



NIGHT SCHOOL

FILM SCREENING AND DISCUSSION

Hosted by the Chicago Citywide Literacy Coalition's Advocacy Advance

Indianapolis has one of the lowest high school graduation rates in the country. For adult learners Greg, Melissa and Shynika, finally earning their high school diplomas could be a life-changing achievement. Emmy award-winning director Andrew Cohn's absorbing documentary observes their individual pursuits, fraught with the challenges of daily life and the broader systemic roadblocks faced by many low income Americans.

"The three people you meet—52 year old grandmother Melissa, who wants to prove to herself she can be somebody; Greg, a single dad who's getting out of drug dealing and wants a real job; and Shynika, who's fed up with fast-food work and dreams of nursing—are all people who look like the folks you may not even see on your commute on public transportation. Their stories are complex and all their own. The problems they face are structural, endemic, and belong to everybody."

- American University and the Center for Media & Social Impact

Wednesday, April 4th
5:30 P.M - 8:00 P.M.
Lit Lounge
(641 W. Lake St.)



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