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Education

2008 Doctorate of Philosophy in History, University of California, Los Angeles

Dissertation: "*Racial Coalition Politics in Chicago: A Case Study of Fred Hampton, the Illinois Chapter of the Black Panther Party, and the Origin of the Rainbow Coalition.*" Committee: Brenda Stevenson (Chair), Scot Brown, Mark Sawyer, and Edward Alpers

2002 Master of Arts in African American Studies, University of California, Los Angeles

Thesis: "*A Panic in All This Country': Nat Turner's Complex and Dynamic Religious Background.*" Committee: Brenda Stevenson (Chair), Robert Hill (Marcus Garvey Papers), and Richard Yarborough

2000 Bachelor of Arts in History, Southern Illinois University, Carbondale

Senior Thesis: "*The Effects of Nat Turner's Vicious Rebellion.*" Committee: Joseph Brown SJ, Pamela Smoot, Kay Carr, and John Simon (Ulysses S. Grant Papers)

Endowed/Named Chair Professor Positions

2018-Present **Ruth N. Halls Professor, Associate Professor** of African American and African Diaspora Studies (AAADS) and History, Indiana University.

Faculty Positions

2013-Present **Associate Professor** of African American and African Diaspora Studies (AAADS) and History, Indiana University.

2012-2013 **Associate Professor** of History, University of Kentucky.

2009-2012 **Assistant Professor** of History, University of Kentucky.

Administrative Positions

2016-present Associate Chair, AAADS.
- Supervised over 12 faculty/lecturers and 2 staff;
- Increased Department's summer revenue from \$146K to \$219K.
- Represented Department to internal and external communities
- Mentored junior faculty to tenure

2016-present Director of Graduate Studies, AAADS.
- Oversaw graduate recruitment, academic, and placement activities
- Responsible for 14 graduate student teaching/research assistants

- Responsible for graduate curriculum and scheduling

2017-2019 Director of Atkins Living Learning Center, Indiana University.
- Oversaw freshmen recruitment, academic, and support services

2011-2013 Director, African American and Africana Studies Program, University of Kentucky.
- Advanced Diversity, Equity, Inclusion as a core priority
- Coordinated and developed an interdisciplinary curriculum
- Established the program's webpage

Grants and Awards

2019: The Summer Institute on Tenure and Professional Advancement (SITPA), Andrew W. Mellon Foundation, at Duke University.
2017: Office of Vice President for International Affairs, Overseas Conference Grant, Indiana University.
2017: Academic Leadership Program Fellow sponsored by the Big Ten Academic Alliance
2017: Palestinian American Research Center, Faculty Development Fellowship
2016: National Endowment for the Humanities (NEH) Fellowship
2016: National Humanities Center Fellowship
2015: Center for Research on Race and Ethnicity in Society, Faculty Seed Grant, Indiana University.
2015: College of Arts and Humanities Institute, Travel Research Grant, Indiana University.
2015: Office of Vice President for International Affairs, Overseas Conference Grant, Indiana University.
2015: Institute for Advanced Studies, Individual Research Award, Indiana University.
2015: Institute for Advanced Studies, Consultation Fellowship, Indiana University.
2015: Gateway Program Grant, Indiana University.
2013: College of Arts and Sciences, Foreign Travel Grant, University of Kentucky.
2012: College of Arts and Sciences, Research Grant, University of Kentucky.
2012: Ford Foundation Postdoctoral Fellowship (First Alternate).
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2010: Ford Foundation Postdoctoral Fellowship (First Alternate).
2010: African American Studies Research Program Mini-Grant, University of Kentucky.
2008: Chancellor's Postdoctoral Fellowship, University of Illinois Urbana-Champaign.
2008: History Department Conference Travel Fund, UCLA.
2007: Quinn Dissertation Year Fellowship-History Department, UCLA.
2007: University of California Regents QGE Stipend, UCLA.
2007: History Department Research Travel Fund, UCLA.
2004: Graduate Research Mentorship Program, UCLA.
2004: Graduate Summer Research Mentorship Program, UCLA.
2002: Bunche Center's Kenny Burrell Archive and Mentorship, UCLA.
2000: Graduate Opportunity Fellowship Program, UCLA.

Books

2013 *From the Bullet to the Ballot: The Illinois Chapter of the Black Panther Party and Racial Coalition Politics in Chicago* (Chapel Hill: University of North Carolina Press). John Hope Franklin Series in African American History and Culture.

- 2003 Co-Editor, with Dionne Bennett, Candace Moore, and Ulli K. Ryder. *Revolutions of the Mind: Cultural Studies in the African Diaspora Project, 1996-2002* (Los Angeles: UCLA Center for Afro-American Studies Publications).

Books in Progress

Neighborhoods First: The Black Panther Party's Impact on Non-Black Grassroots Community Organizations

Global Call of Power to the People: The Transnational Emulation of the Black Panther Party

Peer Reviewed Articles and Book Chapters

- 2019 “Power to the People: A Curriculum for Teaching the Black Panther Party and the Transition from Civil Rights to Black Power”, in Hasan Jeffries, ed., *Understanding and Teaching the Civil Rights Movement*, The Harvey Goldberg Series for Understanding and Teaching History, University of Wisconsin Press, November.
- 2019 “You can kill the revolutionary, but you can’t kill the revolution”: A Reflection on Deputy Chairman Fred Hampton’s Life and Legacy 50 Years after his Assassination, *Harvard Blackletter Law Journal*, Volume 35, September, p. 77-83.
- 2019 “The Legacy of King’s Influence From Black Power to Black Lives Matter”, in *How Far Have We Come?: Dr. King’s Legacy in the 21st Century*, The National Civil Rights Museum, p. 72-77. <https://www.civilrightsmuseum.org/compendium>
- 2018 “Black Power and the Gendered Imaginary”, *Journal of Civil and Human Rights* (University of Illinois Press), Vol. 4, No. 2, Fall/Winter, p. 95-99.
- 2018 “Black Power and the Gendered Imaginary”, Scholarly Roundtable on Ashley Farmer’s book *Remaking Black Power: How Black Women Transformed an Era*”, in *Black Perspectives* (African American Intellectual Historical Society), <https://www.aaihs.org/black-power-and-the-gendered-imaginary/>
- 2018 “Black Power to Black Lives Matter”, in *MLK50 Where Do We Go From Here?*, by The National Civil Rights Museum. <http://mlk50.civilrightsmuseum.org/50-voices-50-years/posts/the-legacy-of-kings-influence-from-black-power-to-black-lives-matter>
- 2016 “‘We Need to Unite with as Many People as Possible’: The Illinois Chapter of the Black Panther Party and the Young Lords Organization in Chicago”, in Brian D. Behnken, ed., *Beyond Civil Rights: African American and Latino/a Activism in the Twentieth Century United States*, University of Georgia Press, p. 105-126.
- 2016 “The Black Power Movement, The Black Panther Party, and Racial Coalitions”, in Sylviane A. Diouf and Komozi Woodard, eds., *Black Power 50*, The New Press, p. 29-50.

- 2012 “Don’t No Woman Got to do Nothing She Don’t Want to do’: Gender, Activism, and the Illinois Black Panther Party”. *Black Women, Gender, and Families*, (Champaign-Urbana: University of Illinois Press), Vol. 6, No. 2, Fall: 29-54.
- 2012 “Nat Turner: The Complexity of His Religious Background”, *Journal of Pan-African Studies*, Vol. 4, No. 9, January: 113-147.
- 2003 “‘A Panic In All This Country’: Nat Turner's Complex and Dynamic Religious Background”, in Co-Editor, with Dionne Bennett, Candace Moore, and Ulli K. Ryder. *Revolutions of the Mind: Cultural Studies in the African Diaspora Project, 1996-2002*. Los Angeles: UCLA Center for Afro-American Studies Publications, p. 85-96.
- 2003 “Ball of Confusion: A Candid Look at the Book, 'In Fear of Leading: Black Scholars Still Envious of Minister Farrakhan's Success and the Million Man March'", in Co-Editor, with Dionne Bennett, Candace Moore, and Ulli K. Ryder. *Revolutions of the Mind: Cultural Studies in the African Diaspora Project, 1996-2002*. Los Angeles: UCLA Center for Afro-American Studies Publications, p. 108-110.
- 2003 “The Diasporic Mind”, in Jakobi Williams, Dionne Bennett, Candace Moore, and Ulli K. Ryder, eds. *Revolutions of the Mind: Cultural Studies in the African Diaspora Project, 1996-2002*. Los Angeles: UCLA Center for Afro-American Studies Publications, p. 107.
- 2007 “The Visible Man: Moving Beyond Gender Wars to Build Diversity". *Association of American Colleges and Universities: On Campus with Women*. Vol. 35, No.3, March: 1000 words. http://www.aacu.org/ocww/volume35_3/fromwhereisit.cfm

Trade Press, Book Reviews, and Encyclopedia Entries

- 2019 “Sean L. Malloy, *Out of Oakland: Black Panther Party Nationalism During the Cold War*.” *American Studies Journal*, Volume 58, Number 2, June, p. 90.
- 2017 “Steve Estes, *Charleston in Black and White: Race and Power in the South after the Civil Rights Movement*.” *Journal of Southern History*, Volume 83, Number 3, August, p. 749-750. <http://mwb00mw.muse.jhu.edu/article/666421>
- 2016 “The Original Rainbow Coalition: Slought Foundation, Philadelphia”, in Anthony Romero, ed., *Organize Your Own: The Politics and Poetics of Self-Determination Movements*, SoberSCOPE Press: Chicago, p. 107-128.
- 2016 “Shirletta J. Kinchen, *Black Power in the Bluff City: African American Youth and Student Activism in Memphis, 1965-1975*.” *West Tennessee Historical Society Papers*.
- 2014 “Fred Hampton”, *American National Biography*, Oxford University Press, October.
- 2014 “Yvonne Ryan. *Roy Wilkins: The Quiet Revolutionary and the NAACP*.” *Black Diaspora Review*. Indiana University Libraries.
- 2011 “Stephen Tuck. *We Ain’t What We Ought to Be: The Black Freedom Struggle From Emancipation to Obama*.” *The Alabama Review: A Quarterly Journal of Alabama History*, Vol. 64, No. 3, July: 246-247.

- 2008 “Andrew Witt. *The Black Panthers in the Midwest: The Community Programs and Services of the Black Panther Party in Milwaukee, 1966-1977*”. *Journal of African American History*, Vol. 93, No. 3, Summer: 460-462.

Magazine and Newspapers

- 2017 “An Arc of Solidarity: Remembering Bob Lee (1942-2017)”, *Viewpoint Magazine*, March 29. <https://www.viewpointmag.com/2017/03/29/an-arc-of-solidarity-remembering-bob-lee-1942-2017/#rf1-7641>
- 2017 Reprinted in *Jacobin Magazine*, March 31. <https://www.jacobinmag.com/2017/03/bob-lee-black-panthers-fred-hampton-chicago/>
- 2016 “Beyoncé’s Artistic Salute to Resistance, Protest and Black Lives Matter.” *Indiana Daily Student*, February 17, page 1.
- 2013 “The Original Rainbow Coalition: An Example of Universal Identity Politics”, *Tikkun*, November 12. <http://www.tikkun.org/nextgen/the-original-rainbow-coalition-an-example-of-universal-identity-politics>

Book Awards

- 2013 Hooks Institute for Social Change National Book Award (Finalist)
- 2014 Lillian Smith Book Award (Finalist)

Exhibitions

- 2016-2020 Touring Exhibition and Event Series: “The Original Rainbow Coalition: Slought Foundation, Philadelphia”, in Daniel Tucker, Curator, *Organize Your Own: The Politics and Poetics of Self-Determination Movements*. <https://organizeyourown.wordpress.com/> and <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=IVOXVknkOyl#action=share>
- 2016-2017 *The Black Power 50*, Schomburg Center for Research in Black Culture, Harlem, New York.
- 2010 *The Black Panther Party*, Du Sable Museum of African American History, Chicago, Illinois.

Invited Lectures on Research (with honorarium)

- 2020 “Remembering The Jackson State Massacre: African Americans and State Repression”, Kennesaw State University, Kennesaw, GA, April 8.
- 2020 “When We Vote We Win: African Americans and the Circumvention of Voting”, Second Baptist Church, Bloomington, IN, February 23.
- 2020 “The Black Vote: Social Justice, Advocacy, and the Ballot”, Ivy Tech Community College, Indianapolis, IN, February 6.

- 2019 “Rainbow Coalition Politics”, Social Justice Institute, University of Illinois-Chicago, Chicago, IL, November 26.
- 2019 “The Global Influence of Fred Hampton and the Black Panther Party”, African and African American Studies Program, Indiana State University, Terra Haute, IN, November 7.
- 2019 “Remembering Fred Hampton: 50 Years After His State Sanctioned Murder”, African and African American Studies Program, Indiana State University, Terra Haute, IN, November 7.
- 2019 “Remember 1968: Society, Higher Education, and Activism”, Spirit and Place Revolution Festival, School of Liberal Arts, IUPUI, Indianapolis, IN, November 3.
- 2019 “In Memoriam: Chairman Fred Hampton at 50”, Village of Maywood, Afriware Books, Maywood, IL, November 2.
- 2019 “Avoiding CPT (aka The Colored People's Tax!)”, Duke Council on Race & Ethnicity (DCORE), Summer Institute on Tenure and Professional Advancement (SITPA), Duke University, Durham, NC, August 6.
- 2019 “Chairman Fred Hampton and the Transnational Impact of the Black Panther Party”, Daniel Goffman Annual Keynote Lecture, History Department, DePaul University, Chicago, Illinois, April 26.
- 2019 Book Talk: *From the Bullet to the Ballot*, Rebuild Foundation, at the Stoney Island Arts Bank, Chicago, Illinois, January 5.
- 2018 “*American Revolution II*”, Chicago Film Archives and the Rebuild Foundation, at the Stoney Island Arts Bank, Chicago, Illinois, November 30.
- 2018 “50th Anniversary of John Carlos and Tommy Smith's Human Rights/Black Power Salute at the Olympics in Mexico City and Connections to the Current Political Movement”, Annual Thornbrough Lecture, Butler University and the Indiana Association of Historians, Indianapolis, Indiana, November 2.
- 2018 “Remembering the Black Panther Party’s Rainbow Coalition in the Age of Trump”, National Underground Railroad Freedom Center, Speak and Sign Series, Cincinnati, Ohio, October 16.
- 2018 Commencement Address: “Education is the Equalizer: A History of African American and West Indian Immigration Educational Achievement”, Achievement First Hartford High School, Hartford, Connecticut, June 14.
- 2018 “The Black Panther Party as Civil Rights Pedagogy”, We Who Believe in Freedom: A , Symposium for Teaching the Civil Rights Movement, Ohio State University, Columbus, Ohio, June 2.
- 2018 “Building Coalitions Across Race: The Black Panther Party”, John A. Logan College, February 21.

- 2018 “The Transnational Impact of the Black Panther Party”, History Department, University of Michigan, February 7.
- 2017 “The Original Rainbow Coalition and Grassroots Activism”, Howard Zinn Book Fair and Conference, San Francisco, California, November 19.
- 2017 “The Black Panthers: Here and Abroad”, Black History Month Annual Lecture, Sam Houston State University, Huntsville, Texas, February 23.
- 2017 Keynote Address: “On Sacred Ground: Excavating Sites of Black Memory”, History Research Symposium, College of Arts and Sciences, Tuskegee University, Tuskegee, Alabama, February 10.
- 2016 “Revolutionary Movements Then and Now: Black Power and Black Lives Matter”, National Archives and Records Administration, Washington, DC, October 19.
- 2016 “Neighborhood First: The Black Panther Party’s Impact on Non-Black Groups Domestically and Abroad”, Department of American Studies, University of North Carolina-Chapel Hill, September 29.
- 2016 Keynote Address: "All Power to the People: Black Freedom Struggles, 1966 – 2016", Social Justice Initiative, University of Illinois-Chicago, May 28.
- 2016 Keynote Address: “A History of the Illinois Chapter of the Black Panther Party”, Annual Community Lecture Series, Francis Parker High School, Chicago, April 25.
- 2016 TEDx Talk: “What's Past is Prologue”, Connecticut College, New London, Connecticut, April 16.
- 2016 “Dr. King, The Black Panther Party, and Black Lives Matter”, National Civil Rights Museum, Memphis, TN, February 18.
- 2016 Keynote Address: “Political Capital: Rainbow Coalition Politics”, The Center for the Comparative Study of Race and Ethnicity (CCSRE), Connecticut College, New London, Connecticut, February 8.
- 2016 Keynote Address: “Original Rainbow Coalition”, Organize Your Own: An Exhibition and Event Series About The Politics and Poetics of Self-Determination Movements, Slought Foundation, University of Pennsylvania, Philadelphia, PA, January 15.
- 2015 “From the Bullet to the Ballot: Black Panthers and Chicago's Racial Coalitions”, Chicago Humanities Festival, Chicago, Illinois October 25.
- 2015 Book Talk: *From the Bullet to the Ballot*, Department of African American Studies, Northwestern University, Chicago, Illinois, October 13.
- 2015 Keynote Address: “After the Rainbow: The Future of Alliance Building Across Communities and The Implications on Higher Education”, Diversity Dialogue and Research Forum, University of Illinois-Chicago, April 15.
- 2015 Keynote Address: “Race & Ethnicity: How to Talk about Race”, Racial Legacies and

- Learning: Race & Ethnicity Symposium, Murray State University, April 3.
- 2015 “The Black Panther Party: The Myths, The Legends, The Truth”, Black History Month Celebration, U.S. Department of Justice-Southern District of Indiana, February 13.
- 2014 “Reboot the Rainbow: Lessons from the Original Rainbow Coalitions”, Howard Zinn Book Fair and Conference, San Francisco, California, November 14.
- 2014 Book Talk: *From the Bullet to the Ballot*, Gary Nash Chair Annual Lecture, Department of History, University of California, Los Angeles, California, June 2.
- 2014 Keynote Address: “Rev. Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr., the Role of Violence, and the Civil Rights Struggle”, *Commemorating the Anniversary, Date, and Time of the Assassination of Dr. King*, African American Studies Program, University of South Alabama, Mobile, Alabama, April 4.
- 2014 Keynote Address: “From Fred Hampton to Barack Obama: Race, Class, Gender, and the Illinois Chapter of the Black Panther Party”, Race, Class, Gender, and Sexuality Symposium, *De/Constructing Social Justice: Past, Present and Futures*, Wright State University, Dayton, Ohio, February 21.
- 2014 Book Talk: *From the Bullet to the Ballot*, Annual Black History Month Lecture, History Department, DePaul University, Chicago, Illinois, February 13.
- 2014 Book Talk: *From the Bullet to the Ballot*, Annual Black History Month Lecture, National Archives at Chicago, Chicago, Illinois, February 12.
- 2014 “Rev. Martin Luther King, Jr, the Illinois Chapter of the Black Panther Party, and Racial Coalition Politics in Chicago”, Annual MLK Day Lecture, DePauw University, Greencastle, Indiana, January 20.
- 2013 “Reflections on the 45th Anniversary of the Illinois Black Panther Party: How Far Are We from 1968?,” University of Chicago, Chicago, Illinois, December 7.
- 2013 Book Talk: *From the Bullet to the Ballot*, Seminary Coop Bookstore, Chicago, Illinois, December 6.
- 2013 Book Talk: *From the Bullet to the Ballot*, Wild Fig Bookstore, Lexington, Kentucky, November 9.
- 2013 Book Talk: *From the Bullet to the Ballot*, Department of Political Science, Rutgers University, New Brunswick, New Jersey, March 8.
- 2013 “The Black Panther Party,” Conversations in Black Freedom Studies, Schomburg Center for Research in Black Culture, Harlem, New York, March 7.
- 2013 Book Talk: *From the Bullet to the Ballot*, Esther Raushenbush Chair Annual Lecture, History and the Social Sciences, Sarah Lawrence University, Bronxville/Yonkers, New York, March 6.

- 2013 Book Talk: *From the Bullet to the Ballot*, Critical Black Studies Lectures and Conversations Series, Department of African American Studies, Northwestern University, Evanston, Illinois, February 19.
- 2013 “MLK’s influence on Fred Hampton and the Illinois Chapter of the Black Panther Party,” MLK Day Annual Lecture, Antioch College, Yellow Springs, Ohio, January 21.
- 2012 Keynote Address: Rites of Passage Recognition Ceremony, Morehead State University, Morehead, KY, May 9.
- 2012 “A History of the Black Panther Party,” History Department, Marshall University, Huntington, WV, March 28.
- 2012 “Youth and Student Leadership in the Obama Age,” Brothers Supporting Brothers and Sister II Sister Annual Leadership Conference, Murray State University, Murray, KY, March 3.
- 2011 “Illinois Panthers and the Legacy of Racial Coalition Politics in Chicago,” History Department, Louisiana State University, Baton Rouge, December 1.
- 2010 “Who was the Original Rainbow Coalition?” The DuSable Museum of African American History, Chicago, Illinois, July 22.
- 2010 A People’s History of SIU Lecture Series, “Black Power in Southern Illinois: the 40th Anniversary of the Black Panther Party Shootout and Trial in Carbondale, Illinois,” History Department, Southern Illinois University, Carbondale, March 25.
- 2010 “The Black Panther Party,” History Department, Southern University and A&M College, Baton Rouge, Louisiana, March 19.
- 2009 “‘The Beat Goes On’: the 40th Anniversary of the Political Assassination of Fred Hampton,” Fred Hampton Memorial Scholarship Fund (40th Anniversary), Maywood, Illinois, September 12.
- 2008 Black Political Leadership Lecture, “African American Men in Chicago’s Political Arena: Fred Hampton to Harold Washington,” Black American Studies Program, Southern Illinois University Carbondale, May 1.
- 2008 “A Brief Political History of Fred Hampton and the Illinois Black Panther Party,” Black Student Alliance Lecture, Pasadena City College, Pasadena, California, April 23.

Invited Lectures on Research

- 2019 “Black Power and the Transnational Impact of the Black Panther Party”, Winter College 2019, Indiana University Alumni Association, La Playa Beach & Golf Resort, Naples, Florida, February 9.
- 2018 “Black Power and the Transnational Impact of the Black Panther Party”, Mini University, Indiana University, June 12.

- 2018 “Black/Brown Coalition: A Failed Promise or a Possibility?”, La Casa Latino Cultural Center, Indiana University, February 13.
- 2017 “The Transnational Impact of the Black Panther Party”, the Global Studies Positioning Series (GSPS) at the Center for the Study of Global Change, Indiana University, November 29.
- 2017 “Movement Attorneys: Law, Activism, and Social Justice”, School of Law, Duke University, April 18.
- 2017 “Social Justice Activism is Community Ministry”, Divinity School, Duke University, March 28.
- 2017 “The Black Panther Party and Prison Reform”, Butner Federal Correctional Complex, Butner, North Carolina, February 18.
- 2016 “Illinois Chapter of the Black Panther Party and the Original Rainbow Coalition”, 50th Anniversary of the Black Panther Party Commemoration, Oakland, California, October 22.
- 2016 “Education and Recidivism”, Heritage Correctional Facility, Plainfield, Indiana, May 14.
- 2016 “The Black Panther Party and Prison Reform”, Heritage Correctional Facility, Plainfield, Indiana, April 16.
- 2014 “Ethics, Democracy, and the Illinois Chapter of the Black Panther Party”, Poynter Center for the Study of Ethics and American Institutions, Indiana University, March 11.
- 2014 “Black and Yellow, Black and Yellow: African American and Asian American Activism”, Asian Cultural Center, Indiana University, February 6.
- 2013 Book Talk: *From the Bullet to the Ballot*, History Department, Indiana University, Bloomington, Indiana, January 14.
- 2012 “Black Panther Party and the 2012 Elections,” Coffee Chat, College of Arts and Sciences Wired Program, University of Kentucky, November 7.
- 2012 “The Power and the Pain of Empowered Black Men,” Rebuilding the Block: S.T. Roach Community Conversations, College of Arts & Sciences, African American and Africana Studies Program, and Lyric Theater, University of Kentucky, April 14.
- 2010 “President Barack Obama: An Unintended Consequence of the Illinois Black Panther Party’s Rainbow Coalition,” AASRP’s Carter G. Woodson Lecture Series, University of Kentucky, April 7.
- 2009 “The Original Rainbow Coalition and its Direct Link to the Political Campaigns of Harold Washington, Jesse Jackson, and Barack Obama,” History Department, University of Kentucky, March 10.
- 2009 “Fred Hampton to Barack Obama: A Legacy of Racial Coalition Politics in Chicago,” History

Department, Iowa State University, March 3.

- 2008 “Black and Brown Unity: The Origin and Legacy of the Panther’s Rainbow Coalition,” VIP Scholars, UCLA, May 21.
- 2009 “Fred Hampton to Barack Obama: the Illinois Chapter of the Black Panther Party, the Origin of the Rainbow Coalition, and Racial Coalition Politics in Chicago,” Brown Bag Lecture Series, Department of African American Studies, University of Illinois-Urbana Champaign, February 1.
- 2008 “Racial Coalition Politics in Chicago: A Case Study of Fred Hampton, the Chicago Branch of the Black Panther Party, and the Rainbow Coalition,” Circle of Thought Lecture Series, Bunche Center for African American Studies, UCLA, March 13.

Invited Public Lectures

- 2018 Panelist, discussion for documentary, *The 13th*, Kelley School of Business, Indiana University, Bloomington, IN, August 29.
- 2018 “Past and Current Black Activism”, Catholic Worker, Bloomington, IN, March 8.
- 2017 “Human Rights and Palestine”, Brown Bag Lecture, Department of African American and African Diaspora Studies, Indiana University, November 15.
- 2017 “Competitive Applicants for Graduate Admission”, Get You to Indiana University (GU2IU) Recruitment Program, October 17.
- 2017 “Colorism and Police Brutality”, School of Education, Indiana University, October 16.
- 2017 “The White House and Charlottesville”, School of Public and Environmental Affairs (SPEA), Indiana University, August 30.
- 2017 “How the Humanities Can Connect Us”, A Town Hall Meeting, University of North Carolina-Greensboro, March 7.
- 2017 Commencement Address, Parker Elementary, Chicago, IL, June 16.
- 2016 “Black Power and Black Lives Matter,” Block Together, NFP, Chicago, Illinois, October 15.
- 2016 “News You Can Use: The Black Panther Party and Public Relations Principles,” Media School, Indiana University, March 31.
- 2016 “Black Male Mentorship at Predominantly White Universities and Colleges,” Men of Valor and Excellence (MOVE), Athletic Department, Indiana University, March 7.
- 2016 “Permission to Narrate: Women, People of Color, and the Media,” Asian Cultural Center, Annual Women’s History Month Lecture, Indiana University, March 3.

- 2016 “Beyoncé, Black Panther Party, and Black Lives Matter,” Symposium: “The Climate of Race on Campus: Black Lives Matter and Law Enforcement.” Office of the Provost, Indiana University, March 2.
- 2016 “Fighting Mass Incarceration: A Strategy Discussion,” Students Against State Violence, Indiana University, March 1.
- 2016 “Coalition Building across Racial Groups,” Higher Education Student Association Roundtable Series, Indiana University, February 23.
- 2015 Moderated the panel discussion for documentary *The Black Panthers: Vanguard of the Revolution*, Light of the World Christian Church, Indianapolis, IN, November 11.
- 2015 Moderated the panel discussion for documentary *The Black Panthers: Vanguard of the Revolution*, Siskel Theater, Chicago, IL, October 10.
- 2015 “Resistance and Social Justice: Reconstruction to Ferguson,” African American and African Diaspora Graduate Society, Indiana University, April 8.
- 2014 “State of the Black Family,” Annual Kwanzaa Celebration, Neal Marshall Black Cultural Center, Indiana University, November 20.
- 2014 “Rights and Retrospectives: The Civil Rights Act at 50,” History Department, Indiana University, November 10.
- 2012 “The Legacy of Rev. Dr. Martin Luther King Jr.,” Martin Luther King Cultural Center for Diversity, University of Kentucky, April 4.
- 2012 “Voting Disenfranchisement: Ex-Felon Voting Rights,” NAACP and Kentuckians for the Commonwealth, University of Kentucky, November 15.
- 2012 “Politically-Correct Racial Terms among Minorities,” NAACP and SACNAS, University of Kentucky, April 17.
- 2011 “Death Penalty Forum: Troy Davis,” Catalyst and NAACP, University of Kentucky, November 10.
- 2011 “Race as a Social Construction,” Human Race Machine: Faculty and Staff Luncheon, UK CATalyst Coalition, March 31.
- 2011 “Perspectives on Youth Activism in the Obama Age,” UK NAACP, February 7.
- 2011 “Remembering Rev. Dr. Martin Luther King Jr.: MLK Day,” Carnegie Center for Learning and Literacy, Lexington, KY, January 17.
- 2010 “African Americans and Mass Incarceration,” AKA Sorority, Inc. and MLK Cultural Center, Book Club, University of Kentucky, November 10.
- 2010 Introduction for Ambassador Attallah Shabazz (Malcolm X’s Daughter), MLK Cultural Center, University of Kentucky, November 10.

- 2010 ““Have You Heard From Johannesburg?” South Africa Film Series, University of Kentucky, October 14.
- 2009 “Reflections on Byron Hurt’s film *Barack and Curtis*,” Dialogues on Race Series, African American Studies Research Program, University of Kentucky, November 18.
- 2008 “Highlights and Milestones: Remembering Disregarded Political Candidates and the Significant Events of 1968,” Phi Alpha Theta’s Black History Month Lecture, History Department, UCLA, February 13.
- 2006 “Making the Transition from a Community College to a University,” Center for Community College Partnerships, Summer Transfer Program, UCLA, August 9.

Conferences Organized

- 2016 Symposium: “The Climate of Race on Campus: Black Lives Matter and Law Enforcement.” Office of the Provost, Indiana University, March 2.
- 2014 Symposium: “The Original Rainbow Coalition.” Center for Research on Race and Ethnicity in Society, Indiana University, Bloomington, Indiana, March 27.
- 2009 “Salute to the Survivors and Tribute to Fallen Comrades”: 40th Commemoration of the Assassination of Fred Hampton and Mark Clark, December 4th 1969,” at Carruthers Center for Inner City Studies, Northeastern Illinois University. Co-sponsored by the Illinois Chapter Black Panther Party History Project, NFP, Chicago, Illinois, December 5.
- 2009 The Black Panther Party in Retrospect: 40 Years after the Murder of Fred Hampton and Mark Clark, at International House Assembly Hall, University of Chicago. Co-sponsored by the Illinois Chapter Black Panther Party History Project, NFP, Chicago, Illinois, December 2.
- 2001 A Love Supreme: Romance, Sexuality, Friendship, and Family in the African Diaspora, UCLA, February.

International Conferences and Lectures

- 2019 “African American Music and Culture”, School of Law and Humanities, China University of Mining and Technology, Beijing, China, June 12.
- 2019 “Hip-Hop: Its Connection to History and Politics, and Influence around the World”, School of Law and Humanities, China University of Mining and Technology, Beijing, China, June 12.
- 2019 “A History of Africana Studies: African American and Chinese Coalitions”, School of Law and Humanities, China University of Mining and Technology, Beijing, China, June 14.

- 2018 “Martin Luther King and his Global Legacy on the Fiftieth Commemoration of his Death”, University of Turin, Italy, April 13.
- 2017 “The Transnational Impact of the Black Panther Party”, at *Association for the Study of the Worldwide African Diaspora BI-Annual Meeting*, Seville, Spain, November 8.
- 2017 “The Dalit Panther Party, Social Movements, and Social Transformation”, Dr. B.R. Ambedkar International Conference “Reclaiming Social Justice: Revisiting Ambedkar.” GKVK, Bangalore, India, July 22.
- 2015 “The International Struggle for Freedom and Equality: The Black Panther Party and the Dalit Panther Party”, Dalits and African-Americans in the 21st Century: Learning from Cross-Cultural Experiences, Organized by Centre for Study of Social Exclusion and Inclusive Policies (CSSEIP), Dr. Ambedkar Studies Centre, and the National Law School of India University (NLSIU), Bangalore, India, July 10.
- 2015 Keynote Address: “The Black Panther Party and Dalit Panthers”, An International Symposium on Struggles of Black Americans in the US and Dalits in India: Comparative Perspectives, Arranged by the Government of the State of Bihar at A. N. Sinha Institute of Social Studies, Patna, India, July 6.
- 2015 Book Talk: *From the Bullet to the Ballot*, Bihar Legislative Assembly, invited by Uday Narain Choudhary, Speaker of the Assembly, Bihar, India, July 3.
- 2015 “The Civil Rights and Black Power Movements”, Benares Hindu University, Varanasi, India, July 2.
- 2015 “The Liberation Struggle of African Americans”, Mahatma Gandhi Kashi Vidyapith University, Varanasi, India, July 1.
- 2015 “African Americans and Dalits”, Discussion on Social Exclusion and Discrimination in the USA and India: Policies, Programmes and Practices, Indian Institute for Dalit Studies, New Delhi, India, June 29.
- 2015 “The Black Panther Party”, University of Mumbai, Mumbai, India, June 25.
- 2015 “African Americans and Affirmative Action in the US”, Indian Chamber of Commerce for Affirmative Action, Mumbai, Indian, June 24.
- 2015 “African Americans and Dalits Interaction”, Dr. Ambedkar College of Wadala, Mumbai, India, June 24.
- 2001 Keynote Address: “The Black Panther Party: The Original Rainbow Coalition, Armed Self-Defense, and the Daley Democratic Machine in Chicago”, Firearms and Freedom: The Relevance of the Second Amendment in the Twenty-First Century, Organized by British Library and the Eccles Centre for American Studies, London, England, June 11.
- 2013 Chair and Commentator: Struggle for Diasporic Empowerment panel, at *Association for the Study of the Worldwide African Diaspora BI-Annual Meeting*. Santo Domingo, Dominican Republic, November 1, 2013.

2013 “‘Don’t No Woman Got to do Nothing She Don’t Want to do’: Gender, Activism and the Illinois Black Panther Party,” at *Freedom, Rights and Power: Recasting women’s struggles across the Americas since 1900*, St. Mary’s University College, London, England, April 27.

Presentation of Research at Conferences (Competitive)

2020 “The Franchise: The Ebb and Flow of Representation and the Raising of Voices”, Roundtable at, *National Council on Public History Annual Meeting*, Atlanta, GA, March 20.

2019 “Life and Legacy of Fred Hampton”, Roundtable, at *American Historical Association Annual Meeting*, Chicago, IL, January 3.

2015 “Racial Coalitions and Identity Politics”, at *Society of the Study of Social Problems Annual Meeting*, Chicago, IL, August 23.

2014 “Civil Rights and the Twenty First Century”, at *Association for the Study of African American Life and History Annual Meeting*, Memphis, TN, September 27.

2014 “Urban Migration and the Original Rainbow Coalition in Chicago.” at *Organization of American Historians Annual Meeting*. Atlanta, Georgia, April 10.

2012 “Fred Hampton, Jose ‘Cha Cha’ Jimenez, and Racial Solidarity: An Analysis of the Relationship between the Illinois Chapter of the Black Panther Party and the Young Lords in Chicago,” at *Organization of American Historians Annual Meeting*, Milwaukee, Wisconsin, April 20.

2011 “‘To Be Black and Conscious In America Is To Be In A Constant State Of Rage’: Armed Struggle, Chairman Fred Hampton, and the Illinois Black Panther Party,” at *Association for the Study of the Worldwide African Diaspora Biennial Conference*, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, November 4.

2011 “Fred Hampton to Barack Obama: The Illinois Black Panther Party, the Original Rainbow Coalition, and Racial Coalition Politics in Chicago,” at *Association for the Study of African American Life and History Annual Meeting*, Richmond, Virginia, October 6.

2011 “‘Don’t No Woman Got to do Nothing She Don’t Want to do’: Gender, Activism and the Illinois Black Panther Party,” at *National Council for Black Studies Annual Meeting*, Cincinnati, Ohio, March 18, 2011.

2011 “‘The Black Panther Party is the greatest threat to the internal security of the U.S.’: The Political Assassination of Illinois Panther Chairman Fred Hampton,” at *The Inaugural James and Mary Lassiter Conference, Structural Racism: Inequality in America Today*, University of Kentucky College of Law, February 25.

2010 “Police Repression in Chicago: Remembering Fred Hampton 40 Years after his Assassination,” at *Southern Interdisciplinary Roundtable on African Studies (SIRAS)*,

sponsored by Division of Behavioral and Social Sciences at Kentucky State University,” March 27.

2010 “Decades Later, Issue Still Unresolved: The Black Panther Party and Repression,” at *National Council for Black Studies Annual Meeting*, New Orleans, Louisiana, March 20.

2008 “‘Naked State Terror’: The Red Squad’s Assault against Dissent, Fred Hampton, and the Chicago Branch of the Black Panther Party, 1963-1969,” at *Rupture, Repression and Uprising Conference*, sponsored by the African American Studies & Research Program at the University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign, April 3.

Professional Lectures at Conferences (Competitive)

2019 Chair and Commentator: What Lies Beneath: An Exploration of Black Positionality and Representation through Literary, Cinematic, and Religious Narratives panel, at National Council for Black Studies Annual Meeting, New Orleans, Louisiana, March 7.

2019 Chair and Commentator: Reach Back and Fetch It: Reclamation, Love, and Futurity in the Praxis of Black Studies panel, at National Council for Black Studies Annual Meeting, New Orleans, Louisiana, March 7.

2017 “Black Art as Resistance”, Symposium: The Art of Becoming Black in America, School of Public and Environmental Affairs (SPEA), Indiana University, November 2.

2017 Chair and Commentator: Social Movements, Welfare Organizations and the Intersection of Race and Gender panel, at Paul Lucas Conference in History, Bloomington, Indiana, October 20.

2016 “Plenary Session: Policing in Cities”, at *Urban History Association Annual Meeting*, Chicago, Illinois, October 16.

2016 “Plenary Session: State-of-the-Field on the 50th Anniversary of the Black Panther Party”, at *Association for the Study of African American Life and History Annual Meeting*, Richmond, Virginia, October 7.

2014 Chair and Commentator: Race, Class, Gender, and Black Power”, at *Association for the Study of African American Life and History Annual Meeting*, Memphis, TN, September 27.

2014 Chair and Commentator: Urban Migrations and the Rise of Radicalism in Post WWII America panel, at *Organization of American Historians Annual Meeting*. Atlanta, Georgia, April 10.

2014 Chair and Commentator: Black Activism panel, at *National Council for Black Studies Annual Meeting*. Miami, Florida, March 11.

- 2013 Chair and Commentator: Documenting the Civil Rights Movement: New Approaches panel, at *Association for the Study of African American Life and History Annual Meeting*. Jacksonville, Florida, October 4.
- 2013 Chair and Commentator: Being Black and African: Political Identity panel, at *National Council for Black Studies Annual Meeting*. Indianapolis, Indiana, March 15.
- 2013 Chair and Commentator: Black Theology in America panel, at *National Council for Black Studies Annual Meeting*. Indianapolis, Indiana, March 14.
- 2012 Roundtable Presentation, “‘Neighborhoods First’: The Illinois Black Panther Party and the Original Rainbow Coalition,” at *The Fire Every Time: Reframing Black Power Across the Twentieth Century and Beyond Conference*. College of Charleston’s Avery Research Center for African American History and Culture and African American Studies, Charleston, South Carolina, September 22.
- 2012 Chair and Commentator: Rainbow Coalitions and Interethnic Alliances: Black Power, Brown Power panel, at *The Fire Every Time: Reframing Black Power Across the Twentieth Century and Beyond Conference*. College of Charleston’s Avery Research Center for African American History and Culture and African American Studies Charleston, South Carolina, September 22.
- 2012 Chair and Commentator: Race and Religion in Local History panel, at *Annual Bluegrass Symposium*, History Department, University of Kentucky, February 25.
- 2011 Keynote Address: “Up Close and Personal: A Conversation with Professors Ericka Huggins and Jakobi Williams,” at *17th Annual Black Women’s Conference*, African American Studies and Research Program, University of Kentucky, March 24.

Invited Classroom Guest Lecturer

- 2018 “Black/Brown Coalition: A Failed Promise or a Possibility?”, Latino Gangs and Cartels: Crime, Culture, and Social Networks (LATS–L396 & FOLK–F330), Indiana University, February 28.
- 2016 Telluride Association Sophomore Seminar, Indiana University, July 15.
- 2016 Media School, Indiana University, JRNL 300: Journalism and Public Relations, March 31.
- 2014 History Department, Indiana University, H-650 Colloquium in US History, April 16.
- 2012 College of Arts and Sciences, University of Kentucky, UK 101—2012 Elections, November 15.
- 2012 African American Studies Research Program, University of Kentucky, AAS 200—Introduction of African American Studies, October 18.
- 2011 African American Studies Research Program, University of Kentucky, AAS 200—Introduction of African American Studies, October 25.

- 2010 Sociology Department, University of Kentucky, SOC 400—Black Social Thinkers, November 16.
- 2010 English Department, University of Kentucky, ENG 771— Chasing Zion: Black and Jewish Narratives of Identity, Exile, and Home, October 27.
- 2009 African American Studies Research Program, University of Kentucky, AAS 200— Introduction of African American Studies, October 6.
- 2001 Bunche Center for African American Studies, UCLA, M158B —African American History, May.

Consultations

- 2020-Present Higher Education Advisory Board, *HistoryMakers Digital Archive*, University of Virginia, Arlington, VA, February 9-10.
- 2019 Duke Council on Race & Ethnicity (DCORE), Summer Institute on Tenure and Professional Advancement (SITPA), Duke University, Durham, NC, August 4-7.
- 2018 “Development of Civil Rights Movement Instruction and Curriculum for K-12 Teachers”, Southern Poverty Law Center, Ohio State University, Columbus, Ohio, June 3, 2018.
- 2016 “The Next 50 years of African American Studies as a Field”, Andrew W. Mellon Foundation, June 28-30.
- 2016 “All Power to the People: Black Lives Matter and Political Organizing”, Social Justice Institute, University of Illinois-Chicago, May 26-28.
- 2016 “Building a New Poor Peoples Campaign”, Kairos-Center for Religion, Rights, and Social Justice, May 17-19.

Radio/Television/Newspaper/Podcasts Interviews and Appearances

- 2020 Breanna Cooper, “Presentation Focuses on Voting, African Americans”, *Indianapolis Recorder*, February, 6.
http://www.indianapolisrecorder.com/recorder_headlines/article_cdf2057c-48ed-11ea-a887-0f54defeb556.html?utm_medium=social&utm_source=email&utm_campaign=user-share
- 2019 Wendi Muse, “ From the Bullet to the Ballot: Black Organizing in Chicago”, *Left of Pocket Project Podcast*, March, 14.
<https://soundcloud.com/leftpoc/from-the-bullet-to-the-ballotblack-organizing-in-chicago-wjakobi-williams-leftpoc-podcast-ep->

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g5gE](https://www.indianapolisrecorder.com/recorder_headlines/article_7ecae1ce-3361-11e8-944d-43237790e24b.html)

- 2018 Oseye Boyd, “Dreamer legacy does King a disservice, erases his radicalism”, *Indianapolis Recorder*, March, 29. http://www.indianapolisrecorder.com/recorder_headlines/article_7ecae1ce-3361-11e8-944d-43237790e24b.html
- 2018 Joe Ragusa, “Professor, Activist Speaks about Black Panther Party”, *WSIL, Local 3 ABC*, Carterville, IL, February 21. <http://www.wsilv.com/story/37561227/professor-activist-speaks-about-black-panther-party>
- 2018 Caroline Anders, “Students gather to discuss possibility of a black and brown coalition at IU”, *Indiana Daily Student*, February 14. <http://www.idsnews.com/article/2018/02/students-gather-to-discuss-possibility-of-a-blackbrown-coalition-at-iu>
- 2018 “The FBI’s Fraught, Complex History with Black America”, *Detroit Today with Stephen Henderson*, WDET 101.9 FM, Detroit's NPR Station, February 8. <https://wdet.org/posts/2018/02/08/86382-the-fbis-fraught-complex-history-with-black-america/>
- 2017 “Remembering Fred Hampton.” *Urban Conversation*, WLXL 95.7FM Lexington, Kentucky, radio interview, December 4.
- 2017 Dashka Slater, “How to Talk Across the Political Divide”, *Mother Jones*, November/December p. 59-61.
- 2017 “Opinion: Jakobi Williams: What Will You Do?”, *The Southern Illinoian*, October 25. http://thesouthern.com/opinion/columnists/opinion-jakobi-williams-what-will-you-do/article_b0232852-6807-5eeb-b2a7-e069a49122ae.html
- 2017 Stephanie Wang, “What's the 'right' way for athletes to protest?” *The Indianapolis Star*, September 26. <http://www.indystar.com/story/news/politics/2017/09/26/offended-anthem-protests-its-all-matter-perspective/701653001/>
- 2017 Michael Reschke, “White House Wednesday focuses on race, rights”, *The Herald Times*, August 31. https://www.heraldtimesonline.com/news/local/white-house-wednesday-focuses-on-race-rights/article_f0ab9412-67cf-5cf7-9e45-0f3c541f4925.html
- 2016 “The Black Panthers, Here and Abroad”, Podcast, *National Humanities Center*, Durham, NC, December 8. <http://nationalhumanitiescenter.org/jakobi-williams-black-panthers-here-and-abroad/>
- 2016 *Against the Grain*, KPFA Pacifica Radio, Oakland, CA, August 10. <https://kpfa.org/episode/against-the-grain-august-16-2016/>
- 2016 *Noon Edition*, WFIU Public Radio, an NPR affiliate, Bloomington, IN, July 15.

- 2016 “A Community Conversation: Policing and Race Relations in Indiana”, *WRTV, Local 6 ABC*, Indianapolis, IN, July 11.
- 2016 “Are Race Relations Getting Any Better?”, *WRTV, Local 6 ABC*, Indianapolis, IN, July 8.
- 2016 *Local Memphis Live, WATN-TV, Local 24 ABC*, Memphis, TN, February 19.
- 2016 *Nightly News, WATN-TV, Local 24 ABC*, Memphis, TN, February 18.
- 2016 *Spotlight 92, WUMR 91.7FM*, Memphis, TN, February 18.
- 2016 Juzwiak, Rich. “If You Think the Black Panther Party Were a Hate Group, You Need to Watch This Documentary”. *Gawker*, February 17. <http://gawker.com/secondary-are-you-going-to-comment-on-the-recent-police-1760385444>
- 2016 Jenice Armstrong, “With Assist from Beyonce, Panthers are Back in Black”. *Philadelphia Daily News*, February 15. http://www.philly.com/philly/news/local/20160215_With_assist_from_Beyonce_Panthers_are_back_in_black.html
- 2016 “Relationship between Dr. Martin Luther King and Malcolm X.” *Urban Conversation*, WLXL 95.7 FM Lexington, Kentucky, radio interview, January 18.
- 2015 “Legacy of African American Resistance.” *Lost Voices*, WFIU, Indiana University, radio interview, April 8.
- 2015 “Race and Politics.” *WFIU*, Indiana University, radio interview, February 17.
- 2014 Leonard, Aaron. “The Surprising Legacy of the Black Panther Party in Chicago”. *History News Network*, George Mason University, December 28. <http://historynewsnetwork.org/article/157874>
- 2014 Desmond-Harris, Jenee. “The New Black Panther Party, Explained”. *Vox*, November 18. <http://www.vox.com/2014/11/16/7217173/10-questions-you-were-afraid-to-ask-about-the-new-black-panther-party>
- 2014 Barrowcliff, Baxter. “Young Patriots’ notes from the underground resurface”, *Columbia Chronicle*, October 27. http://www.columbiachronicle.com/arts_and_culture/article_6e55d802-5bed-11e4-8131-0017a43b2370.html
- 2013 “IU’s Jakobi Williams to commemorate MLK Day with Jan. 20 speech”, *Banner Graphic*, Greencastle, Indiana, January 13.
- 2013 “45th Anniversary of the Illinois Black Panther Party,” *Live from the Heartland*, WLWU 88.7 FM Radio Show, Chicago, Illinois, December 7.
- 2013 Indiana University *News Room*, “Indiana University experts comment on 50th anniversary of March on Washington”, August 23. <http://newsinfo.iu.edu/web/page/normal/24514.html>

- 2013 PBS-Kentucky Educational Television (KET), *Connections with Renee Shaw*, Lexington, Kentucky, June 16.
- 2013 Reynolds, Mark. "Black Against Empire Assumes a Central and Critical Spot Within the Black Panther Canon". *Pop Matters*, April 10.
<http://www.popmatters.com/column/170221-black-against-empire/>
- 2013 *Key Conversations*, WUKY 1580 AM Radio Show, Lexington, Kentucky, March 31.
- 2012 "Chicago Politics Year in Review," *Live from the Heartland*, WLWV 88.7 FM Radio Show, Chicago, Illinois, December 27.
- 2010 Wang, Stephanie. "Park Tudor School Apologizes for 'Misguided' Black History Month Lunch". *The Indianapolis Star*, February 27.
<http://www.indystar.com/story/news/education/2014/02/27/park-tudor-school-apologizes-for-misguided-black-history-month-lunch/5868909/>
- 2010 Rickerl, Stephen. "Discussion Dispels Myths of Black Panthers". *The Southern Illinoian*, March 28. http://thesouthern.com/news/local/discussion-dispels-myths-of-black-panthers/article_4e535eb4-3a23-11df-8fa1-001cc4c002e0.html

Documentaries

- 2019 *The First Rainbow Coalition*. By Ray Santisteban, October.
- 2015 *The Black Panthers: Vanguard of the Revolution*. By Stanley Nelson and Laurens Grant for Firelight Films, October.
- 2015 *The Amazing Life of Georgia Mae Spann*. By Warren D. Robinson for WDR Star Productions, October.
- 2013 *Rainbow Coalition of Elders*. By Ray Santisteban.
- 2010 *778 Bullets: Carbondale, IL Panthers*. By Angela Aguayo, November.

Additional Teaching Experience

- 2008-2011 **Visiting Professor**-History, UCLA: *The Black Panther Party and Beyond*.
- 2008-2009 **Post-Doc Fellow**-Dept. of African American Studies, University of Illinois, Urbana Champaign: *The Black Panther Party and Beyond*.
- 2007-2008 **Teaching Fellow**- General Elective Cluster Program, UCLA: *Interracial Dynamics in American Culture, Society and Literature*. Sep-March.

- 2007 **Adjunct Professor**- General Elective Cluster Program, UCLA: *The Struggle Continues: African American Liberation Movement Post WWII*. April-June.
- 2006-2007 **Teaching Fellow**- General Elective Cluster Program, UCLA: *Interracial Dynamics in American Culture, Society and Literature*. Sep-March.
- 2006 **Adjunct Professor** - Social Science Department, Glendale Community College: *US History Survey 1865-Present*” and “*African American History Survey, I & II*”. June-Aug.
- 2006 **Adjunct Professor**- General Elective Cluster Program, UCLA: *The Struggle Continues: African American Liberation Movement Post WWII*. April-June.
- 2005 **Teaching Fellow**- General Elective Cluster Program, UCLA: *Interracial Dynamics in American Culture, Society and Literature*. Sep-March.
- 2002-2004 **Teaching Associate**, History, UCLA: *US History-To 1865*. Sept-March.
- 2002-2004 **Teaching Associate**, History, UCLA: *Western Civilization*. Sept-March.
- 2000-2001 **Teaching Assistant**- Bunche Center for African American Studies, UCLA: *African-American History-Since 1865*. Sep-June.

Additional Research Experience

- 2002-2003 **Archivist**, Kenny Burrell Archive of African American Music, UCLA, Sep-July.
- 2001-2003 **Graduate Researcher**, Bunche Center for Afro-American Studies, UCLA, July-March.
- 2002 **Archivist**, Marcus Garvey Papers, UCLA, Jan-Aug.
- 2000-2001 **Graduate Researcher**, Bunche Center for Afro-American Studies, African Diaspora Project, UCLA, Sep-June.
- 2000-2002 **Research Intern**, Service Employees International Union-Local 1877, Los Angeles, June-Oct.
- 1998-2000 **Research Assistant**, Black American Studies Program, Southern Illinois University.

Peer Reviewer

- 2020 *DuBois Review*, journal article, March.
- 2020 University of North Carolina Press, book manuscript, February.
- 2019 *Journal of African American History*, journal article, April.

- 2018 University of Chicago Press, book manuscript, February.
- 2017-present National Humanities Center, application committee.
- 2016 University of Illinois Press, book manuscript, June.
- 2016 *Journal of the Early Republic*, journal article, March.
- 2015 University of Georgia Press (with honorarium), book manuscript, January.
- 2014 *Journal for Civil and Human Rights*, journal article, September 1.
- 2014 Oxford University Press (with honorarium), *The Murder of Emmett Till: A Graphic History*, By Karlos K. Hill, February 17.
- 2013 *The Black Scholar*, journal article, December 3.
- 2011 Bedford St. Martin's Press (with honorarium), *Freedom on My Mind: A History of African Americans with Documents* (Textbook), By Mia Bay, Deborah Gray White, and Waldo Martin, November 11.

Tenure Dossier External Reviewer

- 2019 Department of Afro-American Studies, University of Massachusetts Amherst.
- 2019 Department of African American Studies, College of Charleston.
- 2017 Department of African American Studies, Georgia State University.
- 2015 School of Critical Social Inquiry, Hampshire College.

Service to the University

- 2018-2019 Race, Migration, Indigeneity Job Search Committee, College of Arts and Sciences.
- 2016 CRRES Faculty Seed Grant Committee, 2016.
- 2015-2020 Tyron Cooper, Indiana University Tenure Review Committee.
- 2015-2020 Phoebe Wolfskill, Indiana University Tenure Review Committee.
- 2014-2016 Mentor for CRRES Postdoc, Indiana University.
- 2015-present Merit Committee, AAADS, Indiana University.
- 2015 Chair, History/AAADS Screening Committee, CRRES Postdoc Job Screening,

Indiana University.

- 2014-present Graduate Admissions Committee, History Department, Indiana University.
- 2013-present Faculty Advisor, Black Thought Society, Indiana University.
- 2013-2016 Undergraduate Committee, AAADS, Indiana University.
- 2013-2018 Assessment Committee, AAADS, Indiana University.
- 2013-present Black/Brown Male Initiative Steering Committee, Office of the Vice President for Diversity, Equity, and Multicultural Affairs, Indiana University.
- 2013 Chair, African American and Africana Studies, Faculty Job Search Committee, University of Kentucky.
- 2012 Graduate Committee, History Department, University of Kentucky.
- 2010-2013 Black Male Initiative Steering Committee, Office of Institutional Diversity, University of Kentucky.
- 2010-2013 Faculty Advisor, NAACP Student Chapter, University of Kentucky.
- 2010-2013 Faculty Advisor, Project ONE, University of Kentucky.
- 2010-2012 Undergraduate Studies Committee, History Department, University of Kentucky.
- 2010-2012 Works in Progress Committee, History Department, University of Kentucky.
- 2009-2013 Africana Studies Steering Committee, College of Arts and Sciences, University of Kentucky.

Community Engagement Service

- 2015 Mentorship Workshop for at risk youth, Workforce Institute of the City Colleges of Chicago, Chicago, Illinois, July 30.
- 2015 Inside-Out Class, Heritage Trail Correctional Facility, Mooresville, Indiana, April 27 & May 1.
- 2015 Black History Month Lecture, West Town Academy, Chicago, Illinois, February 27.
- 2014 Black History Month Lecture, Du Sable High School/Bronzeville Scholastic Institute, Chicago, Illinois, February 14.
- 2014 Black History Month Lecture, Chicago Metro History Education Center, Chicago, Illinois, February 14.
- 2012 Stop the Violence Rally, Service Learning: Workshop on Violence Prevention, Duncan Park Lexington, Kentucky, April 28.

- 2012 “The New Jim Crow and Mass Incarceration,” Nia Word Series: A Six Week Course, Nia Community of Faith, May 3-June 14.
- 2011 Nia Community of Faith, Service Learning: Workshop on Community Analysis, Lexington, Kentucky, 2011.
- 2011 African American and Africana Studies, Service Learning: Campus/Community Book Club (Held at Wild Fig Bookstore), University of Kentucky.
- 2011 “Barbershop Forum,” Black Male Initiative, University of Kentucky, November 7.
- 2011 Panelist/Judge, Mr. and Mrs. Black UK Pageant, University of Kentucky, October 20.
- 2008 Workshop: Graduate School Panel, History Graduate Student’s Association and Phi Alpha Theta, History Department, UCLA, April 18.
- 2007 Workshop: Writing Research Papers/Personal Statements, Summer Transfer Program, Center for Community College Partnerships, UCLA, August 13-17.
- 2007 Workshop: Historically Black Colleges and Universities Summer Transfer Program, Center for Community College Partnerships, UCLA, August 15.
- 2001-2004 *Peer Advisor: Student Heightening Academic Performance through Education (S.H.A.P.E.), UCLA.*

Professional Affiliations

- African Diaspora Research Coalition, Co-Founder, UCLA
- American Historical Association
- American Studies Association
- Association for the Study of African American Life and History
- Association for the Study of the Worldwide African Diaspora
- Collegium for African American Research
- Illinois Chapter Black Panther Party History Project, NFP
- Men of Action, Founder
- National Council for Black Studies
- Organization of American Historians
- Southern Historical Association

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