

# Understanding Racism and Prejudice

**Diller & Moule, Chapter 3**

# Introduction

- **Diller & Moule (2005) argue that the majority of White Americans believe that this country is European in ancestry and White in Identity and that people of color are disturbed by their second class citizenry.**



# Defining and Contextualizing Racism

- **Racism is**
  - **Universal**
  - **Exists across cultures**
  - **Emerges when there are perceivable differences among groups struggling for social power (look at the conflict in Kenya between Kikuyu and Luo)**