This six week online course will explore the ways in which social justice movements like #MeToo, #BlackLivesMatter (and many more!) utilize the affordances of social media platforms to organize, raise awareness, and build communities in the US and across the world. Additionally, we will explore the kinds of challenges that activists face in using social media for social justice efforts. Course readings include a mix of essays, book chapters, and other multimedia resources. Assignments for this course will be a blend of writing and creative projects, which include designing your own social media campaign.

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