

# Building Bridges VI Institute:

A Diversity Unconference

October 7, 2016 | 9AM-4PM

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St. James Episcopal Church  
**Michaux House**  
1133 W. Franklin Street  
Richmond, Virginia



# AGENDA

**8:15 - 9:00** Registration and Refreshments (Fagan Parlor)

**9:00 - 10:00** Welcome and Address on Trauma Peer Support Systems  
(*Cecily Rodriguez and Cameron Macauley*) (Valentine Hall)

**10:00 - 12:15** Keynote Panel (Valentine Hall)

- Side by Side/ROSMY (*Ted Lewis*)
  - Hope in the Cities/Initiatives of Change (*Rob Corcoran*)
  - VCU Division of Inclusive Excellence (*Dr. Kevin Allison*)
- >> 10 min break
- Peace Education Center (*Beth Bark*)
  - Virginia Center for Inclusive Communities (*Charm Bullard*)
  - Virginia Department of Education (*Dr. Vivian Stith-Williams*)

**12:15 - 1:00** Lunch (Valentine Hall)

**1:00 - 3:30** Building Bridges Peer Sessions

Participant driven sessions featuring informal exchanges of information, peer to peer learning, collaboration and creativity.

Each attendee rotates to three 45 minute sessions (1:00 – 1:45; 1:55 – 2:40; 2:45 – 3:30)

- Building Bridges with Law Enforcement - Virginia State Police  
(*Senior Special Agent Jeff Zirkle*) (room 306)

- Trust Building through Honest Conversations – Hope in the Cities/ Initiatives of Change (*Rob Corcoran & Anjum Ali*) (room 304)
- Involving the Uninvolved – Virginia Center for Inclusive Communities (*Charm Bullard*) (room 308)
- Youth Leadership: Disability Inclusion Project – VA Department of Education (*Martha Hicks, Matthew Shapiro, Jack Brandt*) (room 302)
- Diversity and Inclusion in Higher Education - VCU Division of Inclusive Excellence (*Dr. Kevin Allison*) (Valentine Hall)

**3:30 - 4:00**      Next Steps (*Dana Yarbrough and Katherine Lawson*)  
(Valentine Hall)

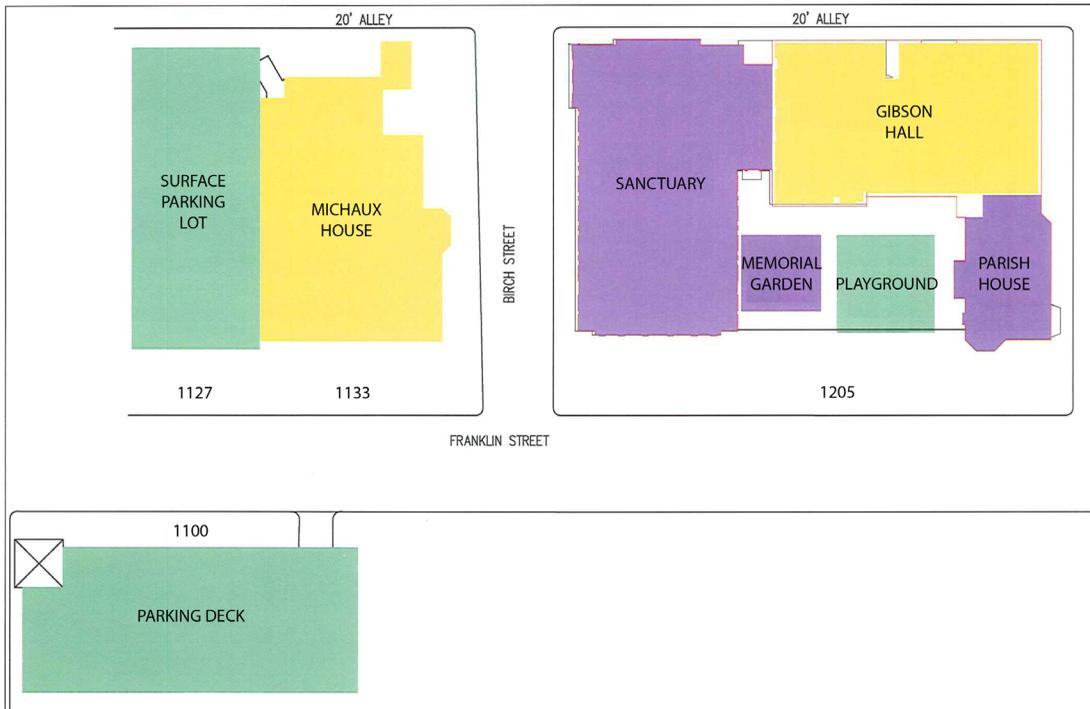
**4:00**              Event ends



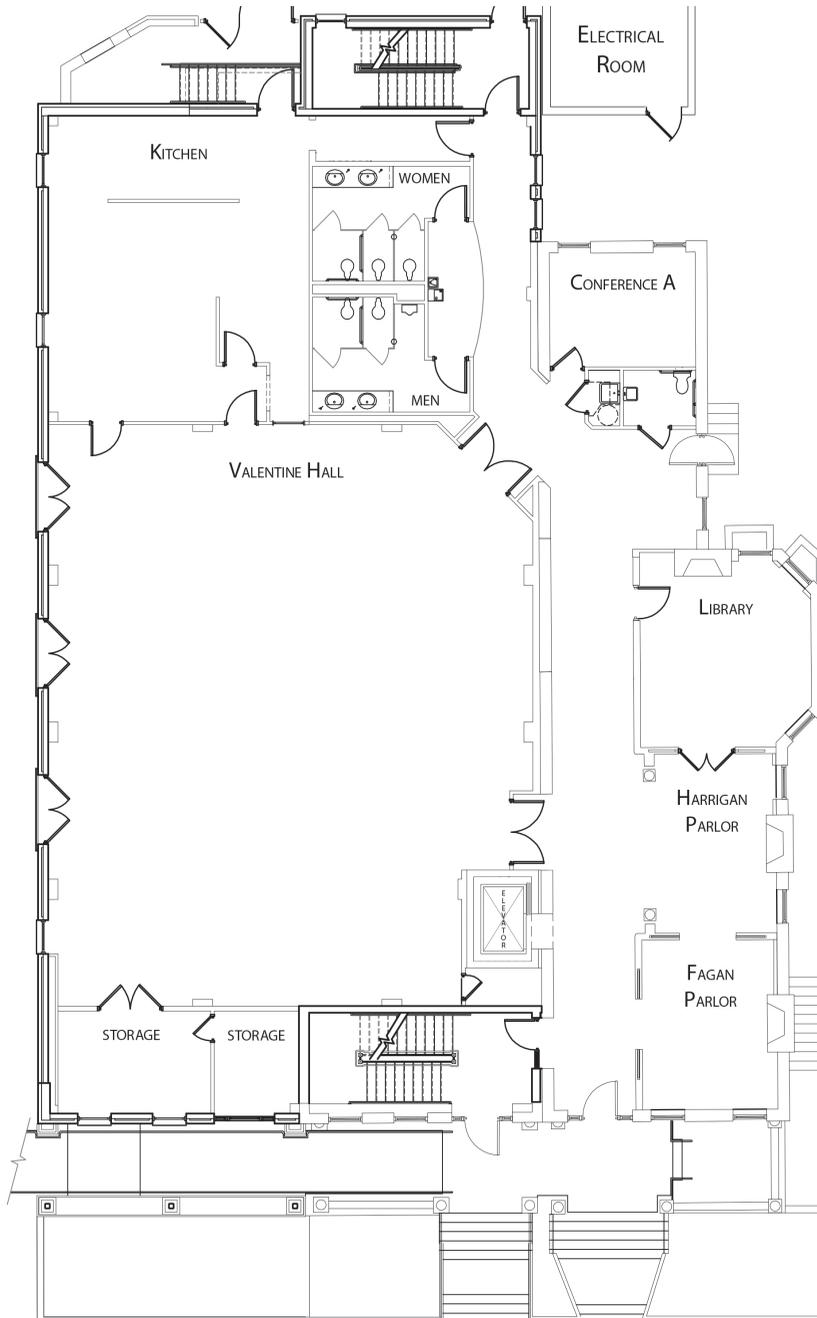
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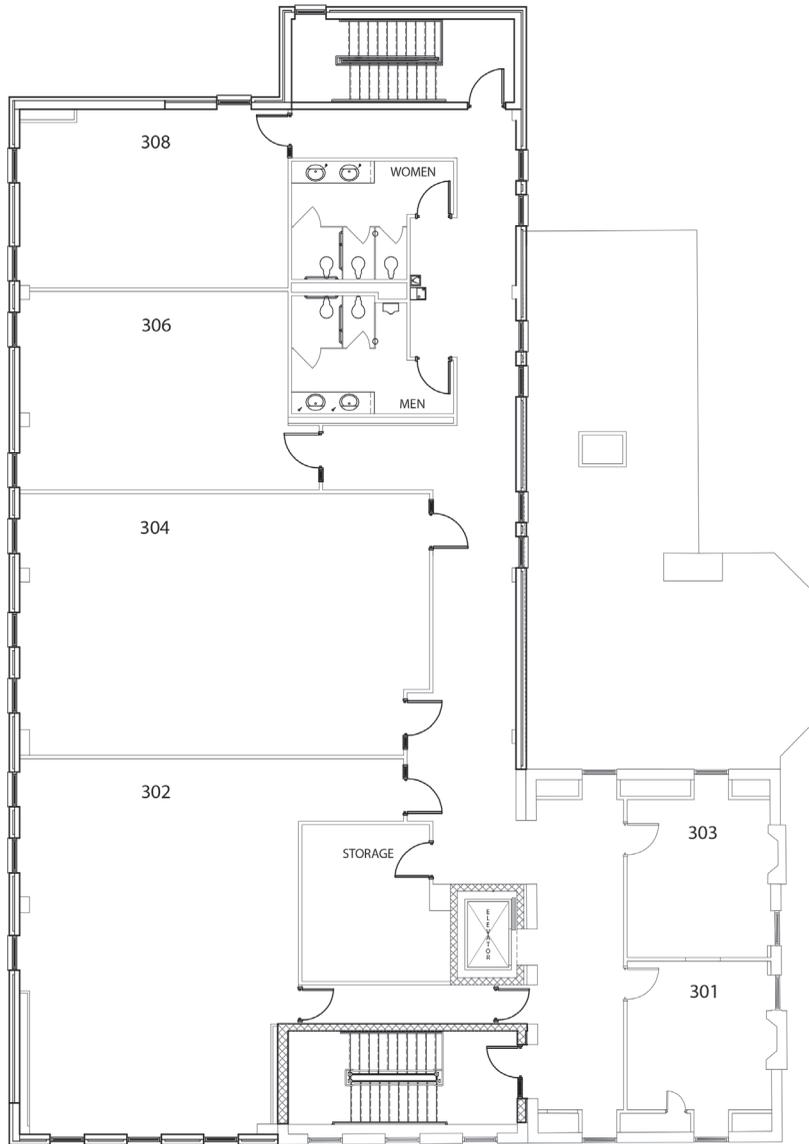
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# The Michaux House: 1st Floor



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