## DAVIC COCHRAN



WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 21, 2024 11:00am - NOON

SPECIAL PRESENTATION:

"The Language of the Unheard: The Persistence of Racism in Post-Civil Rights Era America"

IVEY & TARVIN @ JALC CONFERENCE CENTER
Free & Open to the Public!

## **ABOUT DAVID COCHRAN & "THE LANGUAGE OF THE UNHEARD"**

Six decades after the Civil Rights movement brought an end to legal discrimination based on race, African Americans continue to lag behind whites in virtually every metric, including income and wealth, health care, education, housing, and civil rights, while they are disproportionately the targets of law enforcement and incarceration. Such realities have deep roots in American history and remain embedded in our society despite all our efforts to make the law colorblind.

Dr. David Cochran has taught American history at John A. Logan College since 2001. His book America Noir: Underground Writers and Filmmakers of the Postwar Era was nominated for the Bancroft Award as the year's best book in American History.

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