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Slavery is a massive part of American history, and its impact reverberates to the present. Recognizing Juneteenth- the significance of the day, its placement in US history, and Juneteenth's relation to today, provides a critical part of understanding our society, how we connect to others, and fixing long-standing divisions and systemic barriers. This session seeks to teach but also engage participants on how to take in history around Juneteenth and apply it to today, particularly within diversity, equity, and inclusion efforts.

What's the Deal With Juneteenth Anyways?

This session is all about tapping into the power of information and knowledge of American history and culture to fuel action and shape the workplace as well as our communities. Topics covered will include:

- History of Juneteenth
- Juneteenth's relevance in US culture today
- What is Juneteenth in relation to creating more harmoniously diverse, inclusive and equitable environments and communities?
- O&A/Discussion



I'm V, Founder of Ampersand Workspace.
Race and gender factor into all aspects of our lives, so I teach people how to recognize race and gender-based oppression and use their power, privilege, and influence to disrupt it. In the workplace, I help improve company culture using a race and gender lens.

