

HEAR THE VOICES: BLACK WRITING MATTERS

READINGS FROM AFRO-AMERICAN
AUTHORS FROM THE 1700S TO
THE PRESENT

Celebrating *Martin-Luther-King Jr-Day*, a US holiday honoring the legacy of the civil rights leader and his struggle for racial equality, students from the University of Graz will present African-American texts as voices of agency, resistance, and the long fight for political freedom and equality.

Despite the US cultural narrative propagating freedom, democracy and equality, the Afro-American experience has been one of discrimination, exclusion, and inequality revealing contradictions of US-American culture and society.

Listening to literary and cultural texts as individual expressions of lived-experiences emphasizes the powerful strength of Afro-American self-representation.

WHEN:

TUESDAY,
JANUARY 17, 2023
3.00-6.00 PM

WHERE:

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