

# CHOP IT UP: Black Wall Street Journey

**CHOP IT UP** BLACK WALL STREET JOURNEY EDITION

**NATALIE MOORE & RICK LOWE**

JUNE 09 \* JULY 08 \* AUGUST 12

Three-part virtual series on the Black Economy  
Each month Moore & Lowe welcome guests from disparate sectors of the Black economic landscape.

PART 1:  
**WED JUN 09** 5:30-7pm CT | Join via Zoom  
Event registration required.  
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Keewa Nurullah  
Damon Jones  
Richard Wallace

June's featured guests:

10 Arts + Public Life  
The MacArthur Fellows Program at 40  
art & social change  
Presented by Arts + Public Life in partnership with the Smart Museum of Art at the University of Chicago and Public Media Institute

## CHOP IT UP poster

Digital poster for CHOP IT UP reads Black Wall Street Journey edition with Natalie Moore & Rick Lowe, June 09, July 08, August 12. Three-part virtual series on the Black Economy, Each month Moore & Lowe welcome guests from disparate sectors of the Black economic landscape. June's featured guests: Keewa Nurullah, Richard Wallace, and Damon Jones.

Join Arts + Public Life this summer for a three-part conversation about the Black economy.

Artist Rick Lowe and journalist Natalie Moore team up to dish and dissect the intersections of race and economic development. Presented in conjunction with Black Wall Street Journey—a hub for neighborhood regeneration initiated by Lowe in Washington Park—and anchored by the centennial anniversary of the 1921 Tulsa Race Massacre and observation

of the historic Black Wall Street, guests from disparate sectors of the Black economic landscape will weigh in on cultural dimensions of Black ownership, business, self-reliance, determination and mutual aid.

### **June CHOP IT UP featured guests**

[Keewa Nurullah](#), [Kido Chicago](#)

[Richard Wallace](#), [Equity and Transformation \(EAT\)](#)

[Damon Jones](#), University of Chicago, Harris School of Public Policy

## Program video

## About the series

CHOP IT UP is an [Arts + Public Life](#) virtual dinner series, where viewers sit down with an intimate group of notable practitioners—ranging from artists and designers to journalists and entrepreneurs—for an informal conversation. Over home cooked meals, or dinner ordered from local favorites, practitioners serve up aspects of their practice or craft while exploring the intersections of their work. Gather around our virtual table for 90 shared minutes of candid “industry” conversation.

[Wednesday, June 9, 6:30 pm CT](#)

[Thursday, July 8, 6:30 pm CT](#)

[Thursday, August 12, 6:30 CT](#)

The Black Wall Street Journey edition of CHOP IT UP is

presented in partnership with the [Smart Museum of Art](#) at the University of Chicago, in conjunction with *Toward Common Cause: Art, Social Change, and the MacArthur Fellows Program at 40*.

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