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[00:00:03.120] - Alys Mumford

Hello on the Engender listeners, I'm here with some exciting news to let you know that for the next few episodes of the podcast, we will be passing our mics over to the Pass The Mic project. And I'm here with Talat Yaqoob, who founded that project to let us know what we've got in store. Hey, Talat.

[00:00:19.920] - Talat Yagoob

Hello, Alys. Thanks so much and thank you to Engender for setting up this partnership. I'm really excited about what the next few podcast episodes will include. We're going to have some brilliant voices who are already part of the Pass The Mic expert list. And they're going to be talking about their experiences as part of Pass The Mic project, and their experiences with media, and critically talking about what needs to change in media. So women of colour are not only better represented, but their experiences are less hostile, and that their stories are authentic, and get to be shared. We're also going to be talking about their experiences of racism, what we can do, what allyship means, and also what the Black Lives Matter movement means to them. Along with all their other expertise, from engineering to economy, from the environment through to community development. So I hope you'll be listening, I hope you'll take part and share on social media, because I'm really excited to be able to bring this to you.

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