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Featuring Imani Perry

- AWARD-WINNING AUTHOR
- MACARTHUR FELLOW
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Thomas Wolfe Auditorium
Downtown Asheville
October 23, 2025

Reception 5:30 pm • Forum 7:00 pm



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About the Justice Forum

Pisgah Legal's Justice Forum will be held at the Thomas Wolfe Auditorium in downtown Asheville on Thursday, October 23rd. There will be a ticketed, pre-event reception at 5:30pm followed by the free Justice Forum at 7:00pm. A live-streaming option will be available for those that prefer to join virtually and there will be several Regional Watch Parties in communities across WNC.

We host this event each year to call for justice and to generate honest conversation about pressing local and national issues. This year, we are honored to welcome Dr. Imani Perry as our Forum speaker. Dr. Perry brings a powerful voice to questions of race, justice, culture, and democracy in America. Her work challenges us to think deeply about our shared history and imagine a more equitable future. We look forward to an evening of thought-provoking insight and inspiration.

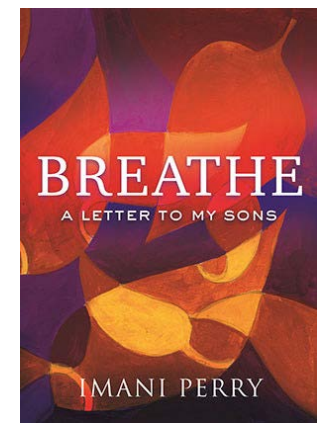
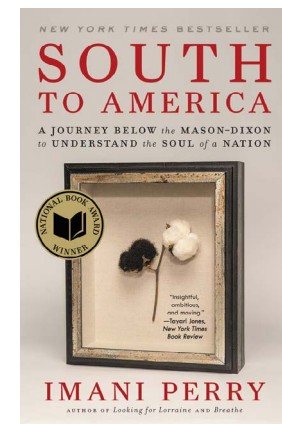
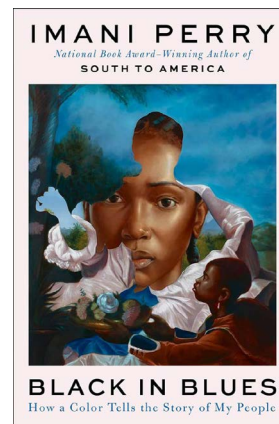


About the Speaker

Imani Perry is a celebrated author, legal scholar, and cultural critic whose work bridges history, law, literature, and the arts to examine the enduring legacies of race and inequality in America.

A professor at Harvard University and recipient of a MacArthur "Genius" Fellowship, Perry is known for her insightful books, including *South to America*, which won the 2022 National Book Award for Nonfiction. Her writing blends personal narrative with rigorous scholarship, inviting readers and audiences alike to confront hard truths and imagine transformative possibilities.

With deep roots in the South and a lifelong commitment to justice, Perry's voice resonates across disciplines and generations. She brings clarity, compassion, and urgency to today's most pressing social issues, making her one of the most compelling public intellectuals of our time.



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