



# Spring 2021 Workshops

F.I.R.S.T invites you to attend our Fall workshops aimed at understanding our students as well as becoming an ally to them!

These sessions are meant for engagement and connecting you to resources and approaches to help our FIRST students continue to be successful. .



*I don't think I understood the full extent of the trauma experienced by people who churn through America's prisons until I began taking the time to listen to their stories.*

- Michelle Alexander

## Student Support Expo – March 2<sup>nd</sup>

### FIRST Info Session

Zoom 1:00 pm – 2:00 pm

- Come learn about FIRST and all the services we provide for students who have been system impacted!

## FITE Documentary Film Screening – March 10<sup>th</sup>

Via Zoom 5:30 pm – 7:00 pm

- FIRST is glad to present the FITE team and their documentary which was shot and filmed specifically with an audience of the currently incarcerated in mind. It will engage and guide the viewer, directly connecting them to beneficial programs and resources available. There will be a Q&A session after the screening with various members of the documentary as well as some FIRST students answering questions on their experiences within education and beyond.

## FIRST Ally Training – March 26<sup>th</sup>

Via Zoom 12:00 pm - 3 pm

- FIRST is glad to partner with The **Breaking Bars Community Network** to bring the Liberating Scholars Educational Training to El Camino College! This ally training is for student workers, staff, faculty, and administrators to expand our ability to work with and better support our students impacted by incarceration. The training includes testimonials, a language guide, historical background on the PIC's connection to education, statistics, policies, community resources, reenactment scenarios and more!

## Campus Wide FIRST Dialogue Session – April 10<sup>th</sup>

Via Zoom 1:00 pm – 2:00 pm

- We will provide platform for formerly incarcerated and system-impacted students to speak on their experiences, while addressing systematic barriers they may be facing and how we can become allies in their success.