ECONOMIC INEQUALITY
Invite You to Join the Conversation

Economic Inequality Initiative
April 6 - 9:30am to 3:00pm
Alumni Hall

Event Highlights:

• Join the national discussion on economic inequality and shape what this initiative will look like at Northeastern
• Preview work on documentary videos developed by students exploring economic inequality in Albany Park
• Update on plans for the Northeastern Food Pantry
• Hear from students who are facing the challenges of economic inequality

Northeastern Programming Board will be screening “Inequality for All” at 4:15pm & 7:00pm in Alumni Hall.

Please RSVP to Mark Sherkow at m-sherkow@neiu.edu by Wednesday, April 1. A modest lunch will be provided for those participating in the program.

We ask all attending the EII Kick Off event to bring a nonperishable food item for the new NEIU Food Pantry.

DID YOU KNOW?

Investing in Education
Since 1985, college tuition has soared over 500%, putting college out of reach for many.

Making Work Pay
While the rich are getting ahead, workers are being left behind. If the minimum wage kept up with inflation, it would be $10.74 today.

Strengthening Workers’ Voices
The decline of labor unions since 1970 mirrors the decline in the middle class share of national income.

Reforming Wall Street
Today’s CEO earns 350 times more than their average worker.

Fixing the Tax System
In the prosperous 1950s, the top marginal tax rate was 91%. Today it is 35%.

These facts are based on the data gathered from the Inequality for All webpage.