Environmental Advocate Van Jones with Artist Marc Bamuthi Joseph to Discuss Culture, Climate Change, and Justice

WHAT: The University of Chicago will host environmental advocate Van Jones, former Green Jobs advisor to the Obama Administration and co-founder of jobs initiative Rebuild the Dream, for a talk titled "At Your Own Risk: What Is To Be Done?" Marc Bamuthi Joseph, recipient of the United States Artists Rockefeller Fellowship, which annually recognizes 50 of the country’s “greatest living artists,” will join in a conversation about the environment, race, social ecology and collective responsibility.

Seating is limited. Attendees are strongly advised to make reservations before April 2 at mcachicago.org.

WHERE: The University of Chicago
International House, Assembly Hall
1414 E. 59th St.

WHEN: Tuesday, April 10

Reserved seating guaranteed until 6:30 p.m.
6 p.m. - Doors open for ticket holders and walk-ins general seating
6:30 p.m. – All remaining seats released
7:00 – 8:30 p.m. – Event

Please note: Individuals reserving through the Museum of Contemporary Art (MCA) more than 7 days before the April 10 event will be mailed tickets.

Persons with disabilities who may need assistance should contact the Office of Programs & External Relations in advance at (773) 753-2274.

WHO: The event is co-sponsored by portoluz as part of its new series “WPA 2.0 a Brand New Deal”; the Museum of Contemporary Art as part of the MCA Stage presentation “red, black and GREEN: a blues” by Marc Bamuthi Joseph and Theaster Gates; and the University of Chicago (The College, University Community Service Center, Office of Civic Engagement, Human Rights Program, Office of Sustainability, International House Global Voices Program).