

If you haven't had a chance to click on the QR Code that's posted around the room, please do so. It will link to the trailer of one of our documentaries that in a minute and a half will show you in visuals the heart of our trilogy of films that my husband and I produced for national PBS about our home city of Newark, NJ.

Barbara invited me here tonight to introduce you to those films which you can host in your work place. Our 3 films are called the 3Rs Trilogy because their titles all begin with the letter R and because they're primers to understanding our city's history, as a microcosm for cities worldwide, and they present solutions.

I've lived in Newark my entire life and our city has big problems with intergenerational poverty, crime, poor educational performance, high unemployment, and racism that impacts our quality of life, education, welfare and sustainability.

Our documentaries offer concrete solutions to these inner city problems via the voices of our community, activists, historians, educators, economists, physicians, law enforcement and the media.

I'm happy to say that they're being used by Executives like yourselves who've hosted them in their corporations.

When a corporation hosts us, we show the film and then have a talkback. Immersing audiences in important social justice issues, followed by question and answer talkbacks, is essential.

Using these films in the corporate environment helps build a community of employees who care about reducing racism and intergenerational poverty. The films offer examples of pro bono work and volunteerism that anyone can do. There are companion film guides available that are used in education and in community activism.

We've brought the films to global leaders in a ready-to-go turnkey program that is virtual or in person.

So, let me tell you briefly about the films so you can understand the Trailer: REVOLUTION '67, THE RULE, RUST (Library of Congress, TedTalk, PBS, kanopy)