

**JAN 19**

## SILICON VALLEY

*Can the epicenter  
of toxic inequality  
become a model of  
shared prosperity?*



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Come hear long-time activist **Derecka Mehrens** and anthropologist **Miriam Lueck Avery** discuss how we can tackle extreme inequality and end racial economic exclusion in Silicon Valley.

**When:** Thursday, Jan. 19, 12:15pm to 1:45 pm

**Venue:** Citizen Engagement Lab  
1330 Broadway, 3rd Floor, Oakland

**RSVP:** [haasinstitute.berkeley.edu/thinkingahead](https://haasinstitute.berkeley.edu/thinkingahead)

Come enjoy lunch and the latest in our discussion series! Free event, please RSVP in advance.

**Emceed by Mark Gomez of the Haas Institute**

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**Derecka  
Mehrens**

Executive Director at Working Partnerships USA, brings fifteen years of community organizing, civic engagement, and public policy experience working in communities of color and with low and moderate-income families.

**Miriam Lueck Avery** is a research director at the Institute for the Future where she investigates the future of how we will take care of ourselves and one another—ranging from self-care to health care, work and aging, nutrition and food systems.