

Congress Advisory Committee on Equity, Diversity, Inclusion and Decolonization (EDID)



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Dr. Wesley Crichlow is a Critical Race Scholar and Professor in the Faculty of Social Science and Humanities at Ontario Tech University. He is a member of the Federation and the Board Lead, Equity, Diversity, and Inclusion for the Federation for the Humanities and Social Sciences. He is also an expert member on:

- Dimensions Charter Program on Equity, Diversity and Inclusion (EDI) in collaboration with NSERC, CIHR and SSHRC;
- Public Health Agency of Canada National Working Group;
- Mental Health of Black Canadians;
- City of Toronto Partnership and Accountability Circle, of the Confronting Anti-Black Racism Unit;
- The 100th meeting of the Canadian Institutes of Health Research (CIHR);
- Canada's Federal Funding Agency for Health Research;
- Health Inequalities Among Sexual and Gender Minorities in Canada;
- Tri-agencies: the Canadian Institutes of Health Research (CIHR), the Natural Sciences and Engineering Research Council of Canada (NSERC) and the Social Sciences and Humanities Research Council of Canada (SSHRC);

 Ontario Anti-Racism: Human Services and Justice Coordinating Committees (HSJCCs), to support the implementation of the Ontario government's policy framework (1997) for people who come into contact with the justice system and who have needs which can be met by one or more of the provincial human services systems.

Dr. Crichlow published the first Black gay scholarly book in Canada on the lives of Black Gay Men titled "Buller Men and Batty Bwoys: Hidden Men In Toronto's & Halifax Black Communities", and is currently investigating the experiences of Black GBTQ and MSM and Reentry. The overarching goal of this project is to produce, for the first time in Canada, a comprehensive and critical analysis of how Black GBTQ men and MSM fare within Canadian carceral institutions.