

April 4th, 2022 // 9:00 am- 3:30 pm // Online
An Event for Yale Students, Staff, & Faculty

2022 SYMPOSIUM ON DISABILITY AND ACCESSIBILITY

REIMAGINING SPACE AND PLACE AT YALE

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April 5-28 marks the 45th anniversary of the San Francisco 1977 Disability Rights Protest, a sit-in that demanded the enactment of Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973. This was a landmark piece of legislation for people with disabilities in the United States and set the groundwork for the Americans with Disabilities Act of 1990. As we reflect on this incredible historical action, we look to our present Yale environment to ask important questions about how the campus supports and falls short for the disability community.

Goals:

- Empower the voices of people with disabilities at Yale
- Learn what is already happening on campus and how to further integrate accessibility into the work we do
- Imagine possibilities for an accessible campus that go beyond the legal minimum



Image ID: Black and white photograph of protesters with signs marching in a circle in front of federal buildings in San Francisco, CA, 1977.

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