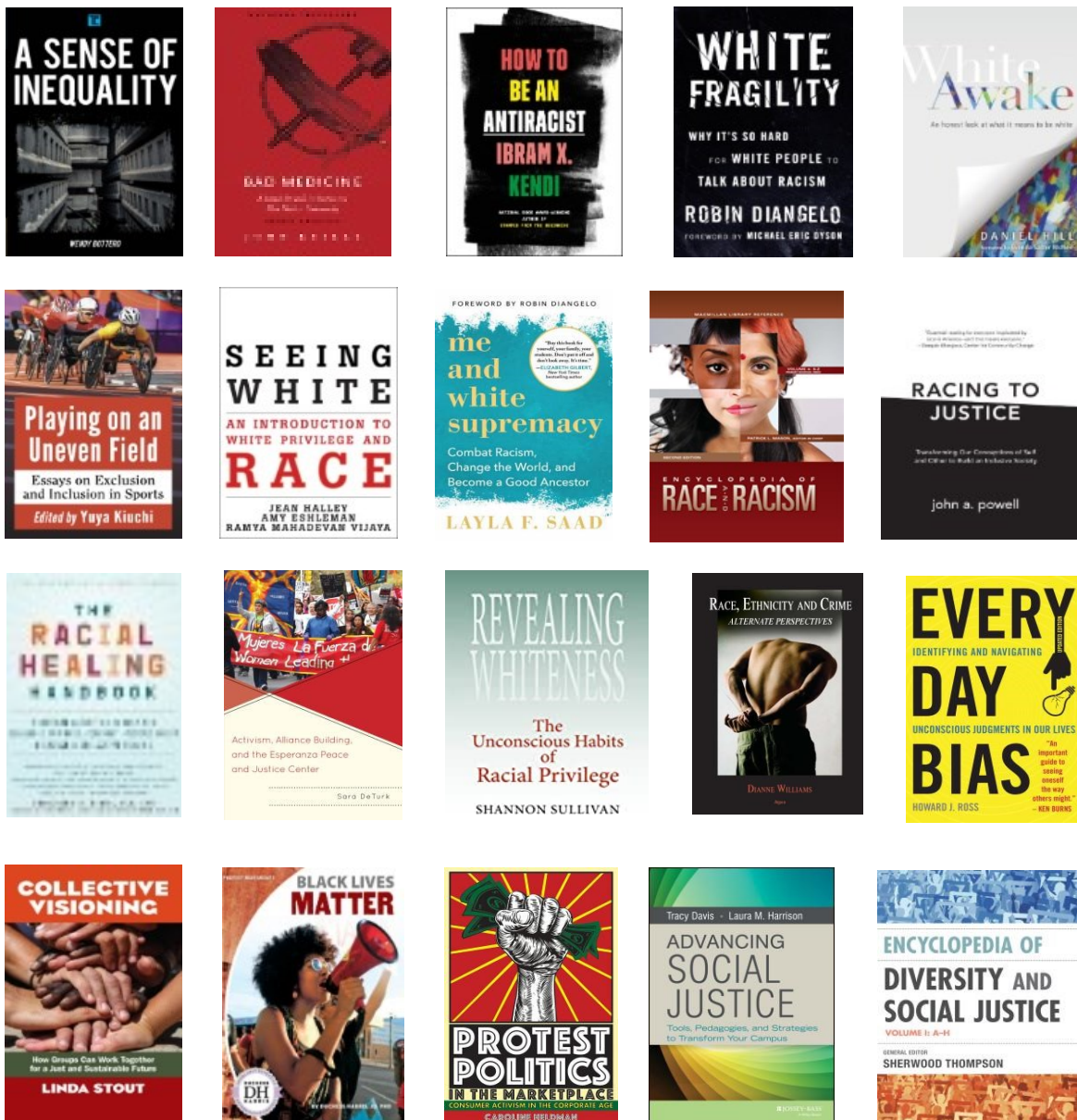


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Civil disobedience	Human rights	Poverty	Social Class
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Civil rights	Inclusive democracy	Prejudice	Social justice
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Criminal Justice Reform	Income inequality	Privilege	Structural inequality
Democracy	Inequality	Protest movements	Systemic racism
Disabled	Injustice	Race	Unconscious bias
Discrimination	Institutionalized racism	Race relations	Voting Rights
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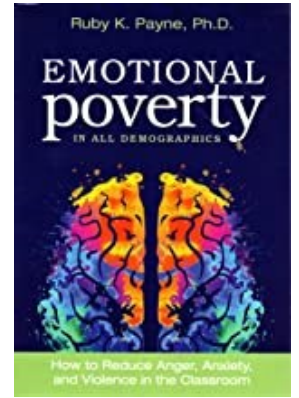
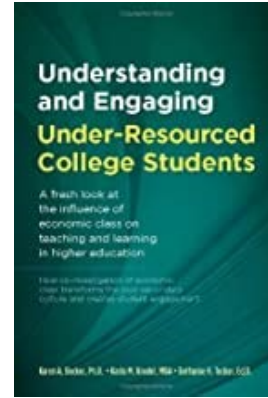
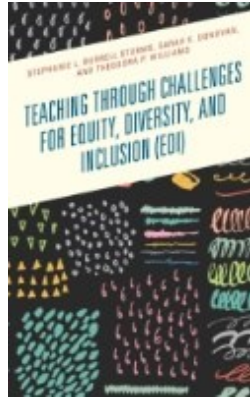
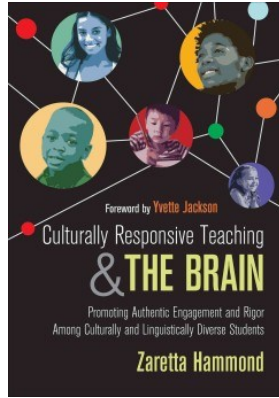
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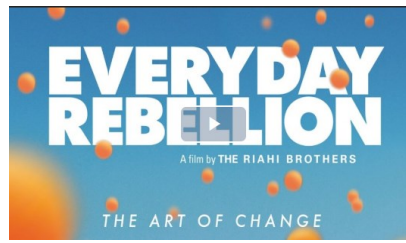
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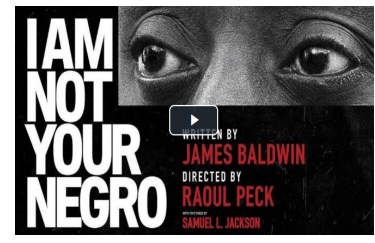
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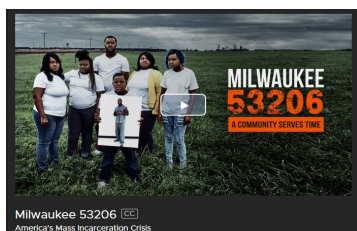
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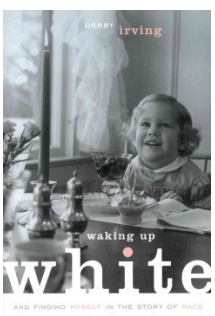
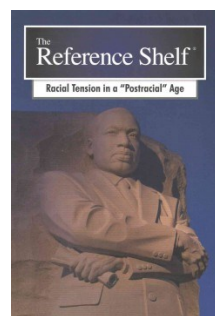
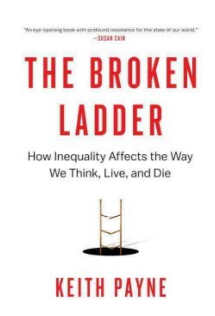
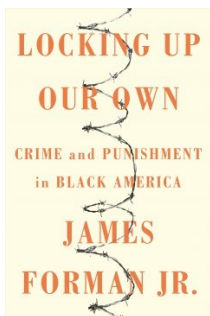
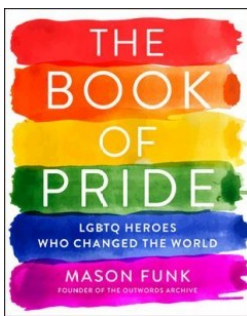
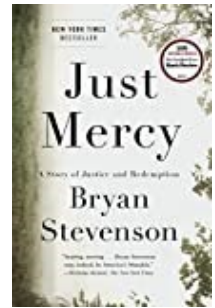
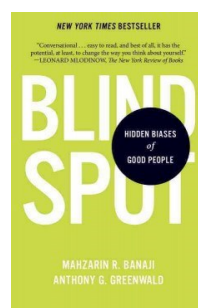
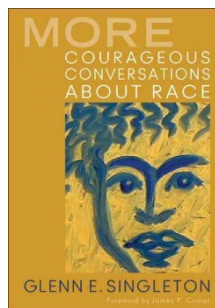
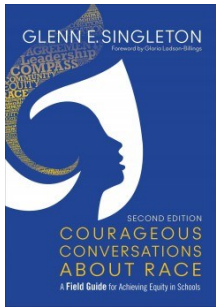
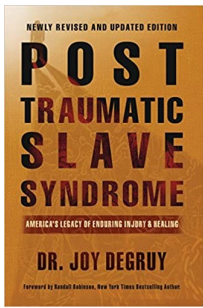


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