

Jade Byard Peek

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About Jade

Jade is a young Afro-L'nu trans woman, artist, educator and community advocate originally from Kijipuktuk, Mi'kma'ki (Halifax, Nova Scotia). She currently is the Director of Operations at Kind Space, a 2SLGBTQIA+ Centre in Ottawa. Since attending NSCAD University for Art History, Jade has been honored to present at conferences and universities across Canada discussing various topics; many of which include intercultural dialogue, social mutualism and intersectional praxis.

Jade strives to create gentle, pragmatic, but rigorous points of entry to EDI through workshops, tool-kits, seminars, or curatorial endeavors such as Trans-Fest, Sanfo-Fest, We are the Griots, and BIPOC BUS. Jade is only turning the wheel that has always been turned by those who came before her; and she hopes she can be part of a solution where justice, stability and equity can exist without the perpetuation of false dichotomies.



Expertise

- EDI
- Trans & 2SLGBTQ+ Rights
- Black Canadian History/Liberation
- Social Mutualism (In the workplace; In the Executive; In the Community)
- Intersectionality in Practice
- 2SLGBTQIA+ GBV Prevention

Book Jade

Jade is available for keynote speeches, workshops and panels.



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Past Speaking Engagements

- Creating spaces for intersectional, anti-oppressive research and pathways to solutions through workshops, academic and community seminars, and creative spaces such as:
 - Black Lit
 - Trans-Fest
 - We are the Griots
 - BIPOC BUS
- I have spoken at several events in different formats that span:
 - Conferences
 - Podcasts
 - Off-shot panels
 - Keynotes
 - Guest lectures

