

# Uprooted: Displacement in Austin's Neighborhoods & What Can Be Done About It

Wednesday, October 10, 2018

7 p.m. - 8:30 p.m. (doors open at 6:30 p.m. for sign in)

Mexican American Cultural Center, 600 River St., Austin TX 78701

*Limited free parking available*



The median price for a house within Austin's city limits is approximately \$390,000. Economic growth, while bringing prosperity to Austin, has also resulted in sudden changes to some of the city's neighborhoods and the people who live in them. Specifically, gentrification is resulting in displacement of many renters and communities of color.

Please join us for a presentation by Dr. Elizabeth Mueller and Professor Heather K Way of the University of Texas as they share their findings of a year-long gentrification study of Austin. The study focuses on answering a series of questions: Where is gentrification taking place in Austin? What strategies have been successful in reducing displacement in Austin and other cities? And finally, accounting for the limitations imposed by state law, how should Austin's leaders both inside and outside of local government act?

Study Link: <https://sites.utexas.edu/gentrificationproject/>

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