



To offer the people of Muscatine and of similar cities in other nations opportunities to get acquainted—to understand one another as individuals, as members of their community, as citizens of their country, and as part of the family of nations.

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Message From President



Dear Fellow Citizen:

It is an honor to represent Muscatine and Iowa at the National level on Sister Cities International Honorary Board in

Washington DC. I was appointed recently to represent the State of Iowa citizen diplomacy movement on the National organization.

Our access to the National level promotes Muscatine Sister Cities, Inc., as well as all of us and makes it much easier to have access to resources.

Today we continue to expand our reach and strengthen existing relationships. Join us in realizing our full potential. We invite you to become a member of our citizen diplomacy circle.

Thank you for your support!

John Dabeet
Muscatine Sister Cities President

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Muscatine Sister Cities Commemorates 75 Years of Peace



On August 8, Muscatine Sister Cities commemorated 75 years of peace with Japan following the bombings of Hiroshima and Nagasaki. The celebration took place at 7:02 p.m., the exact time in Japan that the atomic bomb dropped on Nagasaki. The event was organized by Sister Cities International, and it took place around United States. Susan Clark Junior High School was selected as a location for the event due to the school exchange program between Muscatine and Ichikawamisato.

Muscatine Sister Cities Co-Sponsors Dr. Wing's Racial Injustice Virtual Event

Muscatine Sister Cities proudly co-sponsored Dr. Wing's *Curing Racial Injustice: Plan for Action* Virtual Event, which took place on July 8 at 6 p.m., with EICC Diversity Council and other community organizations. The event was well attended, and several of Muscatine Sister Cities members were in attendance.



Adrien K. Wing is the Associate Dean for International and Comparative Law Programs and the Bessie Dutton Murray Professor at the University of Iowa College of Law, where she has taught since 1987. Additionally, she serves as the Director of the University of Iowa Center for Human Rights, as well as Director of the France summer abroad program.

Author of over 130 publications, she teaches International Human Rights, Law in the Muslim World, Critical Race Theory and Sex Discrimination. She is editor of *Critical Race Feminism* and *Global Critical Race Feminism*. She practiced international law in New York for five years before joining the Iowa faculty. She holds her bachelor's degree from Princeton with high honors, MA degree from UCLA in African Studies, and her Doctorate of Jurisprudence from Stanford Law School. Dr. Wing has advised the founding fathers and mothers of three constitutions: South Africa, Palestine, and Rwanda.

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