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Dr. Kevin Kumashiro is an internationally recognized expert on educational policy, school reform, teacher preparation, and educational equity and justice, with a wide-ranging list of accomplishments and awards as a scholar, educator, leader, and advocate. He is the former Dean of the Schools of Education at the University of San Francisco and Hofstra University and the founding Chair of the national network, Education Deans for Justice and Equity.

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His recent awards include the 2016 Social Justice in Education Award from the American Educational Research Association, and an honorary Doctor of Humane Letters from the Lewis and Clark Graduate School of Education and Counseling. Dr. Kumashiro can be contacted through his website: <https://www.kevinkumashiro.com>.