



**Guillermo Lopez Jr.:**

For over 25 years, Mr. Lopez has been honing his skills as a leader and facilitator. He has extensive experience working within communities and organizations to build trust, create collaboration opportunities and strengthen relationships across differences. He has implemented and managed assessments, surveys, budgets, micro grants and has overseen 22 nonprofits and the Bethlehem Police Department in the Mayor’s Bethlehem Anti-Gang Task Force.

As the Latino constituency director for the National Coalition Building Institute, he was responsible for the development of Latino/a leaders within NCBI and consults with community organizations, school districts, and major corporations on a national level. In recent years, he has trained and consulted with over 20 universities and 27 communities in 14 different states and 2 different continents. He was selected as a Delegate to the 2001 United Nations World Conference on Ending Racism, Xenophobia and other Intolerances in Durban, South Africa.

As the Co-Director of the National Coalition Building Institute Law Enforcement Trust Building Project (2004 – present) Guillermo has led teams that have initiated and completed training programs in conflict resolution, police-community relations, and leadership development for many law enforcement organizations. The work he has done has been awarded grants by the U.S. Department of Justice in three communities to bring together law enforcement personnel and community leaders for dialogue designed to build trust and improve communication in the following locations:

- King County, Washington – Cops and Community Project, an 18-month program
- Bethlehem, Pennsylvania – Cops and Community Project, an 18-month program

He has also conducted communications workshops for law enforcement agencies in:

- Atlantic City, New Jersey
- Syracuse, New York
- Frostburg, Maryland
- Philadelphia, Pennsylvania
- Chester, Pennsylvania
- Norristown, Pennsylvania
- Harrisburg, Pennsylvania
- Bethlehem, Pennsylvania
- Allentown, Pennsylvania
- Easton, Pennsylvania

Mr. Lopez is currently leading a county wide effort to train all 34 police departments in Northampton County, Pa. in Unconscious Bias.