



# REMEMBER SLAVERY

The United Nations Department of Public Information is pleased to invite you to a briefing on

## **The Transatlantic Slave Trade and the Socio-Economic Contributions of People of African Descent**

organized by the Remember Slavery Programme in partnership with the  
NGO Relations, Advocacy & Special Events Section

**Thursday 30 March 2017**

11:00 a.m. – 12:45 p.m.

Economic and Social Council Chamber, United Nations, New York

Registration Required -- Limited Seating

**RSVP by 27 March to: [bit.ly/2makDNV](http://bit.ly/2makDNV)**

**Moderator:**

Abena P. A. Busia, Professor, Rutgers University

**Panellists:**

Joseph E. Inikori, Professor, University of Rochester

Cy Richardson, Senior Vice President for Economics and Housing Programs, National Urban League

Verene A. Shepherd, Professor, University of the West Indies, Mona Campus

Ben Vinson III, Dean of the Columbian College of Arts and Sciences, George Washington University