



# queer continuum

resistance beyond existence

Utah's 1 to 5 Club is proud to present the second annual Queer Continuum conference. This year's theme is Resistance Beyond Existence. We will explore ways to move beyond merely living and into thriving, building community, and actively queering the world around us.



## keynote speaker

Ella Mendoza

Ella is an undocumented immigrant, and self declared illegal illustrator, born in the Quechua region of so-called-Peru and currently living in Salt Lake City, Utah. Her artwork and writing has been featured nationally in both academic and holistic settings, as a freelancer, as well as a representative of Familia: Trans Queer Liberation Movement, and Peaceful Uprising.

## sponsors

- Black Cat Comics
- Jitterbug Coffee
- Green Pig
- Club Jam
- When She Speaks I Hear The Revolution
- Pulse Blues Dancing
- MT Designs

Queer continuum is a safe space for exploring all aspects of sexuality and attraction.

From bisexual to pansexual, aromantic to polyamorous, we embrace and deconstruct how race, class, gender, ability and other facets of our identities intersect and affect us.

With a commitment to both diversity and inclusion, we challenge social norms and instigate meaningful conversations that strengthen our "queer" munity.

We are committed to maintaining a safe and inclusive space. Please use inclusive language.

## Schedule

9:00 A.M. - 9:30 A.M.  
registration

9:30 A.M. - 9:45 A.M.  
welcome message

9:50 A.M. - 10:50 A.M.  
session 1



11:00 A.M. - 12:00 P.M.  
keynote speaker  
Ella Mendoza



12:00 P.M. - 1:00 P.M.  
lunch

1:00 P.M. - 2:00 P.M.  
session 2



2:00 P.M. - 2:15 P.M.  
break

2:15 P.M. - 3:15 P.M.  
session 3



3:30 P.M. - 4:00 P.M.  
good bye message



## session 1

9:50 A.M. - 10:50 A.M.

### **Queer 101**

Kellian Donnelly, Nichole Jensen, Coco Barth  
description of workshop  
*Room A*

### **Personal Boundaries/ Mysogyny in Queer Spaces**

Dylan Ashley, Jared Urbina, Yasin Fairley  
Despite our marginalized experience due to our sexual identity, queer spaces can often be a place where individuals with intersecting identities can feel unsafe. This session will be a discussion on ways to improve inclusivity of queer spaces, avoiding unintentionally harmful behavior, and negotiating personal boundaries in sexually liberated spaces.  
*Room B*

### **Non-monosexual Representation in Media**

Rowan Fae, Tiffany Mankins, Michael Timothy  
This session will examine the historical and modern portrayal of characters with non-monosexual identities across a variety of art forms and the effects those portrayals have on society and individuals.  
*Room C*



## session 2

1:00 P.M. - 2:00 P.M.

### **Intersectionality (Queer and...)**

Dree Wright, Yasin Fairley, Jared Urbina, Joni Weiss  
This session will feature a panel of individuals whose marginalized and non-marginalized identities intersect and interact in ways that foster unique lived experiences and highlight the areas in which movements can improve inclusivity. Come ask questions and hear the panelists speak on their identities and experiences.  
*Room A*

### **Healthcare for Sexually Fluid People**

Lizzy Donnelly, Dr. Rixt Luikenaar  
description of workshop  
*Room B*

### **Queer Writers**

Sauna Brock, Taylor Hoffman  
description of workshop  
*Room C*



## session 3

2:15 P.M. - 3:15 P.M.

### **Self-care for Activists**

Rachel Langshall, Alexander Langshall  
A guided workshop on self-care in activism. Participants can expect to come away with strategies for balancing necessary self-care with their own needs for social and political activism. Come prepared to share your own ideas.  
*Room A*

### **Dismantling Binary Thought Processes**

Dylan Ashley, Adair Kovac  
Beyond gender and sexuality, binaries exist across many facets of our existence and often restrict our belief of what is possible. This workshop will question the usefulness of binary thinking, discuss ways of identifying problematic binary thinking, and brainstorm alternative approaches to seemingly dichotomous situations.  
*Room B*

### **Sexual Fluidity and Disability**

Dree Wright  
This session will discuss common misconceptions surrounding disability in the B+ community.  
*Room C*

The 1 to 5 Club was founded in Salt Lake City by Shauna Brock and Andi Brock and XXXX XXXXX and has been affiliated with the Utah Pride Center since 20XX. The name of the group is an homage to the Kinsey Rating Scale of Attraction, a tool that was revolutionary in its conceptualization of sexual attraction. The scale ranges from 0, signifying exclusively heterosexual attraction, to 6, signifying exclusively homosexual attraction. The numbers from 1 to 5 represent a community often overlooked and silenced in mainstream queer culture- a community including bisexual, pansexual, sexually fluid, queer, and many other individuals with or without a label.