Craig Andrade: For too long there have been those in the center–people who set the standard and hold the power, and those relegated to the margins–often less seen, less heard, less understood and less valued. It doesn’t have to be that way.

My name is Craig Andrade. I’m the Associate Dean for Practice for Boston University School of Public Health and the Director of the Activist Lab.

The truth is, our world will always be better when we bring all of our communities to the forefront of our partnership, of our kinship, and our service.

So, how do we make sure we don’t lose sight of the humanity that is too often left out of our policy conversations, of our decisions, and our actions?

That is the question–not only for public health professionals–but for all of us who believe in a more just world.

The Answer? We start by telling better stories. We amplify the experiences of those in the margins. Because when more are seen, heard, understood, and respected, the world is so much better.

This is what this podcast aims to do. Welcome to “Less Seen/Less Heard: Stories from the Margins.”

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