

Closing Plenary

Danny Glover and Felix Justice

Actors

Wednesday, 11:45 a.m. – 12:45 p.m.

"In Conversation with Danny Glover and Felix Justice"

Friends since first meeting as struggling Bay area actors years ago, Danny Glover and Felix Justice have honed a stellar performance that stems from a long history of friendship and mutual respect, both on- and off-stage. Using examples from their lives and some of the great works of literature, both men bring to life their devotion to the education of young people and how to inspire the next generation of leaders in the world.

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Danny Glover

A native of San Francisco, Glover attended San Francisco State College and trained at the Black Actors' Workshop of the American Conservatory Theatre. He first merited national attention in the New York production of Athol Fugard's "Master Harold and the Boys." He has garnered rave reviews for his roles in "The Color Purple," "Dreamgirls," "Grand Canyon," "To Sleep With Anger" and the "Lethal Weapon" series. In recognition of his lifetime dedication to public service, Glover was honored with the 2003 NAACP Chairman's Award. In 2006, he captured Director's Guild of America honors for his contributions to film and television.



Felix Justice

Felix Justice grew up in Florence, S.C., and studied theater in both San Francisco and New York. His one-man Martin Luther King, Jr., show, "Prophecy in America," premiered in 1981 at San Francisco's Lorraine Hansberry Theatre and subsequently toured throughout the United States and Africa.