



**El Camino College
Community Education**

AND SOCIAL JUSTICE CENTER

AGEISM AWARENESS WEEK

#agefriendlyvibes #talkaboutageism

**El Camino College celebrates
Ageism Awareness Day with a
series of events October 3-5.**



What is Ageism? Ageism is form of discrimination based on age. It affects people of all ages and it can have serious negative impacts on a person's self-esteem, ability to find employment, and overall quality of life.



TALK w/USC Gerontology Professor Dr. Paul Nash: Combatting Ageism: An Intersectional Perspective

Tuesday, October 3, 2023 @ Zoom / 12:00 – 1:00pm

Meeting URL:

<https://elcamino-edu.zoom.us/j/81997199226?from=addon>

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We are all ageing. As we grow old we are likely to experience ageism regardless of our gender, race, sexuality or other characteristics. Dr Nash explores the hidden nature of ageism and the impacts it has on our lives and what we can do to change the story.

Presenter: Dr. Paul Nash CPsychol AFBPsS FHEA, Instructional Professor at Leonard Davis School of Gerontology, University of Southern California.



FILM: Gen Silent, The LGBT Aging Documentary

In partnership with the LGBTQIA+ PRIDE Center

**Wednesday, October 4, 2023 @ Social Justice Center Lounge
12:00 – 1:30pm**

Gay, Lesbian, Bisexual and Transgender older people who fought the first battles for equality now face so much fear of religious objection, bullying, and abuse, that many are hiding their identities. Thousands are dying earlier than their straight counterparts because of added isolation and fear. This critically acclaimed documentary about LGBTQ older people going back into the closet to survive an often hostile care system.



FILM: Golden: The End of Ageism

**Thursday, October 5 @ Social Juice Center
12:00 pm – 1:30 pm**

The Last Acceptable Bias! We've made progress with the other 'isms' (racism, sexism) but ageism is still OK. Why? After all, not one of us is getting any younger. Yet the damaging stereotypes persist... in the workplace, healthcare, media and beyond. For minorities, age bias is discrimination "double jeopardy." There is a growing global movement to end age bias and reawaken the joys of getting older. Golden: the End of Ageism explores this new frontier in civil rights.