

The Human Rights Campaign Just Needs More Education About Transphobia

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Abstract

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Apparently team trans hasn't "educated" HRC's e-mail Communications Coordinator, David Salisbury. Salisbury apparently thinks this is appropriate behavior for an HRC employee:



Can you say institutionalized transphobia? Or maybe the Human Rights Campaign just needs more education....

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