

Because We're Dads: Reaching and Mobilizing Father's to Promote Gender Equality

Panel discussion and Community Conversation

Dads Promoting Gender Equality

Description

A panel conversation for the community the roles of dads (of daughters *and* of sons) in promoting gender equality.

Sample Introduction:

Gender equality is a huge social issue across the globe and in New York. Gender inequality affects us all. For men, this is particularly nuanced and complex because men both benefit from gender inequality, and experience negative consequences. Men in general, and fathers in particular, are most often missing and missed from efforts to achieve gender equality. The purpose of this panel discussion is to explore the particular roles of fathers in advancing efforts to promote gender equality.

In this panel, we'll be exploring both how gender inequality impacts on men and fathers, and the ways that fathers can actively work to effectively support efforts to achieve gender equality.

Suggested Questions:

- 1) How does being a father impact how you have viewed gender equality?
- 2) What support do you need to raise your child in a gender equitable way?
- 3) How can dads promote gender equality?
- 4) What barriers do you see for dads who might wish to support gender equality more broadly?
- 5) What other thoughts do you have?