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## Call for 3-Minute Videos: "What is Restorative Justice?"

"What is restorative justice?" This is an important question that can be difficult to answer. If we want restorative justice to take root in the criminal justice system and beyond, it is essential that we find creative and concise ways to communicate restorative justice to the public.

In recognition of this need and in honor of International Restorative Justice

week, **the National Center on Restorative Justice invites you to submit a 3-minute video that answers the question "What is restorative justice?"**

This invitation is open to anyone with any level of technological proficiency and prior videography experience. Your submission can be as simple as three minutes of dialogue recorded on a cell phone camera. Submissions are due on November 16, 2022. For more information and how to submit:

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*NCORJ.org, our official website*

## **NCORJ.org is now live!**

The official website of the National Center on Restorative Justice, [ncorj.org](https://ncorj.org) is now live! There, you can find everything you want to know about the NCORJ, including our mission and history, news and press about the NCORJ, our reports and papers, and more information about our education and research activities.

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## Webinar: Restorative Justice in the Criminal Legal System

Do you ever wonder if there is another way to repair harm and think about accountability within our criminal legal system?

In honor of International Restorative Justice Week, the National Center on Restorative Justice will offer a 90-minute webinar on restorative justice in the criminal legal system. The webinar is intended for justice system actors and others looking to learn more about restorative justice approaches and how to incorporate them into the justice system. Panelists will share how they implement restorative justice practices, the evidence of effectiveness and impact on the carceral system, and any challenges experienced during the implementation process.

Register here





*Attendees for the Summer Institute in Restorative Justice Design and Innovation*

## **NCORJ @ Maynooth University's Summer Institute in Restorative Justice and Design Innovation**

The NCORJ's Lindsey Pointer and Alanna Ojibway attended the Maynooth Summer Institute in Restorative Justice and Design Innovation. The event brought together 28 Academic Fellows and members of the Restorative Justice Pedagogy Network from 16 countries to investigate how better to communicate restorative justice to different audiences, with a particular focus on public education.

To read more about the institute:

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*NCORJ's Avery Arrington, Cymone Fuller of Impact Justice, and NCORJ's Abigail Crocker at the Annual NACDL State Criminal Justice Network Conference.*

## **NCORJ @ the Annual NACDL State Criminal Justice Network Conference**

In August, the NCORJ's Avery Arrington and Abigail Crocker presented alongside Cymone Fuller of Impact Justice at the National Association of Criminal Defense Lawyers (NACDL) conference. They spoke about how researchers and practitioners can work together to better capture the many benefits of restorative justice as an alternative to prosecution and punishment.





*NCORJ team members at our recent annual retreat.*

Thank you for being part of our community! If you know someone who would like to receive updates on the activities of the NCORJ, please encourage them to sign up for our newsletter [here](#).

With gratitude,  
*The National Center on Restorative Justice team*



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