

Santa Fe Science Café for Young Thinkers

“Blindspot: The Hidden Biases of Good People”



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6:00-7:30 PM

Georgia O’Keeffe Museum
Education Annex
123 Grant Avenue, Santa Fe

Most of us believe that we are fair-minded, but studies in psychology show that our minds operate with unconscious biases, relying on social cues like gender, race, nationality and class. This occurs, not because we intend to do any harm, but because our minds turn in that direction naturally. Come and enjoy a lively and informative workshop demonstrating the blind spots we all have, and what we can do about them!

Admission is Free. Youth (ages 13-19) seating a priority. Light refreshments will be served.

Professor Banaji has been on the faculties of Radcliffe College and Yale University. She is currently in the Department of Psychology at Harvard University, where she researches attitudes and beliefs in adults and children.

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