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Positions

Chair, Department of History, Howard University, 2005-Present
Professor of History, Howard University, Jan. 1, 2003-present
Associate Professor of History, University of Florida, 2000-2002.
Director, African American Studies Program, UFL, 2000-2002.
Associate Professor of History, Columbia University, 1997- 2000.
Assistant Professor of History, Columbia University, 1993-1997.

Education

Ph.D. Stanford University, Department of History, January, 1994.
B.A. Marquette University, December 1984.

Fellowships

Ford Foundation Postdoctoral Fellowship for Minority Scholars, 1995-1996.
Carter G. Woodson Institute Fellowship, 1991-1993.
Mrs. Giles Whiting Fellowship, 1990-1991.
Patricia Harris Fellowship, 1985-1988.

Honors

1998 James A. Rawley Prize of the Organization of American Historians for the best work on race relations history in the United States.
Ralph Metcalf Mini-Chair, Marquette University, April 1997.
Scholar-in-Residence, Schomburg Center for Research in Black Culture, 1995-1996.

Publications

Contempt and Pity: Social Policy and the Image of the Damaged Black Psyche, 1880-1996. Chapel Hill: University of North Carolina Press, 1997.

Mis-Education of the Negro, Carter G. Woodson, edited by Daryl Michael Scott (Washington, D.C.: The ASALH Press, 2005)

“Their Faces Were Black But the Elites Were Untrue: An Essay Review,” The Journal of African American History (June 2006).

“Postwar Pluralism, *Brown v. Board of Education*, and the Origins of Multicultural Education,” *Journal of American History* 91 (June 2004), 69-82.

“Following in the Footsteps of John Hope Franklin,” in *Tributes to John Hope Franklin: Scholar, Mentor, Father, Friend*, Beverly Jarrett, ed. (Columbia, Missouri: University of Missouri Press, 2003), 39-44.

“Postmodern Daze,” *The Nation* Vol. 267, Issue 20 (December 14, 1998): 26-29.

“The Politics of Pathology,” *Journal of Policy History* 8 (Winter 1996): 81-105.

“The Politics of Pathology,” in *Integrating the Sixties*, Brian Balogh, ed. University of Pennsylvania Press, 1996.

“Justifying Equality,” *Educational Foundations* 10 (Summer 1996): 47-68.

A Review of *Soul by Soul: Life Inside the Antebellum Slave Market* by Walter Johnson. History Book Club, March 2000.

A Review of *To Make Our World Anew* by Robin D. G. Kelly and Earl Lewis, eds. History Book Club, August 2000.

A Review of *W. E. B. Du Bois: The Fight for Equality and the American Century* by David Levering Lewis. History Book Club, October 2000.

“Rosy on Race: Orlando Patterson Is an Optimist with an Attitude,” A Review of *The Ordeal of Integration: Progress and Resentment in America’s ‘Racial’ Crisis*. *Washington Post*, January 8, 1998, p. B2.

“Jobs Matter,” A Review of *When Work Disappears: The World of the New Urban Poor* by William J. Wilson. *The African American Review* 32 (Fall 1998): 493-495.

A Review of *Trouble in Mind: Black Southerners in the Age of Jim Crow* by Leon Litwack. History Book Club, 1998.

A Review of *Many Thousands Gone: The First Two Centuries of Slavery in North America* by Ira Berlin. History Book Club, 1998.

A Review of *American Work: Four Centuries of Black and White Labor* by Jacqueline Jones. History Book Club, April 1998.

“Cognitive Conceit: An Essay Review of *The Bell Curve*,” *Social Policy* 25 (Winter 1994): 1-10.

Presentations and Comments:

“Postwar Pluralism and *Brown v. Board of Education*,” University of Virginia, April 12, 2004.

“The Promise of *Brown*,” Stanford University Law School and American Studies Program,” April 16, 2004

Commentator, Panel on Constitutional Defenses of White Supremacy. Organization of American Historians, Boston. April, 2003.

“Racial Nationalism, and the Criminalization of Race,” Chair and Commentator, ASALH Annual Conference, September 26, 2003, Milwaukee.

“States’ Rights and Constitutional Authority in the Twentieth Century South,” Commentator, Organization of American Historians Conference, Boston, March 27, 2003, Milwaukee.

“David Levering Lewis, Man of Letters,” Association for the Study of African American Life and History, February 1, 2003.

“The Intellectual Legacy of John Hope Franklin,” Association for the Study of African American Life and History, October 2, 2002.

“Black Power Movement,” Commentator. Association for the Study of African American Life and History, October 2002.

“Black Militancy in the 1960’s.” Commentator. Association for the Study of African American Life and History, Fall 2002.

“Black Militancy in the 1960’s.” Commentator. Association for the Study of African American Life and History, Fall 2002.

“The Triumph of Civic Nationalism in the American South,” Dartmouth College, January 8, 2002.

“The Decline of White Supremacy,” Duke University, December 11, 2001.

“Better Brown than Red: Southerners, Racial Integrity, and Anti-Communism,” Northwestern University, December 3, 2001.

“White Nationalism in the American South,” University of Richmond, December 5, 2001.

“Half-Men,” Commentator, American Studies Association, Washington, D. C., November 9, 2001.

“The Rise of Statist White Nationalism during the Progressive Era,” White Supremacy, Black Liberation. A Conference in Honor of George Fredrickson, Stanford University, November 2, 2001.

“The Intellectual Contribution of George Fredrickson,” White Supremacy, Black Liberation. A Conference in Honor of George M. Fredrickson, Stanford University, November 2, 2001.

Up from Slavery: The Intellectual Context. Commentator. Revisiting Up from Slavery Conference. University of Florida, October 5, 2001.

“White Nationalism in Historical and Contemporary Perspective.” Commentator. Association for the Study of African American Life and History, September 30, 2001.

“White Nationalism and the Great Displacement,” Johns Hopkins University. May 11, 2000.

“The Long Trek: The Nature of Scholarly Pursuits,” Kluge Scholars Forum, April 20, 2000. Columbia University.

“In Search of a Teachable Du Bois,” Heyerman Center, Columbia University, March 29, 2000.

“White Nationalism among Southerners,” Baruch College, March 23, 2000.

"Americans First: Identity, Patriotism, and the Limits of Southern Resistance to Civic Nationalism," Porter Fortune Conference, University of Mississippi, September 30, 1999.

"The Triumph of Civic Nationalism in the South," University of Kentucky, April 21, 1999.

“New Trends in Migration Studies,” University of Virginia, June 19, 1998.

“Exposed and Abused: Hoberman’s Misrepresentation of Ralph Ellison,” Conference Presentation: Sports Matters: Black Intellectuals Respond to and Transcend Darwin’s Athletes , April 2-4, 1998,

"Subjects and Citizens: The African American in the South after Reconstruction," University of Illinois, November 9, 1998.

American Studies Perspectives on Displacement. Commentator. American Studies Association. October 30, 1997.

“Rosewood: The Scholarship and the Movie,” Marquette University, April 14, 1997.

"The Need for Scholarship," Convocation Speaker, Marquette University, April 13, 1997.

"True and False Pillars of Equality: Brown v. Board of Education and Civil Rights Laws in Historical Perspective." April 15, 1997. Marquette University.

"In the Gaze of Experts: African Americans and Social Science Imagery," Princeton University, January 9, 1996.

"Contempt and Pity: Damage Imagery and African Americans." University of Virginia, February 8, 1996.

"After Cotton: The Black Community in Rural Georgia, 1940-1970." History Department Lecture Series, Columbia University, October 24, 1997.

"Building Bridges: Preparing Graduate Students for an Interdisciplinary and Cross Disciplinary Job Market." American Historical Association. January 4, 1997.

"Victory by Reversal: Liberal Experts, Social Science Theory, and the Defeat of De Jure Segregation." Organization of American Historians. March 29, 1996.

"The Origins of Damage Imagery," The Schomburg Center for the Research in Black Culture, April 23, 1996.

"Of Pride and Scientism: Black Social Scientists and the Retreat from Damage Imagery, 1919-1941." November 9, 1995. American Studies Association Conference.

"Cognitive Deceit: The Bell Curve, Race and the Opportunity Structure," Marquette University Alumni Lecture, July 24, 1995.

"W. E. B. Du Bois, Racial Differences, and Scientism," Englewood Public Library, February 15, 1995.

"The Great Displacement: African-Americans and the Failure of American Social Policy, 1933-1965." September 20, 1995. Twentieth-Century Politics and Society Seminar, Columbia University.

"The Politics of Pathology," The Woodrow Wilson Center, Smithsonian Institute, May 30, 1995.

"The Unmasking of the Oppressed: Experts and the Representation of the Black Psyche," Johns Hopkins University, February 9, 1994.

"The Image of the Damaged Black Male in Postwar Public Policy" University of Texas at Austin, February 16, 1993.

“Damage Imagery and Public Policy, 1954-1966,” Ohio State University, January 12, 1993.

“Recasting the Icons: The Liberal Co-optation of Damage Imagery,” Northwestern University, February 16, 1993.

“Gendered Notions of Black Pathology,” University of California at Davis, February 3, 1993.

“The Culture of Contentment,” Carter G. Woodson Institute, University of Virginia, September 26, 1991.

Courses

Graduate Readings in US History
 Graduate Seminar on US History
 Problems in US History (Graduate)
 African-American History, (Two-Semester Survey)
 Introduction to African American Studies
 Research Seminar on African Americans and the Criminal Justice System
 The Literature of African American Studies in the Social Sciences
 Free Persons of Color in Antebellum America
 Color, Class, and Gender Differences in African-American History
 Black Nationalism in American History
 Graduate Seminar on African-American History
 The Great Depression
 The Jim Crow South
 American Nationalism
 Senior Research Seminar in Modern American History (Two-Semester)

Professional Service

Vice President for Programs, Association for the Study of African American Life and History (ASALH), 2006-
 Executive Council, Association for the Study of African American Life and History (ASALH)
 Chair, Program Committee, ASALH, 2006
 Chair, Program Committee, ASALH, 2004.
 Chair, Publication Committee, ASALH, 2003-
 Wesley-Logan Awards Committee, American Historical Association, 2002-2004
 Merl Curti Awards Committee, Organization of American Historians, 2001-2003
 Co-Chair, Program Committee, Association for the Study of African American Life and History, 2001-2002.
 American Political History Initiative, 2000-
 Panelist, National Endowment for the Humanities, 1997.

Local Arrangements Committee. American Historical Association, January 2-5, 1997
Manuscript Referee for the University of North Carolina Press and Cambridge University Press.

University Service

Chair, Department of History, Howard University, 2005-
Chair, Search Committee, Chair, Department of Afro-American Studies, Howard University
Principal Investigator, Carnegie Initiative on the Doctorate, Department of History, Howard University, 2003- 2005.
Committee Member, Responsive Phd. Committee, Graduate School of Arts and Sciences, Howard University, 2003-present.
Search Committee Member, Associate Vice Provost for Research, Howard University, 2003-present.
Search Committee Chair, African History, Department of History, Howard University, 2004.
Affirmative Action Council, University of Florida, 2000 – 2002.
Graduate Admissions Committee, Department of History, University of Florida, 2000-
Departmental Representative, Summer Session, History Department, Columbia University, 1996-2000.
Departmental Graduate Admissions Committee, Columbia University, 1993-2000.
Graduate Placement Officer, Department of History, Columbia University, 1999-2000.
Mentor, Leadership Alliance Summer Research Program for Minority Scholars, Columbia University, 1993-1995, 1996-1999.
Mentor, Kluge Scholars, Columbia University, 1993-1999.

Memberships

Association for the Study of American Life and History, Lifetime
Association for Black Women's Historians, Lifetime
Organization of American Historians
Southern Historical Association