

CCSU  
DEPARTMENT OF MATHEMATICAL SCIENCES

# COLLOQUIUM

Friday, March 11  
3:00 – 4:00 PM  
Maria Sanford, Room 101

## **BUILDING POWERFUL YOUNG LEARNERS THROUGH CULTURALLY RELEVANT MATH TASKS**

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**Abstract:** Colloquium attendees will be introduced to a new mathematics education resource for elementary school teachers and leaders. *Engaging in Culturally Relevant Math Tasks* helps teachers to design inspiring mathematics learning experiences driven by high-quality mathematics tasks that connect to students' real lives. Culturally relevant mathematics teaching engages and empowers students, helping them learn and understand math more deeply and make connections to themselves, their communities, and the world around them. The presenter and co-author of the book will discuss how teachers can select, adapt, and implement math tasks that build powerful learners. A book for secondary teachers is scheduled to be released in early fall.

To join us online use the following link: <https://ccsu.webex.com/meet/gotchev>

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