writers producing work in the streets – including tags, graffiti, murals, stickers, and other installations on walls, pavement, and signs - are in a unique position to respond quickly and effectively in a moment of crisis. Street art's ephemeral nature serves to reveal very immediate and sometimes fleeting responses, often in a manner that can be raw and direct. At the same time, in the context of a crisis, street art also has the potential to transform urban space and foster a sustained political dialogue, reaching a wide audience and making change possible.



George Floyd & Anti-Racist Street Art

Nicky Davis, "Black Lives Matter," George Floyd & Anti-Racist Street Art.