



**KASWE Fall Conference**  
**Classroom Inclusiveness: An Educator's Response to Student Trauma**  
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**Morning Session Resources for Reaching the 21%: Gender and Sexuality Diversity and Classroom Inclusiveness" – Dr. Lisa Day (Director of Women and Gender Studies, EKU)**

Speaker Biography:

An Associate Professor of English, Dr. Lisa Day leads Appalachian Studies and Women & Gender Studies at Eastern Kentucky University. She is a faculty advisor of the ECU Alphabet Center and Feminists for Change, and she is a certified instructor of the Green Dot Anti-Violence and Bystander Awareness curriculum. An active editor, Dr. Day is leading an effort to develop an open-access introductory textbook in Appalachian Studies, tentatively called *Accessible Appalachia*, to be published through ECU Libraries' Encompass system. She is also helping African & African American Studies with their open-access readers for AFA 201 and AFA 202. Previously, she has co-edited *Journeys Home: An Anthology of Contemporary African Diasporic Experience* (2009; with Dr. Salome Nnoromele), five literary journals published by Military Experience and the Arts, and other print and web publications.

Presentation video and slides available on the KASWE website:

<https://www.kaswe.org/kasweconference>

Additional resources shared by presentation attendees:

NY Times had an article on use of “Y'all: The Most Inclusive of Pronouns” (see attached): <https://www.nytimes.com/2022/10/18/magazine/yall.html>

Here is a great video on this exact conversation:

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?app=desktop&v=QJtjqLUHYoY>

Here's a TedTalk I've shared with my classes called “Understanding the Complexities of Gender” (Same Killermann): <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=NRcPXtdKjE>

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