

## White Elephant – Selected Resource List

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Kendi, Ibram X., *How to Be an Antiracist* (2019)

King, Thomas, *The Inconvenient Indian: A Curious Account of Native People in North America* (2012)

Laymon, Kiese, *Heavy: An American Memoir* (2018)

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Mohanram, Radhika, *Imperial White: Race, Diaspora, and the British Empire* (2007)

Morrison, Toni, *The Origins of Others*, Forward by Ta-Nehisi Coates (2017)

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Neiman, Susan, *Learning from the Germans, Race and the Memory of Evil* (2019)

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