GIVING BACK THE PROBLEM

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[Umöja Community Logo]
Ground Rules
Who is the problem?

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Reflection
1. How have our students internalized themselves as the problem?

2. What have you seen and heard from students in their actions or words?

3. How have our institutions “niggered” our students?
Building student leadership gives the institution their problem back by using leadership to empower the greater community, particularly in our case, the black community.
Umoja Student Leadership

- Based on the Umoja practices of:
  - Live Learning
  - Ethic of Love
  - Community Building
  - Manifesting
  - Power Base
6-Point Plan

1. Identify the Problem
2. Pass the Baton
3. Assess & Calibrate
4. Strategize & Opt-In
5. Rally Support
6. Take Action
Black Academic Alliance of Dynamic Leaders
Sample Strategies

- Dual Commitment: partnership with faculty
- Study Groups: occupy study spaces and study together
- Leadership Course: curricularizing their activities
- Documentary: share student voices
- Thursday/Friday Night Live: regularly host social events and activities to engage students
Student Voices

- AMAN/ AWOMAN – Chaffey College
- DEAL – Chabot College
practice

Now, it's your turn to practice