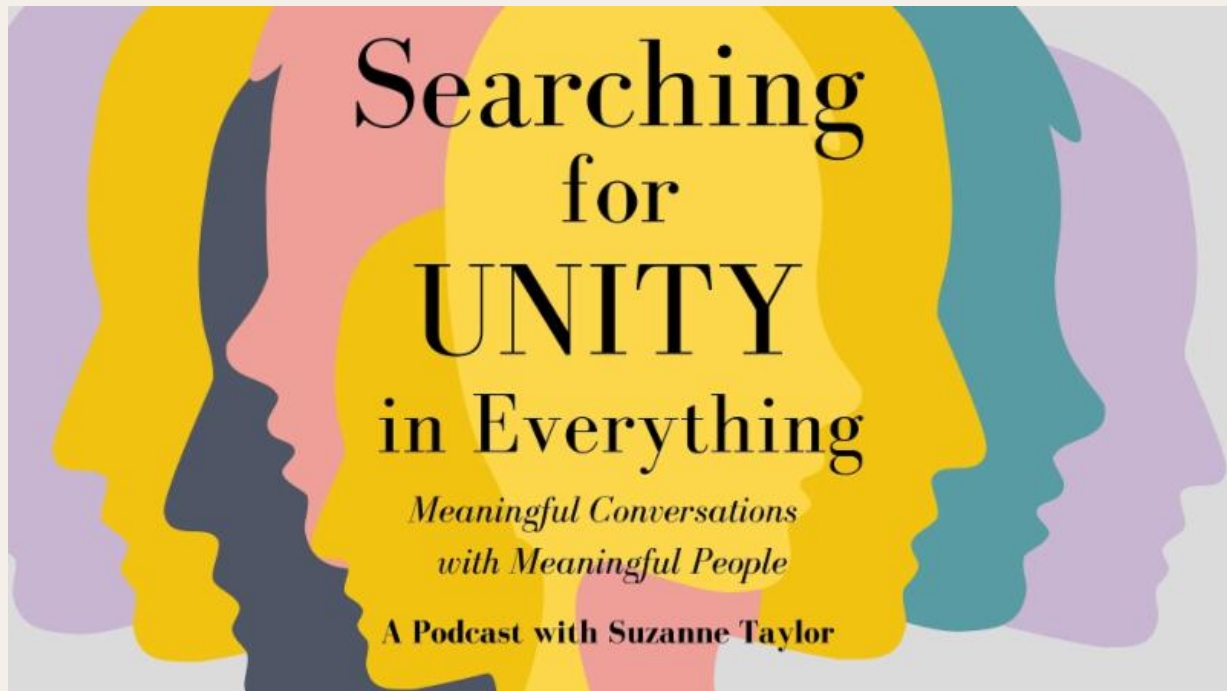


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**Podcast Episode 7 with Kristy Edmunds,**  
*Executive and Artistic Director for  
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**Podcast Guest, Kristy Edmunds**

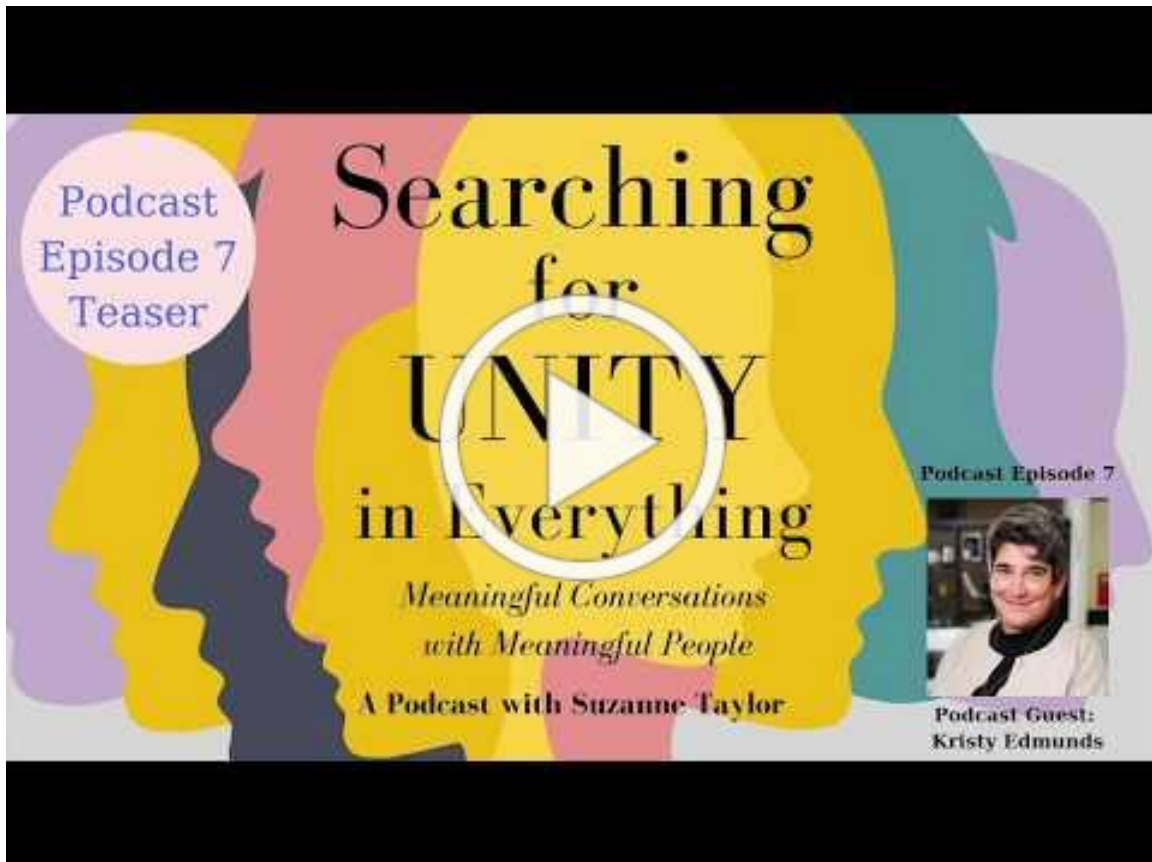
I am so happy to introduce you to Kristy Edmunds just as a program she curated for the 2019-2020 season is about to begin, so that if you are in Los Angeles and don't happen to know what's going on with UCLA's Center for the Art of Performance (CAP), you might be encouraged to see those performances for yourself. More than that, you might even become a CAP donor. As I speak about in my podcast intro, it's a rare delight for me, in this rather impersonal city, to be supporting a public institution that feels a lot like family.

For many of the shows, there's a little buffet in the donor lounge before and a champagne mingle with the artists afterwards. And, what artists they are, in a broad spectrum from all over of the world of cutting edge individuals and companies, some of whom are well-known and some are the result of what can be even years of Kristy working with them to hone their presentations. I go mostly to theater and dance, but there's lots more of all sorts of music and lectures and conversations. That's what to do and to see. What you feel, thanks to Kristy, who seems to be personal friends with all the donors, is not only love for this lovable woman but for the performing arts that she so eloquently speaks about when she stands on the stage to introduce many of the programs.

This spring, Kristy added to the awards she has won for innovative arts curation and management by being named the inaugural recipient of the Berresford Prize, a \$25,000 annual award, founded by United States Artists, to honor a cultural practitioner who has significantly contributed to the advancement, well-being and care of artists in society. Kristy got it “for her work as a thoughtful and ground-breaking cultural producer and advocate for artists.”

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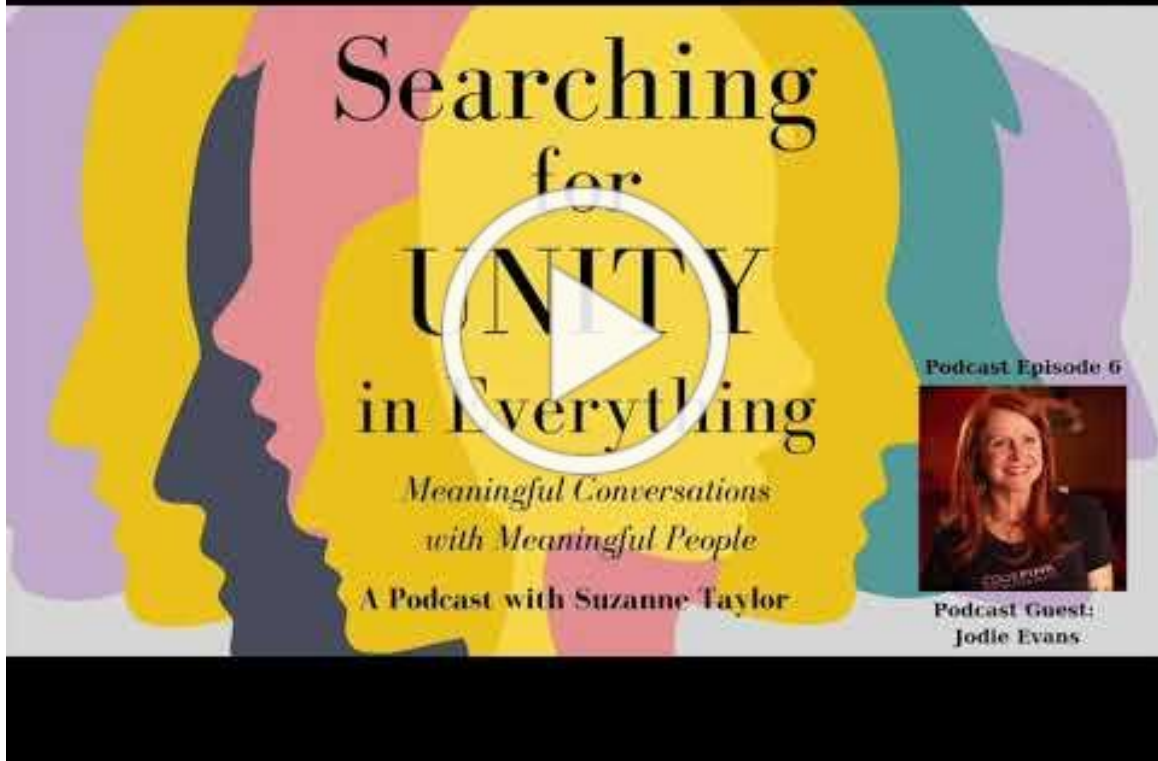


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