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Dr. Anneliese A. Singh is an Associate Dean for Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion and Professor in the College of Education at the University of Georgia. Dr. Singh has contributed to many counseling and psychological practice guidelines and competencies with trans and genderqueer people. She is highly prolific, with over 100 peer-reviewed articles and chapters and 4 books in the areas of LGBTQQ and social justice counseling, and she is co-author of *Affirmative Counseling and Psychological Practice with Transgender and Gender Nonconforming Clients* and the upcoming *Queer and Trans Resilience Workbook*. She founded the Trans Resilience Project to translate findings from her decade-long research on the resilience that trans people develop to navigate societal oppression. Dr. Singh also founded the Georgia Safe Schools Coalition to address intersections of heterosexism, racism, sexism, and other oppressions, creating safe school environments, and has been honored with over 11 national awards for her work in social justice organizing and community-building. Dr. Singh actively works to be a better ally to trans people and developing empowering spaces for people of color who have survived sexual abuse. Dr. Singh is a Sikh, queer, South Asian, and multiracial American who passionately believes in and strives to live by Dr. King's vision of the beloved community, as well as by Audre Lorde's guidance that "without community, there is no liberation."