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Gun Violence Prevention is the highlight of this year's keynote address at UU FaithAction NJ's Fall Issues Conference

Register using the buttons above or below for this free, New Jersey specific, social justice and public policy conference. **Saturday Nov 7 from 10:00 to 2:00 p.m. via Zoom.**

Alongside our overall "Youth and Justice" theme, this year *UU FaithAction* will highlight the work of our *Gun Violence Prevention Task Force*. The two keynote speakers, Kelly Sampson and Jai Patel, will inform us of the status of gun and ammunition regulation in the Garden State as well as ongoing challenges to NJ school safety, community safety and racial justice in the face of powerful forces arrayed against sensible gun violence prevention measures.

You Won't Want To Miss It!



Kelly Sampson, Senior Counsel and Director of Racial Justice at the nationally-recognized Brady Campaign, works to prevent gun violence through cultivating a committed, informed, and effective pro bono attorney network, educating the courts on gun violence related cases, and making the connection between gun violence prevention and racial justice. In 2016, Kelly and Jon Lowy co-authored *The Right Not To Be Shot: Public Safety, Private Guns, and the Constellation of Constitutional Liberties*, published in the Georgetown Journal of Law and Policy. Originally from Detroit, Kelly is especially interested in addressing gun violence's disproportionate impact on the Black community. Kelly earned a Bachelor's degree in Public Policy from the University of Michigan and a J.D from Columbia Law school.



Jai Patel is a Gun Violence Prevention Activist and gun violence survivor from Jersey City, New Jersey. A student at Rutgers University majoring in Criminal Justice, he was an organizer for Jersey City's *March For Our Lives* in 2018, an event which drew over 3,000 people. He founded the Hudson County and Rutgers Chapters of *Students Demand Action*, and sits on the *Students Demand Action* National Advisory Board.

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