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EDUCATION

- Ph.D. Yale University, New Haven, Connecticut.
Political Sociology and Comparative Social Change, 1981.
- M.Phil. Yale University, New Haven, Connecticut.
Comparative Social Change, 1977.
- M.A. Yale University, New Haven, Connecticut.
Sociology, 1977.
- M.A. Clark University, Worcester, Massachusetts.
International Urbanization and Public Policy, 1975.
- B.Soc.Sc. University of Guyana, Georgetown, Guyana.
Sociology, 1973.

TEACHING AND PROFESSIONAL POSITIONS

Administrative Positions:

Sept 2016 – Present

Director
African and African Diaspora Studies
Florida International University

July 2008 – Dec 2011

Director
Center for African Studies
University of California, Berkeley

July 2006 – June 2007

Acting Director
Center for Race and Gender
University of California, Berkeley

July 2002-June 2004
Chairperson
African American Studies
University of California at Berkeley

July 1994 - June 2000.
Chairperson,
African American Studies,
University of California at Berkeley

July 1994-June 1996
Director,
Peace and Conflict Studies
University of California at Berkeley

1990-94
Vice Chairperson
African American Studies

Jan-June, 1992
Acting Chairperson,
African American Studies University of California at Berkeley

Teaching Positions:

Jan 2012 – Present
Professor, Global and Sociocultural Studies, Florida International University
Affiliate Professor, African and African Diaspora Studies, Florida International University

2002-2011
Professor, Department of African American Studies.
University of California, Berkeley

1985-2001
Associate Professor with Tenure, Department of African American Studies,
University of California, Berkeley.

1993-1994
Visiting Professor, Faculty of Social Sciences
University of Guyana.

1979 - 1985.
Assistant Professor, Department of Afro-American Studies,
University of California, Berkeley

Spring 1979.
Acting Instructor, Department of Sociology,
Yale University.

1977 - 1978.

Lecturer, Department of Sociology, University of Guyana.

Fall 1976.

Teaching Fellow, Department of Sociology,
Yale University.

Spring 1974 - Spring 1975.

Teaching Assistant, Department of Government and International Relations
Clark University.

Affiliate Positions

Spring 2012 – Present

Affiliate Professor, Latin American and Caribbean Center
Florida International University.

Spring 2015 – Present

Affiliate Professor, Professional MA in Global Affairs
Florida International University

Spring 2012 – Fall 2015

Affiliate Professor, African and African Diaspora Studies
Florida International University.

Professional Positions:

2014 – Present

Co-Organizer: Florida International University-University of the West Indies Partnership and
Collaboration Initiative

2009- Fall 2011

Co-Director (with Peter Bloom and Stephan Meicher)
University of California Multi-Campus Research Group on Africa.

2008 – 2010:

Member, Advisory Board
Cultural Studies Association

2006-2007

President, Caribbean Studies Association.

2005- 2006.

Vice President and President Elect, Caribbean Studies Association

2005 – 2006

Faculty Advisor, Multi-University Africana Intellectual History Project, The Centre for African
Studies, University of Cape Town, the Centre for Caribbean Thought, University of the West
Indies, and the Africana Studies Department, Brown University

- 2004
Academy for Educational Development
Assessing Proposals for U.S. State Department Educational Partnership Program, Western Hemisphere
- 2004
Inter-American Dialogue, Washington D.C. and United States Agency for International Development (Guyana). Guyanese Immigrant Remittances. Report Respondent.
- 2003
Member of Organizing and Selection Committee, *Interrogating the African Diaspora*, An International Summer Graduate Seminar, Florida International University
- 2003-2004
Consultant, Asylum Consultants and Expert Services. New York
- 2002-2005
Elected Member of Executive Council, Caribbean Studies Association
- 1994-2001
President and Co-Founder, Global Education Partnership
Oakland, California
- May, 2000.
Consultant, Ford Foundation, African American Studies Survey.
- September 1999
Expert Witness, Mahabir versus San Jose State University.
- March 1999-December 2003
External Examiner, University of the West Indies, Mona, Jamaica
- 1995-2004
President, Guyanese Association of Northern California
San Francisco, California
- 1994-1996
Advisor, Guyanese Community Council, U.S.A. New York
- July 1994-June 1996
Member of Board, National Council for Black Studies
- 1995-1997
President, Guyanese Association of Northern California, San Francisco, California
- July 1994-June 1996
Member of Board, National Council for Black Studies
- 1992-1994
Appointed Member: North American Consortium for the University of Namibia

1991 - 1992.

Elected Member of the Council, Caribbean Studies Association.

Jan-May 1992

Expert Witness, Alameda County Superior Court

1981 - 1995.

External Examiner, Faculty of Social Sciences, University of Guyana.

AWARDS, SCHOLARSHIPS, AND FELLOWSHIPS

Grants and Fellowships:

Project, Director, U.S. Department of Education, Foreign Language and Area Studies Fellowships, August 2010 – August 2014. \$1,326,000.00

Project Director, U.S. Department of Education, National Resource Center. August 2010 – August 2014. \$1,090,176.00

Co-Principal Investigator (With Peter Bloom and Stephan Miecher). University of California Research in the Humanities. *Critical Historicities between Africa and the Diaspora*. 2010- 2011. \$10,000.00

Principal Investigator (with Pedro Noguera), Ford Foundation. Organizational Restructuring: Caribbean Studies Association. July 2006 – December 2007. \$98,100.00

Principal Investigator, Ministry of External Relations, Grant to Caribbean Studies Association to Promote Brazil-Caribbean Relations through the field of Caribbean Studies. \$30,000.00
May 2007.

July 2006 – June 2007: Committee on Research Grant, University of California, Berkeley.

2000-2001. Principal Investigator. Ford Foundation. "African American Studies Strategic Planning Retreat." \$31,000.00

1999-2002. Principal Investigator, Ford Foundation, "African Diaspora Studies in the 21st Century: Developing the Discipline through Networks and Collaborations. \$405,000.00

2000-2001. Principal Investigator, "Urban Teacher Apprenticeship Project" Presidential Grants in Education. University of California. \$28,000.00

1997-2000. Principal Investigator. HUD and Institute of Urban and Regional and Development, Joint Community Development Program, Oakland Oral History Project. \$55,000.00

1997-99. Co-Principal Investigator. "African Diaspora Studies, Multiculturalism and Identity Construction". Ford Foundation. \$350,000.00

1998-99. Co- Investigator. Institute of International Studies: Ford Foundation Crossing Borders Program. Remapping Identities: The African American Diaspora and Pan Indian Movements.

1998, Principal Investigator "African Diaspora Studies Conference" University of California Humanities Research Institute..

1998-2000. Institute of International Studies, Graduate Student Funding Grant.

1985- 1987. Institute for International Studies Research Grants. University of California, Berkeley (1985-87).

Summer, 1983. Center for Latin American Studies/Mellon Foundation Research Grant. University of California, Berkeley.

1983 and 1990. Summer Faculty Research Grants. University of California, Berkeley (1983 and 1980).

1978-1979. Shell Companies Foundation Incorporated Grant for Dissertation Research. Yale University.

1977-1978. Ford Foundation Research Scholarship.

1976-1977. Ford Foundation Fellowship for Doctoral Candidates from the Caribbean Region,

1975-1979. Yale University Fellowship.

1973-1975. Clark University Scholarship.

Awards and Medals

Professional Master of Arts in Global Affairs
Faculty of the Year Award,
Florida International University, 2016

Professional Master of Arts in Global Governance
Best Course Award
Florida International University, 2015

The Panamanian Council of New York
Honorary Plenipotentiary Diplomat for Contribution to the Caribbean
January 18th 2007

Office of the President, Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York.
Citation for contribution to the Caribbean Community.
January 18th, 2007

Caribbean-American Heritage Association Legacy Heritage Award
Commitment and Excellence in the Field of Education
June 2008.

Public Service Award. Guyanese Council, U.S.A. May, 1994

Presidential Award for Overall Contribution to the Field of Black Studies. National Council for Black Studies. June 1994

American Cultures Faculty Fellowship. Center for the Teaching and Study of American Cultures, University of California at Berkeley. Summer, 1991.

Arnold and Caroline Rose Monograph Series, American Sociological Association, Manuscript "The Costs of Regime Survival" accepted by series. June 1987

The Chancellor's Medal. University of Guyana, 1973. Awarded to the second best graduating student.

The Board of Governor's Prize. University of Guyana, 1973. Awarded to the graduating student who has made the most outstanding contribution to university affairs.

The Milton Gregg Award. University of Guyana, 1972. Awarded to the most academically outstanding third year sociology major.

Other Special Invitations

Special Invited Delegate, Human Rights Council, Forum on Minority Issues, Third Session, United Nations High Commission on Human Rights, Geneva, Switzerland, December 14-16th, 2010

PUBLICATIONS

BOOKS:

Global Circuits of Blackness: Interrogating the African Diaspora. Jean Rahier, Percy C. Hintzen, Filipe Smith (eds). Champaign, Illinois: University of Illinois Press, 2010

Problematizing Blackness: Self-Ethnographies by Black Immigrants to the United States. Percy C Hintzen and Jean Rahier (eds). Routledge, 2003.

West Indians in the West: Self Representations in a Migrant Community. New York: New York University Press, 2001

The Costs of Regime Survival: Racial Mobilization, Elite Domination and Control of the State in Guyana and Trinidad. Cambridge: Cambridge University Press, 1989.

SPECIAL ISSUES OF JOURNAL

Co-Editor, Special Issue "HIV/AIDS in the Caribbean". *Global Public Health*. This has been accepted and contributions are currently being written for review by the Journal after preliminary review by the Editors. **Impact factor:** 1.614 (2019) Forthcoming.

ARTICLES AND CHAPTERS

"Introduction to the Special Issue: Applying a Caribbean perspective to an analysis of HIV/AIDS." Percy Hintzen, Jack Vertovec, Elena Cyrus, Mark Padilla, and Nelson Varas-Diaz. "HIV/AIDS in the Caribbean". *Global Public (2019)*

DOI: 10.1080/17441692.2019.1658122. link: <https://doi.org/10.1080/17441692.2019.1658122>.

Impact factor: 1.614 (2019)

“Precarity and the HIV/AIDS Pandemic in the Caribbean: Structural Stigma, constitutionality, Legality in Development Practice.” Special Issue “**HIV/AIDS in the Caribbean**”. *Global Public (2019)*. <https://doi.org/10.1080/17441692.2019.1632367> . DOI 10.1080/17441692.2019.1632367. **Impact factor:** 1.614 (2019)

“Epilogue: The Political Economy of Music and Sound.” In **The Political Economy of Music and Sound: Case Studies in the Caribbean Tourist Industry**. Jocelyne Guilbault and Timothy Rommen. Duke University Press., 2019. (Forthcoming)

“The EU, CARIFORUM, AND CELAC: A New Development Alliance” in **EU Development Policies: between norms and geopolitics?** Markus Thiel, Sylvia Maier, and Sarah Beringer. Eds. New York: Palgrave McMillan, 2019

“Rethinking Regionalism: Beyond the CARICOM Integration Project”. In Patsy Lewis, ed. **Pan-Caribbean Integration: Beyond CARICOM**. New York, Routledge, 2018

“Towards a New Politics of Glocalization in the Caribbean: Local Empowerment, Regional Reformulation, and the New Global Order. ” In **Beyond Westminster in the Caribbean**. Kate Quinn and Brian Meeks, Eds. Kingston and New York, Ian Randle Press, 2018.

“Rethinking identity, national sovereignty, and the state: reviewing some critical contributions”. Special Anniversary Issue, *Social Identities*. Volume 24, Issue 1 2018. DOI: <https://doi.org/10.1080/13504630.2017.1314923>

“Culturalism, Developmentalism, Neoliberalism and the Failure of Political Economy Critique: The Anglophone West Indies. ” Percy C. Hintzen and Charisse Burden-Stelly. *C. L. R. James Journal*. Vol. 22, Nos. 1 and 2. 2017. Special Issue.

“After Modernization: Globalization and the African Dilemma” in **Modernization as Spectacle in Africa**. Pp. 2 – 39. Peter J. Bloom, Takyiwaa Manuh, and Stephan Miescher, Eds. Indiana University Press. 2014

“Contradictions and Ambivalences of Diasporic Identity: Practices of Exclusion, Cultural Politics, and Processes of Hierarchization” Percy C. Hintzen and Jean Muteba Rahier in *Global Circuits of Blackness: Interrogating the African Diaspora*. Filipe Smith, Jean Rahier, Percy C. Hintzen (eds). Champaign, Illinois: University of Illinois Press, 2010 .

Commentary on “Homeland and Belonging among Cubans in Spain” Mette Louis Berg. *Journal of Latin American and Caribbean Anthropology* . Vol 14. No. 2. 2009. pp. 205-298 2009.

“Desire and the Enrapture of Capitalist Consumption: Product Red, Africa, and the Crisis of Sustainability.” *The Journal of Pan African Studies*. Vol. 2 no.6, September 2008. Pp 77-91

“Diaspora, Globalization and the Politics of Identity” in *Caribbean Reasonings: Culture, Politics Race and Diaspora-The Thought of Stuart Hall*, Brian Meeks, ed. Kingston and New York. Ian Randle, 2006, pp 233-286

Reprinted in *Les diaspras dans le monde contemporain*. William Berthomiere et Christine Chivallon. Paris, France: Edicions KARTHALA, AND MSHA, DOMAINE UNIVERSITARE. 2006. PP 107-124.

Reprinted in *Diversidade, Espaço e Relacies etbuci-raciais o Negro na Geografia do Brasil*. Ronato Emerson dos Santos (ed). Belo Horizonte, Autentica, 2007.

"Jagan, Janet," *Encyclopedia of Latin American History and Culture*, 2nd ed. May, 2008.

Commentary on "Public Bodies:..." *The Journal of Latin American Anthropology*. Volume 11, No. 1. April 2006. pp. 42-45.

"Nationalism and the Invention of Development: Modernity and the Cultural Politics of Resistance" *Social and Economic Studies*, *Special Issue on Sir Arthur Lewis*, Part 1. Edited by Patricia Northover. Vol 54, No 3. September, 2005. pp. 66-96.

"Globalization and Diasporic Identity Among West Indians" in *Caribbean Popular Culture and Globalization* edited by Christine G.T. Ho and Keith Nurse. Kingston, Jamaica: Ian Randle 2005

"Imagining Home: Race and the West Indian Diaspora in the San Francisco Bay Area" *Journal of Latin American Anthropology* 9(2)289-318. American Anthropological Association. Reprinted in *Global Circuits of Blackness: Interrogating the African Diaspora*. Filipe Smith, Jean Rahier, Percy C. Hintzen (eds). Champaign, Illinois: University of Illinois Press, 2010.

"Creoleness and Nationalism in Guyanese Anticolonialism and Postcolonial Formation" Special Issue, *Guyana: The Present against the Past*, *Small Axe* #15 (March 2004).

From Structural Politics to the Politics of Deconstruction: Self-Ethnographies Problematizing Blackness" in *Problematizing Blackness: Self-Ethnographies by Black Immigrants to the United States*. Percy C Hintzen and Jean Rahier (eds). Routledge, 2003. pp: 1-20.

"Whiteness, Desire, Sexuality, and the Production of Black Subjectivities in British Guiana, Barbados, and the United States" in *Problematizing Blackness: Self-Ethnographies by Black Immigrants to the United States*. Percy C Hintzen and Jean Rahier (eds). Routledge, 2003

"Race, Ideology, and International Relations: Sovereignty and the Disciplining of Guyana's Working Class" *Living at the Borderlines: Issues in Caribbean Sovereignty and Development* edited by Cynthia Barrow-Giles and Don D. Marshall. Kingston, Jamaica: Ian Randle. 2003.

"Rethinking Democracy in the Post-Nationalist State: The case of Trinidad and Tobago." In *Elements of Political Culture in the Caribbean* edited by Holger Henke and Fred Reno. Kingston, Jamaica. Univ. of West Indies Press. 2004.

"Race and Creole Ethnicity in the Caribbean" in *Questioning Creole: Creolisation Discourses in Caribbean Culture*" edited by Verene A. Shepherd and Glen L. Richards. Kingston: Ian Randle,. London: James Currey, 2002

"Guyana Today: Politics, Race, and Crisis in Guyana" *Diaspora*, February/March 2002, Pp. 82-86

“Racial and Ethnic Identity in the Caribbean” in *The Blackwell Companion to Racial and Ethnic Studies*, edited by John Solomos and David Goldberg. Oxford: Blackwell 2001

“Afro-Creole Nationalism as Elite Domination: The English Speaking West Indies” in *Foreign Policy and the Black International Interest*, edited by Charles P. Henry. New York: State University of New York Press, 2001

"Rethinking Democracy in a Post-Nationalist State" in *New Caribbean Thought* edited by Brian Meeks and Folke Lindahl. Kingston: University of the West Indies Press. 2001. Pp 104-124. Reprinted in modified form in *Humanities and Social Sciences in East and Central Africa: Theory and Practice* edited by Isaria N. Kimambo.. Dar es Salaam. Dar Es Salaam University Press. 2003.

“Identity, Arena, and Performance: Being West Indian in the San Francisco Bay Area” in *Representations of Blackness and the Performance of Identities* edited by Jean Rahier. Westport: Greenwood Press, 2000

"Identity, Nationalism and Elite Domination: The English Speaking West Indies" in *Ethnic Cleavages and Closure in the Caribbean Diaspora: Interactions of Race, Ethnicity, and Class* edited by Prem Misir. New York: Caribbean Diaspora University Press. 2000 pp. 78-110.

Cheddi Jagan (1918-97): Charisma and Guyana's Response to Western Capitalism" in *Caribbean Charisma: Reflections on Leadership, Legitimacy, and Populist Politics*. Edited by Anton Allahar. Boulder, Colorado: Lynn Reinner Publishers. 2001. Pp 121-154.

“Democracy on Trial: The December 1997 Elections in Guyana and its Aftermath” in *Caribbean Studies Newsletter*, Vol 25 No 3 September/October 1998, pp. 13-16.

“Adapting to Segregation: African American Strategies in the Post Welfare Environment” *Harvard Journal of African American Public Policy*, Vol IV 1998 pp 45-48.

"Reproducing Domination: Identity and Legitimacy Constructs in the West Indies." *Social Identities*, Vol 3. No. 1. 1997

"Conversation: Racial Formation in Contemporary American National Identity" *Social Identities* Vol. 2, No. 1 February 1996 with David Golberg, Richard Ford, Angie Chabram and Herman Gray.

" Socioeconomic obstacles to HIV prevention and care in developing countries: the role of structural adjustment programs" by Peter Lurie, Percy C. Hintzen, and Robert A. Lowe. *AIDS*. Vol 9, No. 6. 1995. pp.1-8.

Reprinted in *HIV and Aids in Africa* edited by Ezekiel Kalipeni, Susan Craddock, oseph R. Oppong and Jayati Ghosh. London and New York: Blackwell, 2004

"Structural Adjustment and the New International Middle Class" *Transition* vol 24, February 1995, pp 53-73.

"Race and International Relation: History and the making of Modern Haiti" *International Journal of Comparative Race and Ethnic Relations*, Vol 1. No. 2. 1994, pp 32-48.

"Racism in Foreign Policy and Development Programs" in *The Color of Hunger: Race and Hunger in National and International Perspective* edited by David L. Shields, New York: Rowman and Littlefield, 1995.

"Guyana: Cheddi Jagan, President" *Current Leaders*, North Wales, PA: Current Leaders Publishing Company, 1992

"Democratic Processes and Middle Class Domination in the West Indies" in *Democracy in the Caribbean*, edited by C. Edie. New York: Praeger, 1994

"Trinidad and Tobago: Democracy and Racial Politics" in *Democracy in the Caribbean* edited by C. Edie. New York: Praeger, 1994.

"Alternatives in the Caribbean" in *Christianity and Crisis*_Vol. 51, No. 19, January 1992.

"Guyana:" in *Latin American and Caribbean Contemporary Record*. Volume IX: 1989-90. Edited by Edwardo Gamarra. New York: Holms and Meier, 1997

"Ethnicity y clase social en la politica Caribena postcolonial" in *El Caribe Hacia el 2000*. A. Serbin and A. Bryan, A.: Caracas: Editorial Nueva Sociedad, 1991

"Arthur Lewis and the Development of Middle Class Ideology" R. Premdas and E. St. Cyr, *Sir Arthur Lewis: An Economic and Political Portrait* Mona, Jamaica: Institute of Social and Economic Studies, University of the West Indies, 1991.

"Guyana:" in *Latin American and Caribbean Contemporary Record*. Volume VIII: 1988-89 edited by James Malloy and Edwardo Gamarra. New York: Holms and Meier, 1990.

"Guyana:" in *Latin American and Caribbean Contemporary Record*. Volume VI: 1986-87 edited by Abraham Lowenthal. New York: Holms and Meier, 1989.

Fifty-seven biographic entries on leaders of the Anglophone Caribbean in *Dictionary of Latin American and Caribbean Political Biography* edited by Robert J. Alexander. Westport, Connecticut: Greenwood Press, 1988. With Marvin Will.

Fourteen biographic entries on Haitian leaders in *Dictionary of Latin American and Caribbean Political Biography* edited by Robert J. Alexander. Westport, Connecticut: Greenwood Press, 1988.

"Race, Class, and Development: Toward an Explanation of Poverty and Repression in Less Developed Countries." *Plural Societies*, 15: 1984.

"The Dynamics of Ethnicity, Class, and International Capitalist Penetration in Political Economy: A comparative analysis of Guyana and Trinidad." *Social and Economic Studies* Vol. 34, No. 3. Sept. 1985.

"Race and Class in Less Developed Countries: The Cases of Guyana and Trinidad." *Transition*, Vol. 9. 1984.

"Race, Ideology and Power in Guyana." *Journal of Commonwealth and Comparative Politics*, Special Issue *Race and Politics in the Caribbean* Vol. XXI, No. 2, July 1983 (with Ralph Premdas).

"Bases of Elite Support for a Regime: Race, Ideology, and Clientelism as Bases for Leaders in Guyana and Trinidad." *Comparative Political Studies*, Fall 1983.

"Guyana: Coercion and Control in Political Change." *Journal of Inter-American Studies and World Affairs*, August 1982 (with Ralph Premdas).
Reprinted in *The Enigma of Ethnicity* edited by Ralph Premdas. St. Augustine, Trinidad: Univ. of West Indies Press, 1993.

"Myth, Ideology, and Crisis in Plantation Society: The Guyanese Example." *Working Papers in Caribbean Society*. Series A, No. 4. University of the West Indies, St. Augustine, Trinidad, October/November 1978.

"Industrialism or Development: Alternative Choices for Developing Countries." *Release*, Vol. 1, No. 1. January 1978.

"The Colonial Foundations of Race Relations and Ethnic Politics in Guyana." *The Guyana Journal of Sociology*. Vol. 1 No. 1. 1975.

OTHER PUBLICATIONS

"Bombing rubble may obscure the real Kenya", *Newsday*, Sunday August 16, 1998

"The Cooperative Republic in Guyana." Two series of eleven talks on the Cooperative Republic of Guyana given on the two national radio stations in Guyana, Radio Rorima and Guyana Broadcasting Service as part of a series on Living History.
Published in the series "History Today" *Stabroek News*, March 3-15, 1995

"Commentary" in a symposium on "The Democrats in the Whitehouse" *Socialist Review*, Vol. 22, no. 3, July-Sept 1992.

Op Ed Articles in major national and international newspapers on an ongoing basis as a writer for Pacific News Service news agency

Under Revision

Reproducing Domination: On the Caribbean Postcolonial State. Book-Length Manuscript under preparation and under consideration by *University of Mississippi Press*.

Contracted Reports 2009-10

Review Team Leader Quality Assurance Review Report, Sir Arthur Lewis Institute of Social and Economic Studies, Faculty of Social Sciences, The University of the West Indies. March, 2010.

Review Team Leader, Barbados Review Committee Report 2008-2009, University of California Education Abroad Program, February 2009

BOOK REVIEWS

Review of *Georges Woke Up Laughing: Long Distance Nationalism and the Search for Home*, by **Nina Glick Schiller and Georges Eugene Fouron**. Durham and London: Duke University Press, 2001, *Contemporary Sociology*

Thunder in Guyana, 2003. A film by *Suzanne Wasserman*. 50 min. Color. Distributed by Women Make Movies. *Journal of Latin American Anthropology* (9)2, 2004

Review of "Prescriptions and Policies: The Social Well-Being of African Americans in the 1990's" edited by Dionne W. Jones in *Contemporary Sociology*. 1995.

Review of "Trinidad Ethnicity" edited by Kevin Yelvington in *Studies in Comparative International Development*, Vol 28. No.4, Winter, 1994

Review of Born Fi' Dead: A Journey Through the Jamaican Posse Underworld, by Laurie Gunst. *Contemporary Sociology* Vol 25, No. 4. July 1996.

Review of "Politics, Race and Youth in Guyana" by Madan M.Gopal in New West Indian Guide . Vol 70 (3&4) 1996

Review of Ambivalent Anti-Colonialism: The United States and the Genesis of West Indian Independence, 1940-1964. By Cary Fraser. In New West Indian Guide. Vol 71, no. 1 & 2. 1997.

Review of "Guinea's Other Suns: The African Dynamic in Trinidad Culture." by Maureen Warner Lewis in The International Journal of African Historical Studies. Vol 26, 1C, 1993

Review of "Singing with Sai Baba: The Politics of Revitalization in Trinidad." by Morton Klass. American Anthropologist. 1992.

Review of "In the Shadows of the Sun: Caribbean Development. Alternatives and U.S. Policy" by Carmen Diana DEERE, coordinator in Inter-American Review of Bibliography. Vol. 40, No. 4. 1990

Review of "The Narrative of Liberation: Perspectives on Afro-Caribbean Literature, Popular Culture, and Politics" by Patrick Taylor in The Americas. Vol 23. no 1. 1990

Review of "Power and Prejudice: The politics and Diplomacy of Racial Discrimination" by Paul G. Lauren in The International Journal of African Historical Studies. Vol 23, Number 1 (1990)

Review of "Guyana: Politics and Development in an Emergent Socialist State" by Kempe Hope, "Trinidad and Tobago: Democracy and Development in the Caribbean" by Scott B. McDonald, "Revolutionary Grenada: A Study in Political Economy" by Frederic L. Pryor, and "Militarization in the Non-Hispanic Caribbean" by Alma H. Young and Dion E. Phillips in American Political Science Review, Vol. 81, 1988.

Review of "A Political and Social History of Guyana" by Thomas J. Spinner in Hispanic American Historical Review, August 1985.

Review of "Domination and Power in Guyana" by George K. Danms in Hispanic American Historical Review, August 1982.

Review of "Democracy and Clientelism in Jamaica" by Carl Stone in New West Indian

Guide, Fall 1983.

Review of "Capitalism and Legal Change" by Francis G. Snyder in Contemporary Sociology, November 1982.

"Ethnicity and Ethnic Mobilization", a review essay of "National and Ethnic Movements" edited by Jacques Dofny and Akinsola Akiwowo, and "Ethnic Resurgence in Modern Democratic States: A Multi-Disciplinary Approach to Human Resources and Conflict" edited by Uri Ra'anan, John P. Roche, et. al. in Contemporary Sociology, May 1981.

Review of "Guyana Emergent" by Robert H. Manley in Contemporary Sociology, May 1981.

Oral History

Oakland Oral History Project on Identity Construction: A study of the historical construction of race and identity post-war Oakland, California.

LECTURES AND PAPERS

Conference and Panel Organizer

Organizer and Participant. Workshop on "*Planning and Organizing for FIU/Caribbean Research and Collaborative Initiatives*" Conference on *Fifty-Fifty: Critical Reflections in a Time of Uncertainty*, The Sir Arthur Lewis Institute for Social and Economic Studies (SALISES), University of the West Indies. August 20-24, 2012. (Panel Chair and **Conference Organizer.** Cultural Studies Association Eighth Annual Conference, University of California, Berkeley March 18th-20th 2010

Conference Organizer. "Alternative Interpretations of the Circum-Caribbean: Interrogating Connections across history, Society, Culture, and Performance" Caribbean Studies Association, Salvador da Bahia, Brazil. May 28 – June 1, 2007

Conference Co-Organizer. "The Caribbean in the Age of Modernity: The Role of the Academy in Responding to the Challenges of the Region" Caribbean Studies Association, Port-of-Spain, Trinidad. May 29-June 2, 2006

Organizer. Summer Teaching Institute: "Teaching About Africa & the African Diaspora- A Two-day Institute for K-12 and College Educators" June 16th and 17th, African American Studies, University of California, Berkeley, 2003

Co-Convener, Workshop on "Cloning Cultures" Humanities Research Institute, University of California, Irvine and African American Studies, University of California, Berkeley. May 2nd, 2003, University of California, Berkeley.

Organizer of Summer Teaching Institute: "Teaching About Africa & the African Diaspora- A Two-day Institute for K-12 and College Educators" June 16th and 17th, African American Studies, University of California, Berkeley, 2003

Co-Convener, Workshop on “Cloning Cultures” Humanities Research Institute, University of California, Irvine and African American Studies, University of California, Berkeley. May 2nd, 2003, University of California, Berkeley.

Organizer of Special Plenary. The Guyana Situation. In recognition of the political crisis in Guyana that descended into acts of racially motivated violence between March and May 2001, I was asked to organize a public meeting among leading Guyanese political personalities on the nature of the present crisis and the way forward. Leading Members of the Government, the major opposition parties, and women's groups participated in the discussion. It was hosted by the Caribbean Studies Association and held in St Martin from May 27- June 2. 2001

Conference Co-Organizer, A Dialogue with Cuba" University of California, Berkeley, March 19-21, 1998

Conference Organizer. “African Diaspora Studies on the Eve of the 21st Century: An International Conference”. University of California, Berkeley, California April 30th– May 2nd, 1998

Lectures and Presentations

Keynote Address “Teaching within higher education in an era of socio-economic dynamism”. Inaugural Symposium for the Center of Excellence for Teaching and Learning. The University of Guyana, Turkeyen Campus, Georgetown, Guyana. February 13th

Keynote Address: “Globalization, Development, and Sustainability: Africa’s Role”. Guyana National Reparations Commission, Georgetown, Guyana, February, 13th.

“The EU, CARIFORUM, AND CELAC: and the new multilateral alliance: the respecification and reconsolidation of old colonial ties in the era U.S. hegemonic decline”. Presented at conference on **The Caribbean in the Strategic Partnership EU-CELAC**, Institute des Ameriques, The EU-Latin American Foundation, and Ministry of Foreign Affairs of France. June 1st, 2018 Paris France.

Guyana Shield: An Aspirational Project for Sub-Regional Integration” Presented at “Center for Strategic And International Studies” forum on **Guyana Shield: A Zone of Southern Caribbean Integration and Sustainable Development- Guyana, Suriname and French Guyane”** Wednesday, November 29th, 2017. Washington. DC.

Globalization, Development, and the Crisis of Sustainability. Fourth Cohort of 2017 Mandela Washington Fellowship Program. Florida International University, July 1^{9th}, 2017.

African Diaspora Studies: A retrospective” **Opening Keynote Panel.** Black Currents: The 20th Anniversary Symposium of African Diaspora Studies at U.C. Berkeley. University of California, Berkeley. December 7th, 2017

“The EU, CARIFORUM, AND CELAC: A New Development Alliance. International Studies Association 58th Annual Convention, Baltimore, February 22nd-25th 2017

*“The EU, CARIFORUM, AND CELAC: and the new multilateral alliance: the respecification and reconsolidation of old colonial ties in the era U.S. hegemonic decline”.***2015/16 Jean Monnet Center Conference.** Florida International University February 22-23, 2016

“Towards Strategies for Increased Growth with Equity and Stability in the West Indies: Background”. *Meeting of Regional Experts*, Political Economy and Policy Project, SALISES, University of the West Indies, and Latin American and Caribbean Center, FIU. April 1st, 2015.

“Barbara Christian: Postcolonial Feminist Critique” *Barbara Christian, Legacy, Lessons, and 21st Century Black Feminism*. *40th Annual Conference of the Caribbean Studies Association*, New Orleans, May 2015

“Developmentalism and Post-Colonial Crisis in the Anglophone Caribbean” at The 16th Annual SALISES Conference: The W Arthur Lewis Centennial January 14-16, 2015. St Lucia, West Indies

“Towards a New Politics of Glocalization in the Caribbean: Local Empowerment, Regional Reformulation, and the New Global Order” at *Beyond Westminster in the Caribbean: Critiques, Challenges, and Reform*. University of the West Indies, Mona, Jamaica. 11-12 September 2014

Panel Chair: “Latin America, Cuba, and the United States”, *Tenth Conference on Cuban and Cuban American Studies*. Florida International University, Cuban Research Institute. February 27th, 2014

“Introduction of Prime Minister of St. Lucia Kenny J. Anthony” *Sixteenth Eric Williams Memorial Lecture*, Florida International University, African and African Diaspora Studies, Miami. October 17th, 2014

Invited Public Lecture, “*The Caribbean in the New Global Order: Tricontinental Challenges from the Global South*” Carleton College, Minneapolis, Minnesota, April 21st, 2014 (forthcoming)

Invited Lecture “*Black Immigrants in the United States*”, African American Studies, Carleton College, Minneapolis, Minnesota. April 22nd, 2014

Diaspora, Affective Ties, and the New Global Order: Caribbean Implications. Presented at Conference “Rethinking Regionalism: Beyond the CARICOM Integration Project” University of the West Indies, Mona, Jamaica, October 7-9. 2013

Workshop Participant, *The Politics of Leadership in Caribbean Integration*. Roundtable Presentation, Beyond the CARICOM Integration Project” University of the West Indies, Mona, Jamaica, October 7-9. 2013

Approaches to Caribbean Political Economy and Public Policy Trans-institutional Intellectual Collaboration” Presented at the Sir Arthur Lewis Institute of Social and Economic Studies, University of the West Indies, Mona, Jamaica. December 6th, 2013

Towards a New Global Order: Tricontinental Challenges from the Global South. Presentation, SAGGSA Colloquium Series, Global and Sociocultural Studies, Florida International University, December 13, 2013

“Tourism and Pro-Poor Sustainable Development in Sub-Saharan Africa and the Caribbean: Conclusion and Possible Future Collaborations” Presenter and Panel Chair, International Conference on *Tourism and Pro-Poor Sustainable Development in Sub-Saharan Africa and the Caribbean*. African and African Diaspora Studies, Florida International University. April 4-6, 2013.

Archiving Africa and the African Diaspora. Archives of Post-Independence Africa and Its Diaspora. Goree Island, Dakar, Senegal 20-23 June, 2012

The Caribbean in the Modern World: Ideology, Reality, and Utopian Vision, Panel on Diaspora and Linkages in the New Global Architecture of Caribbean Development, Conference on *Fifty-Fifty: Critical Reflections in a Time of Uncertainty*, The Sir Arthur Lewis Institute for Social and Economic Studies (SALISES), University of the West Indies. August 20-24, 2012. (Panel Chair and Presenter)

“New Possibilities in the Ferment of Globalization: Diaspora, sameness and connections across difference.” Reception Keynote, “Im/Mobilities and Dis/Connections” Second Annual SAGGSA Graduate Student Conference, Florida International University, April 4th, 2013

“Theorizing The African Diaspora: Cuba, Haiti, Maroons, and Black Caribs” Dispersed People: The Cuban and Other Diasporas. Latin American and Caribbean Center. Florida International University. May 23-25, 2013.

Panel Discussant. *Myth Making, Modernity, and Representations in the Black Atlantic*. **Remapping the Black Atlantic: Diaspora, (Re) Writings of Race and Space: An International Conference**. DePaul University, Chicago Illinois. April 12-14, 2013

The Caribbean: Prospects for the next 50 Years. 50th Anniversary of Independence for Trinidad and Jamaica, Special Collections and the Digital Library of the Caribbean. Florida International University, February 28th, 2012.

The Caribbean in the Modern World: Ideology, Reality, and Utopian Vision. Keynote Address, Caribbean Crossroads, University of California, Santa Barbara. November 2011

Globalization and the Problem of Blackness: Africa as Solution. Special Invited Lecture: Postgraduate Seminar on Multiculturalism and Intercultural Dynamics. Faculty of Letters, University of Lisboa. April 13th, 2011

Diaspora, Consciousness, and Recognition: The Foundations of Black Identity. Special Invited Lecture, Centre for Comparative Studies of the University of Lisbon. April 13th, 2011

Diaspora, Consciousness, and Recognition: The foundations of Black Identity. Conference on **Africa's Global Connections: Symposium on Africa and the African Diaspora**. African and African-American Studies Research Center University of California, San Diego. May 26th, 2011. Panel Chair and Presenter.

Keynote Graduation Address, “Why Berkeley, Why Poverty?” Global Poverty and Practice Graduation. University of California, Berkeley. May 4th, 2010.

“Cultural Studies, Public Education, and Economic Utility” Plenary Panel “Disciplinary Displacement: Tracking Cultural Studies”. Eighth Annual Conference, Cultural Studies Association, University of California, Berkeley March 18th-20th 2010

Special Invited Lecture. “Re-Theorizing the African Diaspora: Metaphor, Revelation, Recognition and Consciousness” University of California, Santa Barbara, African American Studies, April 15th, 2010

Re-Theorizing the African Diaspora” Conference on Emerging Directions in African and African-American Diaspora Studies. Rutgers University, November 13th, 2009.

Panel Discussant “Modernity” University of California Multi Campus Research Group: Revisiting Modernization, University of Ghana, Legon, Ghana Africa,,July 26th – August 2nd, 2009

Commentator, “Proceedings: Closing Session” University of California Multi Campus Research Group: Revisiting Modernization University of Ghana, Legon, Ghana Africa, July 26th – August 2nd, 2009.

Invited Paper, “From Savage to Savior: Africa, Obama, and the Crisis of Sustainability” Conference on The ‘Alternative’ African Diaspora: Emergent, Oppositional and New Discourses in the Field.” University of Hawaii at Manoa, January 15-16, 2009

Panel Convener and Moderator, “The Migration of Cultural Studies Across the Disciplines” The Cultural Studies Association's 9th Annual Conference, Kansas City, April 16th- 19th. 2009.

"On the Usefulness of the Concept of ‘Diaspora’: Perspectives on Studying Blackness, Africa, and Contemporary Formations in the 21st Century". Roundtable Presentation, 107th Annual Meeting of the AAA, San Francisco, California., November 2008

Distinguished Lecture “Blackness, Globalization and Modernity: The Critical Centrality of Diaspora” School of International and Public Affairs, College of Arts and Sciences, Florida International University, October 31, 2008

“Race, Journalism and the 2008 Elections” Professional Forum, Boalt Law School, UCB, October 21, 2008

Seminar Panel, “Transoceanic Discourses” Cultural Studies Association, 7th Annual Conference New York, May 22-24, 2008.

Invited Lecture, Pratt Institute, New York Speaker Series. ”The Caribbean, Freedom, and the Ruses of Global Capital.” May 21, 2008

“Caribbean, Freedom and the Ruses of Global Capital” Invited Paper, Conference on “M.G. Smith and the Emergence of Social Anthropology in the Caribbean and Beyond”. The University of the West Indies, Mona, Jamaica. June 11-13, 2008

“Citizenship and the Modern Subject: Caribbean Moves.” Plenary Panel, “Law and Global Minorities,” Cultural Studies Association, 7th Annual Conference, New York, May 22-24, 2008

“Politics of Publishing.” Roundtable Presentation, Drake Forum, African American Studies, UCB. May 14th 2008.

Invited Presenter. “The Afro-Caribbean Diaspora in the United States: An Authors’ Roundtable”. 4th Conference of the Association for the Study of the Worldwide African Diaspora, October 9-12. 2007, University of the West Indies, Cave Hill, Barbados.

“Sociology and Comparative Perspectives” Invited Presenter, “One Hundred and Thirty Three Years of Sociology at Yale”, Association of Yale Alumni Conference, Yale University, April 13 – 17, 2007

Panel Organizer and Moderator, “Music, Popular Culture and Diasporic Knowledges” Workshop on African and African Diasporic Knowledges, University of Cape Town from October 23-25, 2006.

“Marginalization, Masculinity, and Globalization in Brazil and the Anglophone Caribbean” conference on “Alternative Interpretations of the Circum-Caribbean: Interrogating Connections across history, Society, Culture, and Performance” Caribbean Studies Association, Salvador da Bahia, Brazil. May 28 – June 1, 2007

Invited Presenter, “Hybridity and Borders: Latin America and the Caribbean” Conversations Across the Americas Forum, Annual Special Event of the Society for Latin American [and Caribbean] Anthropology, American Anthropological Association, Annual Conference, November 2006.

“Hierarchies of Color and Caribbean Identity” Hierarchies of Color Conference, Center for Race and Gender. University of California, Berkeley. December 2 – 5, 2005.

Stanford University, Caribbean Studies Association, “Development in the Caribbean” 29th April 2005.

“Globalization, Immigration and Education in the Global City: Now and Then” at conference on Educating the Global City Inaugural Conference, IGEMS, New York University, Steinhardt School, November 1st, 2005

Pacific News Service, “Lessons of Katrina,” Panel Discussion, October 27th, 2005, University of California, Berkeley

Food First Institute for Food and Development Policy Food and Development Panel Presentation. “A 21st Century model program for ending hunger, poverty and promoting sustainable development in the U.S. and Africa.” 18th October 2005

“Diaspora, Globalization and the Politics of Identity” Association for the Study of Worldwide Diaspora, Third Biennial Conference, Rio de Janeiro, Brazil. October 5-7, 2005.

Invited Paper, “From Culture and Development to the Cultural Politics of Development.” Conference on Governance, Institutions and Economic Growth: Reflections on Sir Arthur Lewis’ Theory of Economic Growth. Sir Arthur Lewis Institute of Social and Economic Studies, University of the West Indies, Mona, Jamaica. March 17-18, 2005

Invited Paper, "The Asian Diaspora and Afro-Creole Nationalism in the English Speaking West Indies Conference on Black Issues in the 21st Century-Forging Links: Africa, Asia. And the Pacific" Interdisciplinary Studies, University of Hawaii Manoa. November 18th-20th 2004

"The Crisis of Succession in Haiti" Symposium on Haiti, "Haiti 2001, Atlantic World Program, University of Charleston, South Carolina. January 20-21st, 2005

"West Indian Immigrants and Black Identity in the United States" Stanford University, Visiting Lecture Series in Black Identities, May 20th, 2005

Presenter, "Workshop on Black Studies Curricula and Pedagogy" Stanford University December 10-11, 2004.

Berkeley African Studies Association, "Coloniality and the Production of African Underdevelopment", November 13th, 2004.

Distinguished Lecture "Conceptualizing the African Diaspora", The Black Graduate Students Organization, Florida International University, February 21st, 2004

Distinguished Invited Lecture, "The West Indian Diaspora in the United States" Caribbean Students Association, Stanford University, April 28th, 2004

"Globalization, Coloniality, and Development in Africa and the African Diaspora" Symposium on The Role of Law & Policy: Africa, the Caribbean, and the U.S. *African-American Law & Policy Report* at UC Berkeley Boalt Hall, School of Law. March 6th, 2004.

Invited Paper, "Diaspora, Globalization and the Politics of Identity." Conference on *Culture, Politics, Race and Diaspora: The Thought of Stuart Hall*. University of the West Indies, Mona, Jamaica June 17-19, 2004.

"Coloniality vs Euro-Communism: Enlightenment, Modernity and Contradictory Outcomes" 29th Annual Conference of the Caribbean Studies Association, St. Kitts & Nevis, May 31st-June 5, 2004

"Diaspora, Globalization and the Politics of Identity" Conference on "The Notion of Diaspora: Theoretical approaches to diverse diasporic experiences" National Center of Scientific Research Poitiers, France May 13 and 14. 2003

"Modernity, Globalization and West Indian Nationalist Discourse" 28th Annual Conference of the Caribbean Studies Association Princess Hotel & Marina, Belize City, Belize May 26th -31st, 2003

"Challenges to Survival: The State and its responses to Structural Adjustment" Conference on the Post Colonial State, Faculty of Social Sciences, University of the West Indies, Cave Hill, Barbados. December 14-17, 2003.

"Africa and the African Diaspora: The role of Ethiopia", Centennial of U.S. Ethiopia Conference, December 5th- 6th, 2003

"The Social-Geography of Class and Identity in Diasporic Communities in the United States"
Keynote Lunchtime Address, Global and Local Dimensions of Asian America: An International
Conference on Asian Diasporas, San Francisco, California May 10-12, 2002.

"Race and Politics in Guyana" **Forum on Guyana**, United States Agency for International
Development, Washington, D.C. December 14, 2002

Keynote Opening Address, "Understanding the African Diaspora." African Diaspora Heritage
Trail Conference, The Government of Bermuda, Hamilton, Bermuda May 25th-28th, 2002.

"Globalization, the Caribbean, and The Caribbean Diaspora." Invited Lecture, Harvard Graduate
School of Education, Harvard University. May 2002

"Black/White Encounters across Time and Space: Images of Whites as Pure, Omnipotent,
Ignorant, and Excessive" Caribbean Studies Association 27th Annual Conference, Nassau,
Bahamas, May 27th- June 2nd, 2002

"Nationalism, Globalization, and Creole Identity in the English-Speaking Caribbean." Caribbean
Studies Association 27th Annual Conference, Nassau, Bahamas. May 27th- June 2nd, 2002

"Trinidad, Guyana, and Challenges to Afro-Creole Nationalism in the English-Speaking West
Indies" Conference on the rights of minorities of African descent in the Americas, Association for
Canadian Studies, Montreal September 27-29th. 2001

"Diasporas: Historical Perspectives" for World Migration: Diasporas Explored Fall Series.
World Affairs Council, San Francisco, October 2nd, 2001.

"African and Afro-Creole Nationalism in the Postnationalist State" Conference on Race and
Globalization, Institute for Research in African-American Studies, Columbia University October
31st – November 1st, 2001.

"Identity Formation among West Indian migrants in the United States: Strategic Responses to
Racist Imageries of African Americans", November 2nd, 2000, University of the West Indies,
Mona Jamaica. **Distinguished Lecturer**

"Creole Nationalism and Post-colonial crises in the English-speaking Caribbean" Department of
Government, University of the West Indies, Mona, Jamaica November 3rd, 2000

"Indigenous Representations and Practices in the English-Speaking Caribbean: A challenge to
Afro-Creole Nationalism" "The Rise of New World Studies: Indigenous Cultures in the Americas
at 2000." University of Oklahoma, November 2000.

"Cheddi Jagan: Charisma and Guyana,s challenge to Western Capitalism", Caribbean Studies
Association Annual Conference, May 2000, St. Lucia, West Indies

"Creole Construction and Nationalist Ideology: The English Speaking Caribbean Annual
Conference, Latin American Studies Association, 2000 in Miami (March 16-18, 2000) Miami.

Panel Chair, "The Forgotten Roots: African Muslim Slaves in the Americas". Zaytuna Institute
Conference, University of California, Berkeley. April 2000

The African-American Connection in the New Millennium: Migration, Alliances and the Development of a new Pan African Consciousness in the United States"
Black Century Conference, Commission for Pan-African Affairs of the Government of Barbados, November 26th-28th 1999.

"Globalization and Diasporic Identity: A Comparative Perspective" **Keynote Address** Chinese Diaspora in Latin American and the Caribbean. An International Conference of the International Society for the Study of Chinese Overseas, University of Havana, Havana Cuba, December 10-12, 1999

"Rethinking democracy in the postnationalist State: The case of Africa". 35th Anniversary International Conference: Mainstreaming Democratic Governance in the Social Sciences, Humanities, and Universities for 21st Century. Faculty of Arts and Social Sciences, University of Dar es Salaam., September 29th – October 1st, 1999

"The political economy of racial discourse in the English speaking Caribbean" 24th Annual Conference of the Caribbean Studies Association. Panama City, Panama. May 24-29, 1999

"Performance and meaning in West Indian migrant identity", 5th Performance Studies Conference, 1999. Aberystwyth, Wales. April 9th – 12th. 1999.

"Adaptations to aliens, oppressors, and other undesirables: personal encounters with whiteness over different times and places." Invisible Others/Active Presences in the "U.S. Black Community." African New World Studies, Florida International University. April 30-May 1, 1999.

"The political economy of Jamaica in the context of the Caribbean", The Jamaican Lecture Series, Stanford University, January 14, 2000

"Understandings of home: Orientations toward home and host countries among West Indians in the San Francisco Bay Area" 23rd Annual Conference, Caribbean Studies Association, Antigua, W.I. May 26-30, 1998

"The Political Economy of Guyana", Invited Lecture, Caribbean Studies Seminar Series, Ph.D. Program in Political Science, Graduate School of the City University of New York, May, 1998.

"Race, racism, and society." A Dialogue with Cuba. University of California, Berkeley, California March 19-21, 1998

"The political economy of Afro-Creole Nationalism in the English speaking Caribbean." Hispanics: Cultural Locations. University of San Francisco, San Francisco, CA. 10-12 October, 1997

"Race, politics, poverty, and empowerment". International Conference on Race, Politics, and Discrimination", Government of the Republic of Guyana. Georgetown, Guyana, Dec 35, 1998

"Rethinking Democracy in the Post Nationalist State: The Case of the Caribbean" New Currents in Caribbean Thought, The Center for Latin American and Caribbean Studies: Michigan State University, East Lansing, Michigan. April 4-5, 1997

Democracy in the Caribbean Basin: The case of Trinidad and Tobago". Joint Conference of the Mexican Association of International Studies and the International Studies Association. Manzanillo, Mexico, 11-13 December 1997

"Reproducing Domination: Identity and Legitimacy Constructs in Post Colonial Political Economy". Caribbean Studies Association Annual Conference, San Juan, Puerto Rico. May 27-31 1996. Represented at Conference on Caribbean Culture, University of the West Indies, Mona, Jamaica. March 3-6, 1996

"Structural adjustment and the New International Middle Class" Public Lecture Series, University of the West Indies, Cave Hill, Barbados, July 1995

"Identity Construction among West Indian migrants in the U.S.A." Caribbean Studies Annual Conference, Willemstad, Curacao, May 23-26, 1995

"African Americans in the World of Science" presented at "African American Visions: A Celebration" A conference at University of Hawaii at Manoa, Honolulu, Hawaii , June 20-25, 1994

"Race and Political Identity in the Caribbean." Annual Conference of the Caribbean Studies Association, Merida, Mexico. May 23-26, 1994

"Community and Change in Political Meaning: The PPP in Opposition in Guyanese Politics". Annual Meeting of the Caribbean Studies Association. Kingston, Jamaica, May 24-29, 1993.

"Problems of race and class in post-authoritarian Guyana." Annual Meeting of the Caribbean Studies Association, St. Georges, Grenada, May 26-29, 1992.

"Social Construction and Quantification: Defining and regulating the dominated." Neyman Seminar, Department of Statistics, University of California at Berkeley, April 14, 1993.

"Afro-Creole Identity and Political Power in the Caribbean." Annual Meeting of Caribbean Studies Association, Havana, Cuba. May 20-26, 1991.

"Democracy and Middle Class Domination in the West Indies". Annual Meeting of Caribbean Studies Association, Port of Spain, Trinidad. May 22-26, 1990.

"Black Nationalism and Middle Class Domination in the English West Indies". United Nations Educational Scientific and Cultural Organization, Meeting of Experts on the Interactions of the African, Chinese and Indian Diasporas with their New Socio-Cultural Environment. Port of Spain Trinidad, 28 May-1 June, 1990.

"Pluralism and Power: Racial Politics and Middle Class Domination in LDCs". Conference on Pluralism in the Late 20th Century. Institute of Social and Economic Research. Port of Spain, December 7th-9th, 1989.

"Arthur Lewis and the Bourgeois State." Presented at the Annual Meeting of Caribbean Studies Association, Bridgetown, Barbados. May 23-26, 1989.

"The Collapse of the Ruling Regime and Opposition Mobilization in Trinidad and Tobago." Presented at the Annual Meeting of Caribbean Studies Association, Guadeloupe, French West Indies. May 25-27, 1987.

"From Idealism to Pragmatism: The Evolution of Political Leaders in the Anglophone Caribbean" delivered at the Caribbean Studies Association XXI Annual Congress, Belize City, May 27-29, 1987.

"The Culturally Different Defendant" delivered the California Attorneys for Criminal Justice/California Public Defenders Association Death Penalty Seminar, Highland Springs, California, February 15, 1986.

"The Costs of Regime Survival in Guyana and Trinidad" delivered at a Symposium of the Faculty of Social Sciences, University of the West Indies, St. Augustine, Trinidad, May 21, 1986.

"Latin America and U.S. Foreign Aid" delivered to The League of Women Voters, San Mateo, California, October 28, 1985.

"Post-Independence Political and Economic Development in the English Speaking Caribbean" delivered as part of the Black Studies\Chicano Studies Rainbow Lecture Series--II, University of California, Santa Barbara, November 13, 1985.

"Trinidad: The Political Implications of the Oil Energy Industry" delivered at the Annual Meeting of the Latin American Studies Association, Albuquerque, New Mexico, April 18-20, 1985.

"Violence and Developmental Strategy in Multi-Racial States: The Cases of Guyana and Trinidad" presented at the Joint Annual Meeting of the Illinois Conference of Latin Americanists and the Midwest Association for Latin American Studies, Evanston, Illinois, November 4th, 1983.

"Race, Class, and Development: A Comparative Analysis of Guyana, Trinidad, Mauritius, and Fiji." presented at the Eight Annual Meeting of the Caribbean Studies Association, Santo Domingo, Dominican Republic, May 25-28, 1983.

"Race, Class, and Statism in Guyana and Trinidad" presented at the Fifth Annual Conference of the Association of Caribbean Studies, Willemstad, Curacao, July 12-14, 1983.

"The History and Politics of the Caribbean: An Overview" presented to the San Francisco African American Society, March 14, 1982.

"Interpretations of an interview with Walter Rodney on Guyanese Politics" presented at a Symposium on the Life and Work of Walter Rodney at the University of California, Berkeley, March 7, 1981.

"Guyana and Trinidad: The Political Effects of Economic Dependence" presented to The Institute for the Study of Social Change, University of California, November, 1979

"The Dynamics of Ethnicity, Class, and International Capitalist Penetration in Political Economy" presented at the Annual Meeting of the American Political Science Association, Washington, D.C., Aug. 31-Sept. 3, 1979.

Other Lecturers

“Introduction.” Inaugural Presentation of Documentary “ Beah: A Black Woman Speaks”, University of California African American Studies and Department of Film Studies, 5th November, 2003

Discussant and Respondent, *Distant but close: Guyanese transnational communities and their remittances from the United States*, report prepared for Public Presentation and Discussion of Report, United States Agency for International Development and Inter American Dialogue, Georgetown, Guyana, January 30th, 2004.

“Introductory Remarks.” Conference on Islam in America,: Rights and Citizenship in a post 9/11 World” September 18th, 2002.

Respondent, “Howard Winant’s *The World is a Ghetto.*” Lecture by Howard Winant, Institute for the Study of Social Change, University of California, May 4th 2002

Panelist, "English Language Ethnic Media - The Future or the Past" New California Media Expo 2001 and Awards, San Francisco, CA, February 15th, 2001

"Caribbean Immigrants in the United States" Keynote Speaker, The Caribbean Students Association Black Liberation Month Celebration, Stanford University, February 26, 2000.

Graduation Speaker, Vista College Minority Students' Graduation, May 2000

"The Psychology of Globalization, New Identities, New Maps, New Challenges". World Academy of Art and Science Conference, San Francisco, February 27, 2000.

"Challenges and Opportunities for African Americans in Higher Ed", Keynote Speaker, Black History Month Celebration, Vista College, February 28th

"Race Relations in the United States", Invited Talk, Bahai Group, University of California, April 23rd, 1999

"Cuba and Globalization in the Caribbean." World Affairs Council, San Francisco, California. June, 1999.

Symposium Participant, "Racism, Political Correctness, and the Arts", Eureka Theatre, San Francisco, California, May 20th, 1999

Keynote Speaker, 3rd Annual Excellence Banquet, ISTAR. Fremont, California November 13th, 1999.

"The Controversy Over Ethnic Studies", Faculty Seminar Series, California Alumni Association, Cal Homecoming, Reunion, and Parents Weekend, September 16, 1998

Panelist, "Are the Doors Closing? Minority Student Eligibility and Participation in the University of California.", UC. Office of the President Student Academic Services Forum, University of California, Berkeley, April 20, 1998.

"Race and the Ebonics Debate." Americorps Program Symposium, Cal Corps Public Service Center. University of California, Berkeley. April 28, 1998

"The University of California", Shadow Day, University of California, Berkeley, April 3, 1998

Panelist, Seminar on Human Rights, Democracy and Economic Development, International Center for Peace and Justice, San Francisco, California, January 16th and 17th, 1998

"Teaching American Cultures" CAL Day, University of California, Berkeley. 19th April, 1997

"Race and Politics in the United States" Roundtable Discussion, U.C. Berkeley Chapter of National Political Science Honor Society and The Chicano Latin Political Science Association, University of California, Berkeley, April 15th, 1997.

"Reflections on Contemporary African American History", Featured Address, 1997 African-American Heritage Month Celebrations, Foothill College. February 10th.

"Notions of African Diaspora", Invited Lecture, International House, University of California, Berkeley. January 1998

"Race and the Welfare System: Panel on Welfare Cuts, International Socialist Organization, Berkeley, CA. January 30, 1997

"The Present and Future of Ethnic Studies", Member of Panel, Ethnic Studies Undergraduate Association, University of California, Berkeley, December 2nd, 1997

"Affirmative Action at the University of California" Invited Speaker, California Alumni Association, Solano Alumni Club, April 22nd, 1997

"The preservation of Diversity at the University of California", Forum on Affirmative Action, Cowell College, University of California, Santa Cruz. October 16th. 1996

Discussion Leader, Panel on Trade, 50 Years Is Enough Campaign, Oakland, CA, April 1996.

"Race and Crisis: The Black Community in Contemporary America" Rossmore Democrats, Rossmore, California March 28th, 1996.

Historical Challenges to African American Education, African American Studies, Foothill College, February 1996:

"African American Contributions to the United States" Northern California Black Employees Association, Leadership Forum. December 1996.

"The Case for Affirmative Action" COIN Forum, Berkeley Public Library. March 1996

"Kwanzaa", Invited Lecture, Cultural Dance Ensemble 7th Annual Family Kwanzaa Celebration, December 28th, 1996

"The Global Economy and the Third World", Invited Lecture, Alternative Lifelong Learning, Berkeley, California. November 7, 1995

"Affirmative Action", Conference on "Excellence in Diversity" University of California, Berkeley, Graduate Assembly, April 21, 1995.

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