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## Black History Month in October

As we acknowledge the Black History Month in October, three events will take place which are described in more detail in the following as well as the Black History Month itself. Importantly, here are also some relevant terms listed with explanations.

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## 26.10.22 "Spaces that were not meant for me." - Exclusionary, racialized Spaces in Switzerland (EN)



A public webinar lecture will be held about Whitened spaces and especially Whitened institutions such as universities in Switzerland. This lecture is about how such spaces are constructed and perpetuated, how they create exclusions and what can be done against those exclusions. The social scientist Danielle Isler shares her expertise regarding inclusion and

diversity in academia and gives insights of her research. +++ This event has already taken place. +++

## 01.11.22 "How could I have acted?" – Allyship Workshop (EN)



Online allyship-workshop with Danielle Isler for ETH members self-identifying as White who are not experiencing racism themselves and who are or want to become allies facing racism. In accordance with our current Respect Campaign and its slogan ("Put a full stop when others don't.") we will discuss and analyze how, where and when allies should advocate. This is a braver space for White people who do not experience racism themselves

to reflect on their experiences with racism, their identity and behaviour. +++ This event has already taken place. +++

## 02.11.22 "If I had known that..." - Empowerment Workshop (EN)



This online workshop is about empowering BIPoC. The digital Space will be created to be as 'safe' as possible for BIPoC who experience racism. A space in which all participants can express themselves and be heard. A space with compassion and encouragement, in which internalized, harmful beliefs can be challenged and courageously unlearned. Knowledge can create change, healing, self-confidence, and empowerment. +++ This

event has already taken place. +++