***Curriculum Vitae***

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**Areas of Specialization:**

Labor and Working Class History; African American History; Latina/Latinx Studies; Comparative Race and Ethnic Studies; Social Movement Theory; Oral History & Digital Humanities; U.S. and the Global South

**Former Academic Positions/Affiliations:**

Robert L. Hess Scholar-in-Residence, Ethyle R. Wolfe Institute for the Humanities, Brooklyn College, City University of New York (2023-2024)

Director, Samuel Proctor Oral History Program, and Professor of History, University of Florida, *Affiliated Faculty Member: African American Studies, Center for Latin American Studies, Women’s Studies, Art & Art History, Bob Graham Center for Public Service* (2008-2024)

National Archives Distinguished Scholar in Latinx History, National Archives and Records Administration, 2021-2023.

Assistant/Associate Professor of Community Studies, University of California, Santa Cruz, 2001-2008**;** *Participating Faculty Member, Latin American and Latino Studies; Affiliate, Department of History*

Founding Co-Director, University of California, Santa Cruz, Center for Labor Studies, 2007-2008.

Founding Faculty Member, UCSC Social Documentation Graduate Program, 2005-2008

Visiting Assistant Professor in History and Documentary Studies, Duke University, 2000-2001.

Research Coordinator, "Behind the Veil: Documenting African American Life in the Jim Crow South," NEH-Funded Oral History Project, Center for Documentary Studies at Duke University, 1996—2001.

Visiting Instructor, African American Political Struggles and the Emergence of Segregation in the

U.S. South, Grinnell College, Spring Semester, 1999. (Short Course.)

Graduate Research Assistant, “Behind the Veil,” Duke University, 1993-1996.

**Education:** Doctor of Philosophy (History) Duke University, May 2000.

Bachelor of Arts, The Evergreen State College, Olympia, Washington, June 1990. *Emphases: History, Political Economy, and the Sociology of Science*.

Associate of Arts, Olympic College, Bremerton, Washington, 1988.

**BOOKS:** *African American Studies: 50 Years at the University of Florida*, edited with Jacob U’Mofe. (Library Press @UF, 2021).

*People Power: History, Organizing, and Larry Goodwyn’s Democratic Vision in the Twenty-First Century*, edited with Wesley Hogan. (University Press of Florida, 2021).

*An African American and Latinx History of the United States.* Re-Visioning American History Series *(Boston: Beacon Press, 2018)*.Audiobook by Audible.com, read by J.D. Jackson.

*Emancipation Betrayed: The Hidden History of Black Organizing and White Violence in Florida from Reconstruction to the Bloody Election of 1920*, American Crossroads Series (Berkeley: University of California Press, The George F. Gund Foundation Imprint in African American Studies, 2005). (Paperback, 2006)

*Remembering Jim Crow: African Americans Tell About Life In The Segregated South*. Co-editor with: William H. Chafe, Raymond Gavins, Robert Korstad, et. al. (New York: New Press, 2001). (Paperback edition published 2003.) (Fourth edition published in 2014.)

***In Progress*:** *An African American and Latinx History of the United States, Young Adult Version* (Beacon Press)

***Books Under Contract:*** *A Social Movement History of the United States* (Beacon Press)

*Settler Colonialism and the ‘War on Terror’: 1492 to the Present* (Beacon Press)

**Selected Peer-Reviewed Essays and Book Chapters:**

**Journal Essay Accepted for Publication**: “The Ocoee Massacre in History and in Memory,” for: *The Florida Historical Quarterly* (Forthcoming, Spring 2025),

**Journal Essay Accepted for Publication:** “Latino Workers, the 2024 Presidential Election and the Future of the Labor Movement, for: *Labor Studies Journal* (Forthcoming, Fall, 2025)

“To Continue the Work of Our Foreparents,” Epilogue Essay for**:** *Who Built America: Working People and the Nation’s History, 4th Edition,* American Social History Project/Center for Media and Learning (Online Version, 2024), 8,186-word essay.

*Grappling With an ‘Omen of Doom’: Learning From The Ocoee Election Day Massacre*, for: *Black Hibiscus: African Americans and the Florida Imaginary*, Edited by John Wharton Lowe (University of Mississippi Press, 2024), 74-89.

Foreword*: “Let’s Make Ours a Better World Together,”* for: *Dispatches from Beluthahatchee: A Stetson Kennedy Reader* (Florida Historical Society Press, July, 2023) 2,800 word essay.

“Pathways,”essay on my oral history work for: *US Latina & Latino Oral History Journal* (Volume 6, December 2022*)*, 95-103.

“A Civics Primer for American History,” essay for: Review Roundtable *on Jill Lepore’s In These Truths: A History of the United States*, *The American Historical Review*, Vol. 125, Issue 5, December 2020, 1773-1777.

“Memories of Revolution,” essay for: Book Forum on: *An African American and Latinx History of the United States*, *Cultural Dynamics*, Vol. 31 (4) (September 2020), 410-417.

Introductory Essay to “Activism and Community Engagement” section of: *Beyond Women’s Words:*

*The Personal, Political, and Ethical Challenges of Doing Feminist Oral History*, eds., Katrina Srigley, Stacey Zembrzycki, and Franca Iacovetta (New York: Routledge, 2018), 219-224.

(Co-Author with Susan Hegeman) “Nazis on Campus: A Union and Community Responds,” *Thought & Action*, Volume 34, No 2 (Summer, 2018), 3-18.

Book chapter, “Anti-Imperialism as a Way of Life: Emancipatory Internationalism and the Black Radical Tradition in the Americas,” for: *The Futures of Black Radicalism* (London: Verso, 2017), eds., Gaye Theresa Johnson and Alex Lubin, 133-147.

Essay, “Stetson Kennedy and the Pursuit of Truth,” afterword, for: Peggy Bulger, *Stetson Kennedy: Applied Folklore and Culture Advocacy* (Cocoa, Florida: The Florida Historical Society, 2017). Originally published in *The Florida Historical Quarterly, 90 (Fall 2011),* 251-264. Also published in: *Facing South Blog, Southern Exposure, Oral History Association web site* (September-October, 2011), and *Historical News Network*.

Essay: “César E. Chávez, The United Farm Workers, and the Struggle for Economic Security In American Agriculture,” in: *The American Middle Class: An Economic Encyclopedia of Progress and Poverty*, ed., Robert S. Rycroft (Greenwood: 2017), 575-577.

Essay, “Making History Matter: Teaching Comparative African American and Latina/o Histories in an Age of Neoliberal Crisis,” *for: Kalfou: A Journal of Comparative and Relational Ethnic Studies*, Vol. 3, Issue 1 (Spring 2016), 125-146.

(With Derrick White), “Introduction to C.L.R. James on Oliver Cox’s *Caste, Class, and Race*,”and (with the Samuel Proctor Oral History Program) annotated lecture transcript of: C.L.R. James, *The Class Basis of the Race Question in the United States*: *A lecture presented at the Institute of the Black World*, June 16, 1971,” *New Politics*: *A Journal of Socialist Thought,* XV, No. 4 (Winter 2016), 43-60.

“’Washington, Toussaint, and Bolívar, The Glorious Advocates of Liberty’: Black Internationalism and Reimagining Emancipation,” in: *Rethinking American Emancipation: Legacies of Slavery and the Quest for Black Freedom* (Cambridge Press, 2015), eds. William A. Link and James J. Broomall, 187-215.

Essay, “Tearing Up the Master’s Narrative: Stetson Kennedy and Oral History,” *Oral History Review* (Summer/Fall 2014), 41 (2): 279-289.

Chapter, “The Not So Strange Career of William Watson Davis’s Civil War and Reconstruction in Florida,” in*: The Dunning School: Historians, Race, and the Meaning of Reconstruction,* ed. John David Smith and J. Vincent Lowery. Foreword by Eric Foner. (University of Kentucky Press, 2013), 255-280.

Invited Guest Editorial, “In Support of Our Students, In Support of the DREAM Act,” *Latino Studies* (2010) (First guest editorial in the history of this journal.)

Chapter, ¡*Si, Se Puede*! Revisited: Latino/a Workers in the United States,” in *Social Work Practice with Latinos*, Eds., Richard Furman & Nalini Negi (Chicago: Lyceum Books, 2010), 45-66.

Chapter, (Concluding Afterward), “Revising Florida, Revising Civil Rights History,” in *Old South, New South, or Down South? Florida and the Contemporary Civil Rights Movement*. Ed., Irvin D. S. Winsboro (West Virginia University Press, 2009), 220-44. *Book received the 2010 Harry T. and Harriette V. Moore Book Prize.*

Chapter, “U.S. Race Riots, 1917-1923,” *The Encyclopedia of Race and Racism*. Nicole Watkins, Editor.

(The Gale Group, Inc./Macmillan Reference USA, 2007), 435-443.

Essay, “Remembering Racial Terror: The Behind the Veil Project, ” *Radical History Review,* vol. 97, Special Issue: Truth Commissions: State Terror, History, and Memory (Winter 2007), 110-117.

Essay, “The New Battle for New Orleans,” in *Hurricane Katrina: Response and Responsibilities,* ed. John Brown Childs (Santa Cruz: The New Pacific Press, 2007), 1-6.

Chapter, "“Eat Your Bread Without Butter, But Pay Your Poll Tax!’: Roots of the Florida Voter Registration Movement, 1919-1920,” in *Time Longer Than Rope: A Century of African American Activism 1850-1950*, edited by Charles Payne and Adam Green (New York University Press, 2003), 196-229.

Chapter, “Farm Worker Organizing in America: From Slavery to César Chávez and Beyond:” in *The Human Cost of Food: Farmworker Lives, Labor, and Advocacy*, edited by Charles D. Thompson and Melinda Wiggins (Austin: University of Texas Press, 2002), 249-275.

Chapter, “Race and Class in Twentieth Century America,” in *Beacham’s Encyclopedia of American Social Change*, edited by Veryan Khan (Beacham Press, 2001), 1190-1260.

**Teacher’s Guides:** *A Teacher’s Guide to An African American and Latinx History of the United States* (Penguin Random House, 2019).

**Selected Awards, Honors, and Recognition:**

*Cesar Chavez Liderazgo Hall of Fame Induction*, National Council for Leadership, Charlotte, North Carolina, March 25, 2024

Ethyle R. Wolfe Institute for the Humanities, *Robert L. Hess Scholar-in-Residence*, Brooklyn College, Brooklyn, New York, 2023-2024.

*University of Florida Research Foundation Professorship* for distinguished record of research and scholarship (2023-2026)

*Named National Archives Distinguished Scholar in Latinx History* by National Archives and Records Administration and Boston University Center for Antiracist Research, 2022-2024.

*“Wave-Maker*: Visionary Leadership and Dedication to Union Solidarity, Our UF Community, Academic Freedom & Excellence,” United Faculty of Florida, UF, May 26, 2022.

Haskell Faculty and Student Research Award, Bob Graham Center for Public Service, with Vasilios Kosmakos, on environmental history in Florida, 2021-2022.

First-Generation College Student Champion Award, Samuel Proctor Oral History Program, University of Florida, 2021.

The Elizabeth Wood Dunlevie Honors Term Professorship, Honors Program, University of Florida, 2021-2022.

*An African American and Latinx History of the United States* chosen by Penguin Random House for their 2020 First-Year & Common Reading Book Recommendation List.

Writer in Residence, The Betsy Hotel, Miami Beach, Florida, September 5-8, 2019.

University of Florida Term Professorship Award for 2019-2022 in recognition of a “distinguished record of research and scholarship that is expected to lead to continuing distinction in my field.” (August 2019)

PEN Oakland-Josephine Miles Award for Literary Excellence, for: *An African American and Latinx History of the United States*, 2018

Choice Outstanding Academic Title, for: *An African American and Latinx History of the United States*, 2018.

[Kirkus Starred Book Review](https://www.kirkusreviews.com/book-reviews/paul-ortiz/african-american-and-latinx-history-united-states/), for: *An African American and Latinx History of the United States*, 2018.

*Bustle.com* named *An African American and Latinx History of the United States* as one of the “10 Books About Race to Read Instead of Asking a Person of Color to Explain Things To You,” March 20, 2018.

*An African American and Latinx History of the United States*, selected for Powell’s Books “Pick of the Month,” January, 2018.

Named Distinguished Alumni, Olympic College, Autumn, 2017.

The Mort Wolfson Faculty Service Award for Advising and Teaching, Division of Student Affairs, University of Florida, October, 2017.

Distinguished Faculty Affiliate Service Award, UF Center for Gender, Sexualities and Women’s Studies Research, September, 2017.

Havens Center for Social Justice Visiting Scholar, University of Wisconsin-Madison, November 14-16, 2016.

Diversity Award, Society of American Archivists, for the Samuel Proctor Oral History Program’s “*relentless pursuit of community knowledge, local voices, and academic transformation has created a monumental program that has impacted the lives of countless people in Florida and across the nation*.” 2015.

Elizabeth B. Mason Project Award, Oral History Association, for the Samuel Proctor Oral History Program’s “Mississippi Freedom Summer Oral History and Library Curation Project,” “*for its contributions to our understanding of an important historical event: the voting rights struggle in Mississippi in the 1960s and the events of the summer of 1964.”* October, 2015.

Outstanding Faculty of the Year Award, Hispanic Student Association, University of Florida, April, 2015.

Faculty Appreciation Award, Hispanic Heritage Month, University of Florida, 2015.

Rosa Parks Quiet Courage Award, “*In recognition of your courage and commitment to equality and justice for all.”* Rosa Parks Quiet Courage Committee, Gainesville, Florida, 2014.

Stetson Kennedy *Vox Populi* Award for the Samuel Proctor Oral History Program’s “*outstanding achievement in using oral history to create a more humane and just world*,” Oral History Association. 2013.

The César E. Chávez Action and Commitment Award, Florida Education Association, AFL-CIO, for “*Outstanding leadership through engaging in activities which dignify workers and by making notable contributions to the labor movement & demonstrating resilience in organizing workers, especially those who have been traditionally disadvantaged*.” October 11, 2013.

*“Demostrando el Orgullo de Nuestra Cultura,”* Certificate of Appreciation, for Hispanic Heritage Month, University of Florida, October 25, 2013

Certificate of Recognition, for “*Contributing to the Success of UF’s Annual MLK Legacy Celebration (Received on behalf of the Samuel Proctor Oral History Program*,”) UF Black Graduate Student Organization, January 29, 2013.

Certificate of Honor, “The Remembrance of the Transatlantic Slave Trade Initiative,” UNESCO-TST Florida Center, March 25, 2012.

Presented with The Key to the City of Ocoee, Florida by Mayor S. Scott Vandergrift, January 18, 2010. For delivering Ocoee’s Martin Luther King, Jr. Convocation Keynote /address.

*“Demostrando el Orgullo de Nuestra Cultura,”* Certificate of Appreciation, for Hispanic Heritage Month, University of Florida, September 29, 2009.

June 13, 2008 declared “Paul Ortiz Day” in Santa Cruz, California by decree of Mayor of Santa Cruz in recognition of outstanding academic and community service.

Faculty Community Service of the Year Award, by UC-Santa Cruz Chancellor, May 27, 2008.

Luisa Morena Award for Contributions in Social Justice, UCSC Labor Center, May, 2008.

UCSC Chancellor’s Certificate of Recognition for Student Mentoring Activities, 2007. (Advisee was recipient of Deans’ Award for Outstanding UCSC Senior Thesis.)

Harry T. and Harriette V. Moore Book Prize, Florida Historical Society and the Florida Institute of Technology, for *Emancipation Betrayed* (2006).

Lillian Smith Book Award, Southern Regional Council, for *Remembering Jim Crow* (2002).

Carey McWilliams Book Award *The MultiCultural Review* (outstanding work related to the U.S. experience of cultural diversity) for *Remembering Jim Crow* (2002).

A Best Book of the Year for 2001 citation, *Library Journal* for *Remembering Jim Crow*.

Nominated for U.S. Professor of the Year (Doctoral and Research Universities category) by UCSC Committee on Teaching, Academic Senate, 2006.

Certificate of Recognition for Student Mentoring Activities, UCSC Chancellor, 2006. (Advisee was recipient of a Deans’ Award for Outstanding UCSC Senior Thesis.)

Certificate of Recognition for Student Mentoring Activities, UCSC Chancellor, 2005 (Advisee was recipient of 2005 Steck Family Award for the Best UCSC Senior Thesis.)

*Emancipation Betrayed* cited as one of the “10 Movies, Records, and Books Wrongly Overlooked in 2005,” by Beyondchron.org, December 15, 2005.

Excellence in Teaching Award, 2004-05, UC-Santa Cruz Academic Senate.

Outstanding Service to the UCSC Academic Senate Award, 2004-2005.

Certificate of Recognition for Student Mentoring Activities, UCSC Chancellor, 2004 (Advisee was recipient of 2004 Steck Family Award for the Best UCSC Senior Thesis.)

A Best Book of 2001, *Library Journal*, for *Remembering Jim Crow*

Minority Scholar-in-Residence Fellowship, Grinnell College, Spring, 1999.

Outstanding Oral History Project Award for "Behind the Veil: Documenting African American History in the Jim Crow South," Oral History Association (1996).

Center for Documentary Studies at Duke University Graduate Fellow, 1993-1999.

Strong/Outstanding Pass Award, Ph.D. Preliminary Examinations, Duke University, 1996.

National Federation of Community Broadcasters Finalist for Outstanding Historical Radio

Documentary: "’I Must Keep Fightin' Until I'm Dyin': The Life of Paul Robeson," 1993.

KAOS, Olympia, Washington Community Service Award: "Pathways to Justice," 1993

KAOS, Olympia, Washington Outstanding Public Affairs Program Award: "Pathways to Justice," 1992.

Letters to Other Editors National Writing Contest Award, for: “Sanctions and Black Workers Forced Change on South Africa,” *Fairness and Accuracy in Reporting* (1992).

**SELECTED GRANTS, FELLOWSHIPS, AWARDS:**

Florida Department of State, Division of Historical Resources, Historical Preservation Grant, $65,000. Primary investigator (2023-2024). (Grant declined by UF)

National Park Service, “Interviewing Descendants of the Underground Railroad,” $425,000. Primary investigator (2022-2024).

*Challenging Racism at UF: Using History to Create a Welcoming University and a Vibrant Intellectual Atmosphere*, University of Florida Research Development, $55,000. Primary Investigator (2022-2023)

National Endowment for the Humanities, “Reanimating African American Oral Histories of the Gulf South,” $349,000 to develop a new web search interface and curriculum modules for K-12 educators, Co-primary investigator. (2021-2024)

Doris Duke Charitable Foundation, “Doris Duke Native Oral History Revitalization Project,” $200,000 to supervise digitization and processing of Native American Oral Histories, Co-primary investigator. (2021-2023)

University of Florida Office of the Provost grant to Samuel Proctor Oral History Program. $790,000 to create a premier African American oral history archive. Primary investigator. (2009-2022).

“Migration, Mobility, and Sustainability: Caribbean Studies and Digital Humanities Advanced Institute” National Endowment for the Humanities. $213,717 to conduct an international summer institute and subsequent training of Caribbean Studies scholars, archivists, and librarians at the University of Florida to learn digital humanities tools and apply them to Caribbean Studies collections. Co-Primary investigator (2018-20)

*Intersections on Global Blackness and Latinidad* group for: *Intersections: Animating Conversations with the Humanities*, funded by the Andrew W. Mellon Foundation. $30,000 to develop new university curricula and international collaboration on the intersections of Blackness and *Latinidad*. Research project member.

The Poarch Band of Creek Indians grant to the Samuel Proctor Oral History Program. $119,500 to conduct, digitize, transcribe, and to develop Native American oral histories into podcasts and documentaries. Primary investigator (2019-20).

The Poarch Band of Creek Indians grant to the Samuel Proctor Oral History Program. $119,500 to conduct, digitize, transcribe, and to develop Native American oral histories into podcasts and documentaries. Primary investigator (2018-2019).

*Dialogues on the Experience of War*, “A program designed to use humanities sources to engage veterans in discussions about their experiences of war, peace, and returning home,” National Endowment for the Humanities. $96,900 dollars. (2016-2018.) Co-Project Director with Alice Freifeld, Center for European Studies, University of Florida.

United States District Court for the Middle District of Florida. $15,000 to conduct oral history interviews with U.S. Judges. Primary investigator (2016-17).

United States District Court for the Southern District of Florida. $18,000 to conduct oral history interviews with U.S. Judges. Primary investigator (2016-2017).

The Poarch Band of Creek Indians grant to the Samuel Proctor Oral History Program. $119,500 to conduct, digitize, transcribe, and to develop Native American oral histories into podcasts and documentaries. Primary investigator (2017-18).

Digital Humanities in the Caribbean *Learning without Borders* initiative, International Studies Program, College of Liberal Arts and Sciences. $5,000 to develop a UF Study Abroad in Trinidad Program. Co-primary investigator with Laurie Taylor, Smathers Libraries, 2017-18.

The Poarch Band of Creek Indians grant to the Samuel Proctor Oral History Program. $137,500 to digitize, transcribe, and process Native American oral histories. Primary investigator (2016-17).

Judaica Library, George Smathers Libraries, Jewish History in El Salvador Research Project. $30,000 to digitize, transcribe and process Jewish-El Salvadoran oral histories. Primary investigator (2016-2018).

University of Florida Historic St. Augustine, Inc. $20,000 to conduct oral history interviews on African American History in St. Augustine. Primary investigator (2016-17).

National Endowment for the Humanities and American Library Association: *Latino Americas: 500 Years of History* grant. $10,000. Primary investigator (2015-16)

The Poarch Band of Creek Indians grant to the Samuel Proctor Oral History Program. $25,000 to digitize, transcribe, and process Native American oral histories. Primary investigator (2014-15).

University of Florida Center for the Humanities and the Public Sphere, $5,000 to organize a public history speakers’ series on historical memory and social change. Primary investigator. (2013-2014)

University of Florida Office of Research. $3,000 to conduct oral history interviews in the Mississippi Delta. Primary investigator (2012).

United States District Court for the Middle District of Florida. $45,000 to conduct oral history interviews with U.S. Judges. Primary investigator (2013-2016).

The National Park Service, National Underground Railroad Conference, St. Augustine Florida, July, 2012. $20,000 to conduct oral history interviews with descendants of Black Seminoles & Gullah/Geechee peoples. Primary investigator (2012-2013).

United States District Court for the Southern District of Florida. $15,000 to conduct oral history interviews with U.S. Judges. Primary investigator (2015-2016).

The Poarch Band of Creek Indians grant to the Samuel Proctor Oral History Program. $53,000 to digitize, transcribe, and process Native American oral histories. Primary investigator (2012-2013).

University of Florida Historic St. Augustine, Inc. $10,800 to conduct oral history interviews on historical architecture and archeology in St. Augustine. Primary investigator (2012-2013).

Panama Canal Society Foundation, $15,000 to conduct oral history interviews on the history of the Panama Canal. Primary investigator (2009-2013)

United States District Court for the Middle District of Florida. $15,000 to conduct oral history interviews with U.S. Federal Judges. Primary investigator (2010-2012)

St. Johns Water Management District grant to Samuel Proctor Oral History Program. $25,000 to conduct research on the history of water and the environment in Florida. Primary investigator. (2010).

Florida Humanities Council. $900 to organize a public history program on the legacies of Martin Luther King, Jr. Primary investigator. (2010.)

St. Johns Water Management District grant to Samuel Proctor Oral History Program. $50,000 to conduct historical research project on water management in Florida. Primary investigator. (2008-2009).

University of Florida Office of the Provost grant to Samuel Proctor Oral History Program. $6,000 to conduct oral histories with retired UF administrators. Primary investigator. (2009-2012).

Miguel Contreras Labor Studies Development Fund Award, University of California. $85,000 grant to establish a Labor Studies program at UCSC. Co-primary investigator with Prof. Dana Frank. (2006). Renewed, 2007.

John Hope Franklin Collection for African and African American Documentation at Duke University Libraries’ Travel Grant, ($750), 2006.

UCSC Social Science Division Research Faculty Grant, ($6,000 awards) 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006

Academic Senate Faculty Research Grant, UC-Santa Cruz, October, 2001, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006-2007

**Selected Invited Papers, Panels, Keynotes, and Presentations:**

Keynote Lecture, “Histories of Black and Latino Coalition Building, 1770s to Present,” for the *Massachusetts Black and Latino Legislative Caucus*, Kennedy School, Harvard University, 12/2/2024

Keynote Lecture, “Reflecting on *Emancipation Betrayed* in Florida’s Latest Crisis Era,” *Florida Policy Summit,* Sarasota, Florida, September 18, 2024

Closing Plenary Panelist, “How to Fight the Autocratic Takeover of Our Public Institutions,” *Critical Race Theory Summer School*, African American Policy Forum, August 2, 2024

Workshop Leader, “Researching and Teaching Latinx and African American Histories,” *Critical Race Theory Summer School*, African American Policy Forum, July 29, 2024

Plenary Speaker, *Oral History and the Battle Over Teaching the Past,* Oral History Association Annual Meeting (OHA), Baltimore, October 21, 2023.

Workshop, *Lifting the Chains: The Black Freedom Struggle in America Since Reconstruction*, panelist, OHA Annual Meeting, October 21, 2021.

Chair, *Challenging Racism at the University of Florida During the ‘Stop Woke’ Era,* panel, OHA Annual Meeting, October 20, 2023

Panelist, “Roundtable Discussion: Strategies for Defending the Freedom to Teach Complex Themes,” for:

*The Freedom To Teach: Confronting Complex Themes in Contested Places,* Yale University Gilder Lehrman Center for the Study of Slavery, Resistance, and Abolition, Flagler College, September 29, 2023.

Keynote Lecture, *Hispanic Heritage Month*, Wells Fargo, September 26, 2023.

Chair, *The Enduring Resonance of the Joel Buchanan Archive of African American Oral History*, panel,

panel session, Association for the Study of African American Life and History (ASALH) annual meeting, Jacksonville, Florida, September 22, 2023

Panelist, *The Rosewood Massacre* ASALH Annual Meeting, September 22, 2023

Chair, *Between Empires: Trans-Imperial Histories of Black Resistance*,” panel ASALH Annual Meeting, September 21, 2023.

Banned Book Read-Out Speaker, *Kurt Vonnegut’s Slaughterhouse Five*, ASALH Annual Meeting, James Weldon Johnson Park, Jacksonville, September 20, 2023

Lecture on, *Narrative of the Life of Frederick Douglass, An American Slave: Written by Himself*, Institute of Learning in Retirement, Oak Hammock at UF, Gainesville, Florida, July 31, 2023.

Moderator, New Book Session: *Ybor City: Crucible of the Latina South*, by Sarah McNamara, “A Discussion of Immigration, Gender, and Latinidad in Labor History,” Labor and Working-Class History Association annual meeting, Rutgers University, May 20, 2023.

Keynote Lecture, “’How a Nation of Immigrants,’ Became a Nation Against Immigrants—and What We Can Do About It,” Southeastern Immigration Studies Association annual meeting, Wofford College, SC, April 14, 2023.

Moderator, “The Thirtieth Anniversary of, Behind the Veil, Documenting African American Life in the Jim Crow South,” panel at Duke University, Discussants: William H. Chafe, Robert Korstad, March 6, 2023.

Panelist, “Whitewashing Black Studies: The Fight for African American Studies in the Era of Racial Backlash,” African American Policy Forum, Columbia University Law School, February 8, 2023

Panelist, “Unions in Higher Education—Historical and Contemporary Realities,” American Historical Association annual meeting, Philadelphia, PA, January 6, 2023

Chair and Comment, “If I Had My Way I’d Tear the Building Down: Revolution, Counterrevolution, and Contested Memories of Reconstruction,” American Studies Association annual meeting, New Orleans, LA, November 5, 2022.

Panelist, “Writing Textbooks: Is a Unified Narrative of Pluralistic America Possible?” for: “Teaching Race and Slavery in the American Classroom,” Gilder Lehrman Center for the Study of Slavery, Resistance, and Abolition, Yale University, November 4, 2022

Keynote Lecture, *An African American and Latinx History of the United States*, Hispanic Heritage Month, Matheson History Museum, Gainesville, FL, October 13, 2022.

Keynote Lecture, *Hispanic Heritage Month* for *Mi Gente* Student Organization, Duke University, October 4, 2022.

Humanities Scholar, *Moore vs. Dempsey, Yesterday and Today* Symposium, Elaine Legacy Center, Elaine, Arkansas, September 30, 2022.

Keynote Lecture, *Hispanic Heritage Month,* Guggenheim Partners, September 27, 2022

Keynote Lecture, *Hispanic Heritage Month*, Conagra Brands, September 22, 2022

Keynote Lecture, *Hispanic Heritage Month*, The College of New Jersey, September 20, 2022.

Guest Lecture, *Suffolk Discovers: African American and Latinx History of the United States*, Suffolk Public Library, Suffolk, Virginia, September 13, 2022

Panelist, “The Ramifications of Laboring as U.S. Historians in the South,” Southern Labor Studies Association, Biannual Conference, University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill, September 11, 2022.

Lecture, “Kurt Vonnegut, *Slaughterhouse Five* and the Cost of War,” Institute for Learning in Retirement, Oak Hammock at the University of Florida, August 18, 2022.

Panelist, “Teaching with Social Movements,” Critical Race Theory Summer School, African American Policy Forum, July 20, 2022.

Facilitator/Presenter, “Stetson Kennedy: Living a Life of Purpose,” The Florida Historical Society Public History Forum, Gainesville, Florida, May 21, 2022.

Facilitator/Presenter, “Oral History, Genealogy, and Researching Underrepresented Populations,” The Florida Historical Society Public History Forum, Gainesville, Florida, May 20, 2022.

Concluding Remarks for: *Seize the Freedom Spirit,* National Center for Civil and Human Rights, Atlanta, Georgia, May 5, 2022.

Discussion of *An African American and Latinx History of the United States*, Gilder Lehrman Book Breaks, The Gilder Lehrman Institute, May 1, 2022.

Keynote Speaker, *Teaching and Learning at the Intersection of Black and Latinx Voices*, Anti-Racist Teaching and Learning Collective, April 26, 2022.

Panelist, “Hispanic and Latino Voices in the Curriculum and Archives,” Association for the Study of Connecticut History Spring Conference, April 23, 2022

Panelist, *Joint National Webinar on Latina/o Politics in Florida*, Latina Public Policy Institute, UCLA & Samuel Proctor Oral History Program, April 19, 2022.

Moderator, “Voices of Freedom, Oral History and the Black Freedom Struggle,” Organization of American Historians annual meeting, Boston, Mass., April 2, 2022

*Live Interview With Dolores Huerta, Co-Founder of the United Farm Workers*, for Women’s History Month, University of Florida, March 19, 2022.

Panelist, Race, History & Academic Freedom: A Teach-In, *National Center for the Study of Collective Bargaining*, March 2, 2022.

Panelist, “Organizing in Higher Education,” Higher Ed Labor United Summit, Rutgers University, February 23, 2022.

Panelist, *Whitewashing Black Studies: The Fight for African American Studies in the Era of Racial Backlash*, African American Policy Forum, February 8, 2023.

Lecture, “What is Critical Race Theory?” Institute for Learning in Retirement, Oak Hammock at the University of Florida, January 25, 2022

Book Talk/Presentation for *University of Pennsylvania and University of Florida Book Club*, February 17, 2022.

Lecture and Book Signing, *Emancipation Betrayed*, Harn Museum of Art, University of Florida, January 23, 2022.

*Kyle T. Mays in Conversation with Paul Ortiz*, Book Launch Event for: *Afro-Indigenous History of the United States*, City Lights Booksellers & Publishers, San Francisco, CA, November 9, 2021.

Panelist, A Model For Black-Brown Movement Building, Student Nonviolent Coordinating Committee 60th Anniversary Conference, October 16, 2021

Panelist, Evolving and Complex Relationships in Advocacy Oral History, Oral History Association Annual Meeting, October 13, 2021.

Keynote Lecture, Pride, Intersectionality and the Struggle for Democracy, Hispanic Heritage Month Celebration, Austin Community College District, Austin Texas, September 21, 2021.

Keynote Lecture, *Hispanic Heritage Month*, Deutsche Bank Corporation, September 9, 2021

Lecture, “Centering BIPOC Voices and Stories: What We Can Learn from Curriculum Planning in Connecticut,” and Interview with Roxanne Dunbar-Ortiz, “Not a Nation of Immigrants: Settler Colonialism, White Supremacy and a History of Erasure & Exclusion,” National Antiracism Teach-In, August 10, 2021.

Keynote Address, “Reflections on Latino, Puerto Rican, Black and African American Studies, for the Association for the Study of Connecticut History, June 5, 2021.

Chair, A Decade of Documenting Agricultural Workers’ Struggles: The Farmworker Association of Florida and the Samuel Proctor Oral History Program at the University of Florida, Labor and Working-Class History Association Annual Meeting, May 28, 2021

Keynote Lecture, “Chicano Studies and Cinco de Mayo, Ehecatl Wind Philosophies, LLC, May 5, 2021

Panel Presentation with Johanna Fernandez, On Latinx Activism, National Antiracism Book Festival, Boston, Mass,, April 24, 2021

Chair, Intersecting Struggles for Democracy in the City: Grassroots Activists in the Immigrant Rights Movement & the Movement for Black Lives, Organization of American Historians Annual Meeting, Chicago, Illinois, April 16, 2021.

Lecture, “The History of Anti-Black Violence, The Racial Wealth Gap and the World We Live in Today,” Grand Rounds Lecture, Department of Neurology, University of Florida, April 12, 2021.

Panelist, “Refusing to Be Silenced: The Political History and Future of Black Women in Florida,” Florida Humanities Council, March 9, 2021.

Keynote Lecture, “The Making of an African American and Latinx History of the United States,” Presidential Equity & Excellence Lecture, Olympic College, Bremerton, Washington, March 4, 2021.

Lecture, “Remembering the Ocoee Election Day Massacre and Re-Learning US History,” Humanities Institute, University of South Florida, March 2, 2021

Keynote Lecture, Black History Month, San Jose City College, San Jose, California, February 24, 2021.

Sunday Sermon, Black History Month, Unitarian Universalist Fellowship of Gainesville, February 21, 2021

Keynote Lecture, Black History Month, Community College of Aurora, Aurora, Colorado, February 17, 2021.

Book Lecture, James Baldwin’s “How Long Has the Train Been Gone?” Institute of Learning in Retirement, Oak Hammock, University of Florida,” February 10, 2021

Keynote Address, “Oral History, Zora Neale Hurston, and the Black Freedom Struggle through Storytelling and Song,” Zora Neale Hurston Festival, Eatonville, Florida, January 30, 2021.

“African American and Latinx Land Loss and Racial Violence,” Student Action with Farmworkers, Duke University, January 21, 2021.

Book Circle, “An African American and Latinx History of the United States, Wisconsin Department of Public Instruction, January 19, 2021

Panelist, 59th U.S. Presidential Inauguration Online Watch and Discussion, Bob Graham Center and the UF Department of Multicultural and Diversity Affairs, University of Florida, January 20, 2021

Keynote Lecture, “Intercultural Legacies of Martin Luther King, Jr.,” Aguila Youth Leadership Institute, President-Elect Joe Biden’s National Day of Service, Tucson Arizona, January 18, 2021

Panelist, “Multiracial Movement for Democracy,” Annual Resource Center for Nonviolence Community Celebration, Santa Cruz, CA, December 13, 2020.

Guest Speaker, Cornell University Graduate Seminar in Latinx History, December 2, 2020.

Guest Lecture, “Oral Histories of Activism,” Columbia Oral History Program, Columbia University, NYC, November 16, 2020.

Panelist, “Race and Historical Narrative—Correcting the Erasure of People of Color,” *Racial Justice Research and Practice Dialogs*, John Jay College of Criminal Justice, November 11, 2020.

Keynote Lecture, Hispanic Heritage Month, ¿y dónde está mi gente? LatinX invisible, Healthy St. Petersburg Foundation, St. Petersburg, Florida, October 24, 2020.

Chair, "Celebrating a 50-Year Oral History Collaboration Between the Poarch Band of Creek Indians and the University of Florida,” Oral History Association Annual Meeting, October 21, 2020.

Panelist, “Black Lives Matter on Campus and Off,” National Center for the Study of Collective Bargaining in Higher Education and the Professions National Conference, October 19, 2020.

Keynote Lecture, *Hispanic Heritage Month*, Microsoft, September 29, 2020

Lecture, “An African American and Latinx History of the United States,” (Hispanic Heritage Month Keynote), Cambridge Public Library, Cambridge, Massachusetts, September 24, 2020.

Lecture, “An African American and Latinx History of the United States,” for Labor Council for Latin American Advancement, AFL-CIO, Washington, DC, September 19, 2020.

“An Evening with Dr. Paul Ortiz,” (Hispanic Heritage Month Keynote) Houston Holocaust Museum, Houston, Texas, September 16, 2020.

Lecture, “The 100th Anniversary of the Ocoee, Florida Election Day Massacre,” Florida Humanities Council, September 2, 2020

Lecture, “Toni Morrison: A Literary Introduction,” Institute of Learning in Retirement, Oak Hammock, University of Florida, August 12, 2020.

Lecture, “Integrating African American and Latinx Histories into Social Studies Curricula,” Social Studies Teacher’s Workshop for Montgomery County Public School District, Rockville, Maryland, July 28, 2020.

Weekly Book Seminar Course, An African American and Latinx History of the United States, Resource Center for Nonviolence, Santa Cruz, California, May 13 through July 1, 2020.

Panelist, “Community Race Dialogue,” South Florida People of Color Benefit, Miami-Dade County, Florida, June 20, 2020

Teacher’s Workshop Lecture, “Diverse Voices in American History,” Hartford, Connecticut Board of Education, June 17, 2020.

Panelist, “Police Brutality in the Americas,” Center for Latin American Studies, University of Florida, June 16, 2020

Keynote Lecture, “History of Black & Brown Solidarity,” Hoodoisie: Liberation in Black & Tan Series, Chicago, Illinois, June 13, 2020.

Panelist, “Black, Brown, and Red Struggles,” Schomburg Center for Research in Black Culture, New York Public Library, *Conversations in Black Freedom Struggles*, May 7, 2020.

*An African American and Latinx History of the United States*, lecture and book signing, Pensacola State College, February 29, 2020.

Campus-Wide Lecture & Book Signing for Common Reading Series, *An African American and Latinx History of the United States,* Rollins College, Winter Park, Florida, February 11, 2020.

High School Teacher’s Workshop on *World War I*, Miami-Dade County for The Gilder Lehrman Institute of American History, Miami-Dade Teachers, Hialeah High School, Florida, February 10, 2020.

Campus-wide lecture & book signing, “Four Hundred Years of the African American and Latinx Experience, from 1619 to 2019,” Florida A&M University, February 18, 2020

Keynote Lecture, “The 100th Anniversary of the Ocoee Election Day Massacre,” The City of Ocoee, Florida, MLK Convocation, January 20, 2020.

“Dreaming of a Hemisphere Without Walls and Borders,” *The Crossley Lecture, Center for Global Humanities*, University of New England, December 9, 2019.

Keynote Speaker and Interviewee, KPFA Radio Fundraiser, Berkeley, California, November 12, 2019.

Chair and Comment, “The Latino South,” Special Roundtable Session, Southern Historical Association Annual Meeting, Louisville, Kentucky, November 9, 2019.

Panelist, “Southern History in the Headlines,” Southern Historical Association Annual Meeting, Louisville, Kentucky, November 9, 2019.

Campus-Wide Lecture, “Becoming Woke: An African American and Latinx History of the United States,” Bronx Community College President’s Conversation Series, Bronx Community College, NYC, 10/21/2019.

Distinguished Faculty Lecture, *The Making of An African American and Latinx History of the United States*, New York University, April 16, 2019.

Panelist, *Racial Capitalism and the Futures of Black Radicalism*, Author’s Roundtable Session, Organization of American Historians Annual Meeting, Philadelphia, Penn., April 5, 2019

Panel Commentator, *Rural Resistance: Gender, Power, and Survival in the American South, 1940-1975*, Organization of American Historians Annual Meeting, Philadelphia, Penn., April 5, 2019.

Lecture, *The Making of An African American and Latinx History of the United States*, Charles Warren Center for the Study of American History, Harvard University, April 4, 2019

Lecture and Book Signing, *An African American and Latinx History of the United States*, The Ralph J. Bunche Center for African American Studies, University of California, Los Angeles, February 7, 2019.

Chair, Everything You Wanted to Know about Community Engagement (But Were Afraid to Ask), American Historical Association Annual Meeting, Chicago, Illinois*,* January 6, 2019.

Chair, National Humanities Summit on Automation: Historical Perspectives, Chicago, Illinois, January 4, 2019.

Lecture and Book Signing, *An African American and Latinx History of the United States*, University of Kansas, September 19, 2018.

Lecture, “Local History Matters,” *Olympic College Alumni Speaker Series*, Olympic College, May 3, 2018.

The Making of *An African American and Latinx History of the United States*, Center for the Study of Community & Society, University of Washington, Tacoma, May 2, 2018.

Keynote lecture, "Talking Revolution Again: Political Struggles and Organizing in the Era of American Carnage," “Resistance in History: From Transgression to Transformation,” Chabraja Center for Historical Studies, Graduate Conference, Northwestern University, April 20, 2018

“Beyond the Monograph, Beyond the Margins: The Challenge of Interpretative and Inclusive Histories,” roundtable discussant, Organization of American Historians, Sacramento, CA, April, 2018.

“A New Microscope for Modern Conservatism: Huey Long, Theodore Bilbo, and Claude Kirk at the Precipice of Political Change, Panel Chair and Comment, Organization of American Historians, Sacramento, CA, April, 2018.

Lecture, “The Making of *An African American and Latinx History of the United States*,” Symposium Celebrating 10th Anniversary of Latino/a Studies at Duke University, Duke University, Durham, NC, March 22, 2018.

Campus-Wide Lecture and Book Signing: “An African American and Latinx History of the United States,” *Race Matters Series*, University of California, Santa Barbara, March 8, 2018

Campus-Wide Lecture and Book Signing, “An African American and Latinx History of the United States,” Florida Gulf Coast University, February 26, 2018.

Campus-Wide Lecture and Book Signing: “The Making of *An African American and Latinx History of the United States,”* Doreen B. Townsend Center for the Humanities, University of California, Berkeley, February 23, 2018

Campus-Wide Lecture and Book Signing, “An African American and Latinx History of the United States,” San Jose City College, February 23, 2018

Campus-Wide Lecture and Book Signing, “An African American and Latinx History of the United States Book Talk,” University of California, Santa Cruz, February 22, 2018.

Keynote Speaker, Comparative Race and Ethnic Studies Program 1st annual Research and Creativity Symposium, Texas Christian University, February 16, 2018.

Campus-Wide Lecture: “An African American and Latinx History of the United States,” Comparative Race and Ethnic Studies Program, College of Liberal Arts, Texas Christian University, February 15, 2018

Book Signing, *Busboys and Poets Books,* Washington, D.C., February 6, 2018

*The Making of An African American and Latinx History of the United States*, Lecture and Seminar Discussion, Smithsonian Latino Center, Washington, D.C., February 6, 2018

Chair/Comment, “What It Means to be a Citizen: Student Veterans in History Classrooms,” American Historical Association Annual Meeting, Washington, DC, 2018.

“Development Drowned and Reborn: A Roundtable in Memory of Clyde Woods,” Society for American City and Regional Planning History, Cleveland, Ohio, October 27, 2017.

Keynote Speaker, Latinx Graduation Ceremony, Hispanic-Latino Affairs, University of Florida, April 19, 2017.

Conference Keynote Lecture, “Centuries of the Black Freedom Struggle in Florida: From the Battle of Negro Fort to the Emergence of the Dream Defenders,” for: “New Directions in Florida” African American History conference, Flagler College, March 25, 2017.

Lecture, “Until Freedom is Proclaimed throughout the World: African American Global Visions of Reconstruction,” Virginia Tech University Department of History, *Legacies of Reconstruction* series, February 10, 2017

Faculty Plenary Panel, University of Florida Provost Symposium on Implicit Bias, January 27, 2017.

Three Invited Campus Lectures for: *An African American and Latinx History of the United States* University of Wisconsin-Madison, November 14-16

Campus Keynote Lecture: “African American and Latinx Histories in the Americas: Thinking Comparatively about Emancipation, Liberation and Citizenship,” Office of Community Engagement & Partnerships: Poverty, Equity, and Social Justice, University of South Florida, Tampa, October 28, 2017.

Plenary Panel Presentation: “Oral History, Now (And Tomorrow)” Oral History Association Annual Meeting, Long Beach, California, October 13, 2016.

Plenary Presentation: “Open the Door to a More Diverse and Collaborative Future,” Rare Books and Manuscripts Section of the Association of College and Research Libraries, Annual Meeting, Coral Gables, Florida, June 22, 2016.

Lecture, “Oral History in the Age of Black Lives Matter,” Columbia University Oral History Program’s Master of Arts Series, Columbia University, March 24, 2016.

Panelist: “C.L.R. James and the Race Question: A New Politics Forum,” Verso Books, Brooklyn, New York: March 25, 2016.

Lecture, “Celebrating Black History Month in Gainesville,” For: Altrusa International, Gainesville, Florida, February 25, 2016.

Conference Keynote Address, “I Dreamed I Saw Stetson Kennedy Last Night: Subjectivity, and Oral History’s Refusal to Stay Silent,” Southwestern Oral History Association Annual Meeting, Del Mar, California, March 21, 2015.

Panelist, “Ideological Struggle & Radical Political Imaginations,” for: *Confronting Racial Capitalism: The Black Radical Tradition* conference, The Graduate Center, City University of New York, November, 2014.

Invited Chair and Comment, “Chicanas/os Read James Baldwin,” The American Studies Association Annual Meeting, Los Angeles, California, November 2014.

Invited Panelist, “Stetson Kennedy, USA Dissident,” Oral History Association Annual Meeting, Madison, Wisconsin, October 11, 2014.

Invited Keynote lecture, “Preparing for the Civil Rights Movement,” Museum of Florida History, Department of State, Tallahassee, Florida, September 26, 2014.

Public Lecture and book signing, “Remembering Jim Crow: Reflections on African American Oral Histories in the South,” 50th Anniversary of Freedom Summer Commemoration, Henry M. Seymour Public Library, Indianola, Mississippi, June 28, 2014.

Invited Panelist, “Organized Resistance to Segregation in Florida,” Florida Historical Society Annual Meeting, Fort Lauderdale, Florida, May 22, 2014.

Invited Panelist, “Florida in Reconstruction and Shortly Thereafter: Forgotten Paths of White and Black Solidarity (And Why We Forgot Them),” for: “World of the Yearling: Florida in the 1870s Symposium,” George Smathers Libraries, February 7, 2014.

Invited Comment, “New Perspectives on the Long Civil Rights Movement,” American Historical Association Annual Conference, Washington, DC, January 2014.

Invited Chair and Comment, “Debt, Discipline, and the Political Economy of U.S. Imperialism,” The American Studies Association Annual Meeting, Washington, D.C. November 23, 2013

Invited Plenary Speaker: “Making Emancipation: From A Black Reconstruction to a Black President,” Association for the Study of African American Life and History Annual Meeting, October 5, 2013.

Invited Panelist, “African American and Latina/o Histories Through a Comparative Lens,” for “Teaching Entangled Histories Through Documents,” Organization of American Historians Annual Meeting, San Francisco, California, April, 2013.

Invited Panel Comment, “At Close Range: The Curious Case of Trayvon Martin, Center for the Study of Race Relations, Levin Law School, University of Florida, March 20, 2013.

Campus Keynote Lecture, “African American and Latino Histories and the 150th Anniversary of Many Emancipations.” Black History Month, Florida Atlantic University, February 28, 2013.

Invited Panelist, “The Feminine Mystique as Social Critique,” for “The Feminine Mystique at Fifty: 1963-2013,” UF Center for Women’s Studies and Gender Research,” March 13, 2013

“Learning to Read William Faulkner: Intruder in the Dust as a Great American Novel,” *The Villages Retirement Community* seminar, February 25, 2013.

Invited Lecture, “Race Relations in Florida from Reconstruction to the Bloody Election of 1920,” Authors@UF Series, George Smathers Libraries, February 5, 2013.

“Academic Freedom and (the lack of) Freedom of Speech at UF,” Humanizing Conversations at UF: Roundtable, The History of Academic Freedom and Activism at UF, UF Center for the Humanities and the Public Sphere, January 28, 2013.

Invited Discussant, “Symposium on Food Sovereignty: A Dialogue on an Alternative Future with La Vía Campesina,” Center for Latin American Studies, University of Florida, January 2013.

Invited Panelist, “Lives, Places, Histories of Racial Segregation, and the Behind the Veil Oral History Project,” panel, American Historical Association Annual Meeting, New Orleans, LA, January 5, 2013.

Invited Lecture, “African Americans Look Toward Latin America, 1825-1925,” The UF Center for Latin American Studies Research Symposium, November 29, 2012

Invited Panelist, “Working Across Borders: Immigration, Activism and Human Rights,” Duke University Human Rights Center, Student Action with Farmworkers, Rubenstein Library, November 12, 2012.

Invited Commentator: Civil Rights Legacies and Latinos/as in the South: Race, Labor, States’ Rights, and Anti Immigrant Sentiments, Southern Historical Association Annual Conference, Mobile, Alabama, November 2, 2012.

Invited Panelist, “The Legacy of Zora Neale Hurston: Celebrating the 75th Anniversary of *Their Eyes Were Watching God*” Symposium, UF Center for Women’s Studies and Gender Research, October 26, 2012.

“Voices: Stetson Kennedy and the Pursuit of Truth,” invited panelist for: “Stetson Kennedy: Vox Populi, Oral History Association Annual Meeting, Cleveland, Ohio, October 13, 2012.

Campus Keynote lecture, “Latina/o and African American History as a Way to Re-Envision American History,” The John W. Davison Lecture Series, Fort Valley State University, September 26, 2012.

“The Century of Black and Brown Anti-Imperialism, 1820s to 1920s,” For, *A New Vision of Black Freedom: The Manning Marable Memorial Conference*, Columbia University, April 28, 2012

Panelist, “Does *The Help* Help?” roundtable, UF Center for Women’s Studies and Gender Research, March 16, 2012.

“What’s the Matter with Florida?” Keynote Address, Florida Conference of Historians, 2012 Annual Conference, Lake City, Florida, February 24, 2012

Invited Commentator: “New Tools for Teaching and Learning about African American Life and Communities in the 20th Century.” Oral History Association Annual Meeting, Book Spotlight Session, Denver, Colorado, October 2011.

Roundtable Participant, “The Library of Congress Veterans History Project,” Oral History Association Annual Meeting, Denver Colorado, October 2011.

“'Killed Helping Workers to Organize': African American and Latina/o Narratives in the Century of Jim Crow/Juan Crow," Keynote Lecture for The Rutgers Center for Historical Analysis, Rutgers University, March 29, 2011.

Chair and Comment, “Race, Class, and Rebellion,” Panel at the American Studies Association Annual Meeting, San Antonio, Texas, November 18-21, 2010

“The Interviewers Talk Back: Reflections on “Behind the Veil” as a Transformative Experience,” roundtable at the Oral History Association Annual Meeting, Atlanta, Georgia, October 28, 2010.

“From The Classroom to the Streets: Latina Community Organizers Discuss Black and Brown Organizing Opportunities and Challenges,” Special Panel Session, American Sociological Association Annual Conference, Atlanta, Georgia August 16, 2010.

Discussant, “Old South, New South or Down South?: Florida and the Modern Civil Rights Movement,” Book Roundtable Session, Florida Historical Society Annual Meeting, St. Augustine, May 28, 2010.

Keynote, “What It Takes to Be a Revolutionary: C.L.R. James and the Quest for the New Society,” keynote address for: “Marx’s Political Philosophy: It’s Legacy and Relevance Symposium”, Florida Atlantic University, February 12, 2010.

Invited Chair and Comment, “New Dawn in the Lowcountry? Continuity and Change in Coastal Georgia and South Carolina,” for “Race, Labor & Citizenship in the Post-Emancipation South,” Conference, College of Charleston, South Carolina, March 11, 2010.

Invited Panelist, “Oral History and the Civil Rights Movement” Roundtable Discussion, “Talking Through History: Oral History and the Civil Rights Movement” Symposium, Pan African Studies Department, Clemson University, February 4, 2010.

Invited Panelist, “The May Day Protests, Grassroots Mobilization, and the Politics of Citizenship,” Roundtable, American Studies Association Annual Meeting, Washington, D.C., November 6, 2009.

Chair, “Mentors at the Crossroads: Studs Terkel, Herbert Gutman, Staughton Lynd, and Archie Green,”

Panel at Labor and Working Class History Association Conference, Chicago, May 28, 2009.

Invited Panelist, “Monuments and Memory: Race and History” Conference, Duke University Center for the Study of Race, Ethnicity, and Gender in the Social Sciences,” April 16-17, 2009.

Invited Commentator, “Labor Rights Are Human Rights: Mexican Americans and African Americans and the Struggle for Justice in Postwar America,” for “The Long Civil Rights Movement: Histories, Politics, Memories, Methods,” The Southern Oral History Program, UNC-Chapel Hill, April 3, 2009.

Chair, “Who Were the Black Progressives?” Panel at Organization of American Historians Annual Conference, Seattle, Washington, March 28, 2009.

Invited Introduction of: Dr. Sherrilyn Ifill, Professor of Law, University of Maryland, for: University of Florida Levin College of Law 2009 Spring Lecture, “Re-Defining Civil Rights After Obama,” March 16, 2009.

“African American History in the Age of Barack Obama,” Campus-wide lecture for Florida Gulf Coast University, Naples, Florida, February 25, 2009.

“Black History as American History,” Campus-wide Lecture for Florida Southern College’s Center for Florida History, Lakeland, Florida, February 5, 2009

“Building on Sam Proctor’s Legacy: Race, Politics, and Freedom in Florida,” Lecture for The Samuel Proctor Lecture Series, Bob Graham Center for Public Service, November 19, 2008

Chair and Commentator, “Challenges of Digital Collections,” Panel at Oral History Association Annual Conference, October, 2008.

Panelist, “A Speaker Night Reflecting on Hurricane Katrina” (With Bettina Aptheker), UCSC, November 27, 2007.

Chair and Commentator, “Consequences of U.S. Imperialism on Exiled Filipino Revolutionaries and Chinese Sweatshop Workers,” Oral History Association Annual Conference, October 28, 2007.

“Learning from the Black Struggle and Unlearning White Supremacy,” Campus-wide lecture, Pan African Studies Program, Clemson University, April 19, 2007.

Invited Panelist, War for the American South Conference, Ohio State University, November 10, 2006.

Panel Chair and Commentator, “Latinas and Latinos in the South: (Im)Migrants and Workers Shifting the Multiracial Landscape,” Oral History Association Annual Conference, October 26, 2006.

"Jim Crow and the Enduring Crisis of Voting Rights in the United States" keynote lecture for “The Race-ing Research, Researching Race Seminar Series,” Institute of African American Research, University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill, October 11, 2006.

“African American Workers in the Post-Emancipation Era: Developing Theoretical Perspectives,” invited panelist for “New Directions in Black Labor History,” The Association for the Study of African American Life and History Conference, Atlanta, Georgia, September 28, 2006.

“Race Riots, Segregation, and the Question of Reparations,” invited panelist at the “Reparations Across the Americas,” 8th Annual International Scholars Conference, Institute of African American Research, University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill, March 30, 2006.

“’Raising Fundamental Questions Regarding Social Structure’: African American Politics in the Postbellum South, invited guest lecture for the Department of History and the Center on Democracy in a Multiracial Society, University of Illinois Urbana-Champaign, February 22, 2006.

“Empowering Students from Diverse Backgrounds,” Invited Panel Speaker, Teaching & Learning Symposium, UCSC, February 16, 2006.

“The Future in the Past: New Orleans and Hurricane Katrina,” Invited Panel Speaker, *Reflections on Katrina: Place, Persistence, & the Lives of Cities*, Center for Cultural Studies, UCSC, January 21, 2006.

“Black Floridians and the Struggle Against Segregation,” Invited Guest Lecture, Florida Studies Center and Africana Studies, University of South Florida, Tampa, Florida, November 8, 2005

“’The Best Interest of the Laboring Classes’: African American Workers and their Adversaries in the New South,” invited conference panelist at the Southern Historical Association Conference, Atlanta, Georgia, November 4, 2005.

“Renewing the Promise of Emancipation,” Invited Keynote Lecture for the *Howard Thurman Lecture Series*, Stetson University, DeLand, Florida, September 15, 2005.

"*Emancipation Betrayed*: Labor History and the Origins of Segregation," presentation at the Southwest Labor Studies Association Conference, University of California, Santa Barbara, May 5, 2005.

Panel Comment, "Politics of Class and Place," at the Southwest Labor Studies Association Conference, University of California, Santa Barbara, May 6, 2005.

Using *Emancipation Betrayed* To Reconceptualize Segregation," presentation for: "Trajectories of Jim Crow: A Lecture Series," African & African American Studies, Stanford University, February 25, 2005.

“Remembering C.L.R. James, and Living Revolutionary Intellectual Politics,” lecture for UCSC Department of Psychology Colloquium, UCSC, April 2, 2004.

Panel Chair and Comment, "Blood and Belonging: Racial Violence and Struggles for Equality," American Studies Association Annual Meeting, Hartford Connecticut, October 16, 2003.

"Thinking Comparatively About African American & Latino History: Agricultural Labor As a Comparative Lens," Invited Guest Lecture at: Center For The Study of Race & Ethnicity, University of California, San Diego, April 16, 2003.

Panel Chair and Comment, "Blood and Belonging: Racial Violence and Struggles for Equality," American Studies Association Annual Meeting, Hartford, CT, October 16, 2003.

Panel Chair and Comment, "Law, Science, and the Construction of Race," at the Race and Place in the Americas Conference, The University of Alabama, Tuscaloosa, March 7, 2003.

Panel Chair and Comment with Reverend James Lawson on Nonviolence, Martin Luther King Convocation Community Forum, UC-Santa Cruz, January 22, 2003.

“’The Consolation of Knowing that He Will Be Decently Buried”: African American Rituals of Death and the Rebirth of Black Civic Culture in the Jim Crow South,” Conference Paper at: Organization of American Historians’ Annual Meeting, Washington, D.C., April 13, 2002.

"'We care for our sick ones and bury the dead': African American Mutual Aid and the Political Economy of Fraternal Culture in Jim Crow Florida," Conference Paper at: Race, Place, and the American Experience Conference, University of Alabama, Tuscaloosa, Alabama, March 8, 2002.

“Historical Memory, Segregation, and the Making of *Remembering Jim Crow*,” Paper at: The Townsend Oral History Working Group, University of California, Berkeley, January 30, 2002.

Commentator, James Green, “What Activists Can Learn From the History of Protest Movements,” University of California, Santa Cruz, January 10, 2002.

Panel Chair and Commentator, “Telling Stories: Narratives of Cultural Survival,” Oral History Association Annual Meeting, St. Louis, Missouri, October 20, 2001.

"'We Are in the Hands of the Devil': African American Armed Resistance in the Segregating South, 1877-1919," Conference Paper at: Diaspora Paradigms: New Scholarship in Comparative Black History, September 20, 2001, Michigan State University.

"Thinking Comparatively about Latino and African American Studies," Symposium Panelist at

"What is Ethnic Studies? An Open Discussion," Duke University, February 20, 2001.

“The Black Working Class in the Making of the Florida Voter Registration Movement,” Panel Presentation at the North American Labor History Conference, Wayne State University, October, 2000.

“Visions of Democracy: African American Freedom Struggles from the Age of Revolution to the

Era of Legal Segregation,” Scholar’s Convocation Address, Grinnell College, February 18, 1999.

"Like Water Covered The Sea: The African American Freedom Struggle in Jim Crow Florida," Conference Paper at the American Historical Association Annual Meeting, January, 1999.

"Democracy Never Assumes a More Rampant Form: The Duel for Labor Control on The Florida Frontier, 1865-1902," Conference Paper at "Globalization From Below: Contingency, Conflict and Contestation in Historical Perspective," Duke University, February 5, 1998.

"The History of Latino Farm Worker Organizing in the United States," Presentation at: Into the Fields:

Farm Workers in North Carolina House Course, Duke University, April 3, 1997.

"Inherent Contradictions, Multiple Identities: Graduate Students as Workers and Students in an Era of Academic Downsizing," Panel Presentation at the American Historical Association, New York, New York; January, 1997.

"Documenting the Jim Crow Era Through Oral History: The Behind the Veil Experience," Conference Paper at the Society of American Archivists Conference, San Diego, California August 31, 1996.

"Airing Oral History Documentaries on Public Radio," Panel Presentation at the Southern Oral History Organization, Durham, North Carolina; March, 1995.

"Pathways to Justice: Labor and Social Issues Radio in Olympia, Washington, 1991-1993," Conference Paper at the Southwest Labor Studies Conference, University of the Redlands, California; April, 1993

"Si Se Puede! Remembering Cesar Chavez," Panel Presentation, Evergreen State College, May 1993.

**Selected Ph.D. and Graduate Committee Service, University of Florida**

Heather Gonyeau (Latin American History)

Rolda Darlington (Political Science)

Isabel Rayo (Counseling Psychology)

Garrett Ross (Counseling Psychology)

LeRaven Temoney (Political Science)

Dale Haning (Anthropology)

Kristen Gary (Political Science)

Will Atkins (College of Education), completed 2022

George Topalidis (Sociology of Race and Immigration), completed 2022

Carolyn Silva (College of Education), completed 2022

Madison Cates (Southern History), completed 2020.

Matthew Simmons (Southern Tenant Farmers’ Union, completed 2019) (Chair)

Raja Rahim (African American History), completed 2021 (Chair)

Kevin Bird (African American History) completed 2022 (Chair)

Jody Berman (College of Arts, completed 2019) (Co-chair)

A.J. Donaldson (African American History, completed 2019)

Allen Kent, (African American History) (Co-chair; graduated 2015)

Michael Brandon, (African American History) (Co-chair; graduated 2015)

Nicole Cox, (Environmental), Graduated 2017

Amanda Beyer-Purvis (African American) Graduated 2017

Jessica Taylor (Colonial Native American) Graduated 2017

Terri Brinegar (Musicology) Graduated 2018

Randi Gill-Sadler (African American Feminist Literature) Graduated 2016

Justin Hosbey, (Anthropology of Race) Graduated 2016

Justin Dunnavant (Anthropology, Archeology) Graduated 2016

Jennifer Lyon, (U.S. South), Graduated 2016

Jessica Lancia, (Feminist/women’s history), Graduated 2015

Ryan Morini, Anthropology (Race and Ethnography Among Native Americans) Graduated 2014

Angela Diaz, (Latina History/American Borderlands), Graduated 2013

Scott Huffard, (Economic development), U.S. South), Graduated 2013

Leslie Poole, *(*Environmental History*)*, Graduated 2012

Erin Conlin, (Caribbean migrant labor in Florida), Graduated 2014

Erin Zavitz, (Historical memories of the Haitian Revolution), Graduated 2015

Bridget M. Bihm-Manuel (Environmental), Graduated 2014

Erin Conlin (Labor), Graduated 2014

Steve Davis (South African History), Graduated 2010

Daniel Simone (Environmental History), Graduated 2009

**Selected Outside Ph.D. Committee Service:** Elizabeth Barahona, Northwestern University (Latinx and African American History)

Josh Bergeron, University of Illinois (Latin American History)

Allison Mitchell, University of Virginia (African American History), Graduated 2024

Armin Fardis, Harvard University (Comparative literature; African Diaspora), Graduated 2020

Beatrice Adams, Rutgers University (African American History), Graduated 2021

Sarah McNamara University of North Carolina Chapel Hill (Latina History), Graduated 2016

Jonathan Gomez, University of California, Santa Barbara (Latinx and Black Studies), Graduated 2017

Jody Noll, Georgia State University (Labor History), Graduated 2019

**Selected M.A. Committee Service, University of Florida**

Donovan Carter (Latin American Studies) (Chair), Graduated 2023

Carissa Cullum (Latin American Studies), Graduated 2017

Annemarie Nichols (Oral History), (Chair), Graduated 2017

Lauren Dawes (Community Studies), Graduated 2017

Jorge A. Gonzalez, (Early Florida History), Graduated 2016

Mary Adkins, Department of History (Legal History), Graduated 2016

Analise Armitage (Women’s Studies), Graduated 2016

Diana Moreno (Latin American Studies), Graduated 2015

Justin Dunnavant, Department of Anthropology

Gregory Landingham, Department of History (Southern History)

Candice Ellis, Department of History, (Chair), Graduated 2012

Michael Falcone, Department of History

Angela Diaz, Department of History

Scott Huffard, Department of History

Stephanie Bechara, College of Journalism (Spanish-Language Journalism), Graduated 2015

*NATIONAL ACADEMIC SERVICE*

Selected Book Manuscript Reader Service:

University Of California Press:

Christina Heatherton, *Arise! Global Radicalism in the Era of the Mexican Revolution* (2022)

William A. Darity Jr., A. Kirsten Mullen, and Lucas Hubbard, eds., Black Reparations: *The Case*

*for Redress and The Path to Get There* (Forthcoming)

Manu Karuka, *Against Imperialism: Breaking the War-Finance Nexus* (Forthcoming)

Rubén Guevara, *Confessions of a Radical Chicano Doo-Wop Singer* (2018)

Jordan Camp, *Incarcerating the Crisis: Freedom Struggles and the Rise of the Neoliberal State*

Julie Weise, *Corazón de Dixie: Mexicanos in the U.S. South Since 1920* (published by UNC Press)

University of North Carolina Press:

Sara Awartani, *Solidarities of Liberation, Visions of Empire: Puerto Rico, Palestine and American Global Power*

(Forthcoming)

David Cline, *Twice Forgotten: African Americans and the Korean War, an Oral History* (2021)

J. Michael Butler, *Beyond Integration: The Black Freedom Struggle in Escambia County, Florida* (2016)

Gordon Mantler, *Power to the Poor: Black-Brown Coalition and the Fight for Economic Justice* (2013)

Blair L.M. Kelley, *Right to Ride: Streetcar Boycotts and African American Citizenship in the Era of Plessy*

Beacon Press:

Tanya Katerí Hernández, Latinos Part of the Race Problem: “Racial Innocence” & Anti-Blackness

(Forthcoming)

Johns Hopkins University Press:

Larry Rivers, *Father James Page: An Epic Journey in Slavery and Freedom* (2021)

Pluto Press:

Steve Striffler, Solidarity: Latin America and the US Left in the Era of Human Rights (2019)

University of Wisconsin Press:

Sandra Lazo de La Vega and Timothy Steigenga, *Against the Tide: Immigrants, Day Laborers and Community in*

*Jupiter, Florida*

University of Illinois Press: Horace Huntley, *Foot Soldiers for Democracy: The Men, Women, and Children of*

*the Birmingham Civil Rights Movement*

University of Texas Press:

Charles Thompson, *Border Odyssey: Travels Along the U.S./Mexico Divide*

Palgrave Macmillan,

Robert Widell, Jr. *Birmingham and the Long Black Freedom Struggle*

Temple University Press, Dennis Halpin, *The Black Self-Reconstruction of Baltimore: Activism, Race, and the*

*Fight for Equality, 1865-1920*

University of Georgia Press:

Clyde Woods, *Development Drowned and Reborn: The Blues and Bourbon Restorations in Post-Katrina New*

*Orleans*, ed., Jordan Camp and Laura Pulido

University Press of Florida:

Derrick White, *The Challenge of Blackness: The Institute of the Black World and Political Activism in the 1970s*

Rowman & Littlefield:

Steven A. Reich, *A Working People: A History of African American Workers Since Emancipation*

*Other National Award Committees*

*Judge, 2019 John D. and Catherine T. MacArthur Foundation MacArthur Fellows Program (“The Genius*

*Award.)*

*Judge, 2019 PEN/Jean Stein Grant for Literary Oral History*

**Selected Membership And Activities in Professional Associations:**

Philip Taft Book Prize Committee, Labor and Working-Class History Association, 2023-

Oral History Association, Advocacy Committee, 2021-present

Chair, David Montgomery Award, Organization of American Historians, 2022

Philip Taft Book Prize Committee, Labor and Working Class History Association, 2019-2022

National Advisory Board, *The Freedom School Project*, 2021-present

Founding Chair, Robert H. Zieger Prize in Southern Labor Studies, SLSA, 2014-present.

Best Book Award Committee, Oral History Association, 2018-2021

Chair, Liberty Legacy Foundation Book Award, Organization of American Historians, 2017-2018

Labor and Working Class History Association, (National Executive Board, 2020-2023)

H.L. Mitchell Book Award Committee, Southern Historical Association, 2015.

Oral History Association, president, 2014-2015

Oral History Association, vice president, 2013-2014; first vice-president, 2012-2013

Oral History Association, Emerging Crises Grant Committee, 2008-2012; Book Award Committee, 2012; Web Site Committee, 2010-2011) Nominating Committee Chair, 2008

Oral History Association, Program Committee for 2007 Annual Conference, Oakland, California

Southern Labor Studies Association, Membership Committee, 2009-12.

Labor and Working Class History Association, (National Executive Board, 2004-2007)

Association for the Study of African American Life and History

Santa Cruz Faculty Association—AAUP, Executive Board, 2004-2008

National AAUP Committee on Teaching, Research, and Publication, 2003-2006

Oral History Association (Lifetime Member)

Southwest Oral History Association (Lifetime Member)

Southwest Labor Studies Association (Lifetime Member)

American Historical Association

Organization of American Historians

American Studies Association

**Service to Scholarly Journals:**

*Board of Contributing Editors, Labor: Studies in Working-Class History (2024-2027)*

*Editorial Board, Oral History Review, 2024-*

*Latinx Histories Series, Advisory Board, University of North Carolina Press, 2021 to present.*

*Board of Advisers, University of Florida Press, 2018 to present.*

*International Advisory Board, Palgrave Studies in Oral History, Palgrave Macmillan Books, 2010 to present.*

*Editorial Board, Florida Historical Quarterly, 2008-present.*

*Editorial Board, Kalfou: A Journal of Comparative and Relational Ethnic Studies, 2009-present.*

*Selected External Tenure and Promotion Referee Service*:

School of Industrial and Labor Relations, Cornell University; University of Virginia; Duke University;

Georgetown University, University of Minnesota; Florida Atlantic University; University of Kentucky;

University of California, Santa Cruz; Mississippi Valley State University; University of California, San Diego;

University of Rhode Island; Oklahoma State University; North Carolina State University; University of Arizona;

Pennsylvania State University; Virginia Tech University; Baylor University; University of Pennsylvania;

University of South Florida; Texas A&M University; University of Illinois; Tulane University.

*National Faculty Foundation Mentor Service:*

*Ford Foundation Faculty Mentor*, 2014-15 (Perla Guerrero, Univ. of Maryland, Latino Studies)

*Woodrow Wilson Faculty Mentor, 2012-2013 (*Melissa Stuckey, Univ. of Oregon, African American History*)*

**Selected Historical Consultative Work:**

Consultant and narrator, *American Historia*, PBS Docuseries Produced by John Leguizamo (2024)

Consultant for PBS series from Henry Louis Gates, Jr. “The African Diaspora” 2021-present.

Consultant and narrator, *The Black Church: This is Our Story, This is Our Song*, PBS, Henry Louis Gates, Producer, 2021

[Expert Review Panelist,](https://pa1912.serc.co/expert-review-panel/) *Connecticut Public Act No. 19-12: An Act Concerning the Inclusion of Black and Latino Studies in the Public School Curriculum*, 2020-2022

Content Consultant, *Martin Luther King Jr., Civil Rights Leader* (ABDO Publishing Company, 2014)

Interviewee/consultant on: “Liberia Letter,” *History Detectives*, PBS, Season 7, Episode 708, 2009

Advisory Board: “Behind the Veil: Digitizing Oral Histories of the Jim Crow South,” Duke University Libraries NEH Grant. (2008)

Interviewee/consultant on Documentary Film by Richard L. Paul on NASA’s Social Impact on Florida

Consultant on: “Invisible Histories of the Sunshine State” (Documentary Film on Florida History)

Race With History Radio Project 2008-2011

Sunflower County Civil Rights Reunion Committee (Indianola, Mississippi). (2008-2014)

Consultant Democracy Forum (Orange County, Florida), 2001-2004.

When Terrorism Won in America Radio Documentary Project, Reality Works, Tampa, Florida

Remembering Jim Crow, American Radio Works, Minnesota Public Radio

Student Action with Farm Workers, Center for Documentary Studies, Duke University

National Advisory Board, Institute for Southern Studies, Durham, North Carolina, 2006-Present.

Co-Organizer & Film Jurist, Reel Work Labor Film Festival, Santa Cruz, 2002-Present.

Steering Committee, Resource Center for Nonviolence, Santa Cruz, California, 2002-2006.

Founding Organizer May Day Labor Film Festival, “Reel Work,” Santa Cruz, 2002.

Founding Advisory Committee, 1st Annual Cesar Chavez Celebration in Watsonville, 2003

Board of Advisors, Living Encyclopedia of Global African Music, 2003-Present

Board of Directors, Institute for Southern Studies, Durham, North Carolina (1999-2001)

Board of Directors, North Carolina Farm Workers' Project, Benson, North Carolina (1993-2001)

Board of Directors, Student Action with Farm Workers, Durham, North Carolina (1999-2001)

**Campus Service (UF):**

Faculty Adviser, UF Young Democratic Socialists of America, 2020 to present

Faculty Adviser, UF Students for Bernie, 2020

Faculty Adviser, UF *Por Colombia*, 2018 to 2023

*Faculty Adviser:* UF Venezuelan Students’ Association, 2010 to 2019

Faculty Adviser, UF CHISPAS, 2013 to present.

Faculty Adviser, UF Dream Defenders, 2012 to 2018.

Faculty Adviser, UF Students for a Democratic Society, 2013-14.

Faculty Adviser: Student Farmworker Alliance, 2009-2016.

Faculty Adviser: Oral History Club, 2009-2012.

University Minority Mentor Program, 2008-2020

University Scholars Program Mentor, 2011-present.

**Departmental Committees and Service (UF)**

T&P Committee, 2021-2023

Hiring Committee, Department of History (2020-2021)

Graduate Committee, Department of History, 2019-2020

African American Studies 50th Anniversary Symposium Committee (Chair)

African American Studies Faculty Search Committee (2015)

Highest Honors in the Major Committee (2013)

Tenure Committee (2013)

Graduate Teaching Mentor, Summer Session (2009-2014)

Francophone Africa History Faculty Search Committee (2010).

History Graduate Professional Development Committee, 2008-2010.

History Graduate Committee, 2010-2011.

Proctor Family Dissertation Prize Selection Committee, 2009, 2010, 2012.

Graduate Teaching Mentor, Summer, 2009, Summer, 2010, Summer, 2011, Summer 2012.

**University Service (UF):**

*President, United Faculty of Florida, UF, FEA/AFT/AFL-CIO), (Elected 3 terms, 2020-2023)*

Associate Director, Race and Crime Center for Justice, UF Levin Law, 2022-present.

Co-Chair, Presidential Task Force on African and Native American History @UF, 2020-2022

African American Studies Program Advisory Board, 2021-present.

General Education Task force on Diversity, 2020 to present.

*Vice-President, United Faculty of Florida-UF (2016 to 2018)*

*First Vice-President, United Faculty of Florida, 2015-16*

UF Historic St. Augustine Faculty Collaborator, 2016 to present

Board of Advisors, *University of Florida Press*, 2017 to present

Plenary Panelist, Office of the Provost Annual Symposium (on Implicit Bias), 2016

University of Florida Presidential Goals-Setting Task Force, 2015-2016

Levin Law Dean’s Search Committee, 2014

African American Studies Steering Committee (Hiring Committee) Open search, 2014

University History Committee, 2011-2014

Academic Senate University Constitution Committee 2011-2013 (Chair, 2012)

Director of African American Studies Search, 2010

Office of Graduate Minority Programs Speaker, 2010-2012.

“Preserving Black History at the University of Florida,” lecture, UF Black Alumni Weekend, Welcome Reception, September 3, 2010.

**Departmental (UCSC):** Chair, Faculty Search Committee, Social Documentation, 2008.

Governance Task Force, 2006-2008.

Graduate Admissions Committee, 2005-2006.

Organizer and Facilitator of the visit of Prof. Thomas Rankin, Duke Center for Documentary Studies, to UCSC, February 15-16, 2006, Social Documentation Colloquium Series

Organizer the visit of Arizona State. Film maker Prof. Paul Espinosa, to UCSC, April 28-29, 2006.

Organizer and Facilitator of the visit of Prof. Deborah Willis, New York University Tisch School for the Arts to UCSC, April 20-21, 2006 Social Documentation Colloquium Series

Social Documentation Graduate Curriculum Committee, 2005-present.

Organizer of the visit of Tia Lessin to discuss *Fahrenheit 9/11* at UCSC, October 6-7, 2005.

Faculty Search Committee, LGBT Studies, Tenure-Track, 2004-2005.

Faculty Search Committee, Social Documentation Tenure-Track, 2003-2004.

Faculty Search Committee, Global and Local Political Economy of Food, Tenure-Track, 2002-2003.

Social Documentation Graduate Curriculum Committee, 2004-present.

Honors Committee, 2001-2002; Budget Committee, 2002, 2003.

**University (UCSC):**

Academic Senate Executive Committee, Winter, Spring, 2007.

Chair, Committee on Faculty Welfare, Academic Senate, Winter, Spring, 2007.

University Ad Hoc Promotion to Tenure Committee, UCSC, 2006 (two tenure committees).

Search Committee, Assistant Vice Chancellor of Human Relations, Spring 2006.

Academic Senate Executive Committee, Winter, Spring, 2006.

Chair, Committee on Faculty Welfare, Academic Senate, Winter, Spring 2006.

Services for Transfer and Re-Entry Students, Transfer Yield Event Panelist, 2005, 2006.

Committee on Chancellor’s Investiture, Spring, 2005.

Academic Senate Executive Committee, Winter, Spring 2005.

Chair, Committee on Faculty Welfare, Academic Senate, Winter, Spring 2005.

Faculty Mentor Program, Educational Opportunity Program, 2002-2006.

Steering Committee, Center for Justice, Tolerance and Community, 2003-2008.

Committee on Faculty Welfare, Academic Senate, UC-Santa Cruz, Fall, 2003.

Committee on Teaching, Academic Senate, UC-Santa Cruz, Winter, 2003.

Faculty Advisor, Page and Eloise Smith Scholastic Society, UC-Santa Cruz Alumni Office, 2001-2008.

UCSC Regents and Merit Scholarship Selection Committee, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005

Mellon Minority Undergraduate Fellowship Program Mentor, Duke University, 2001.

Curriculum and Education Development Committee, Center for Documentary Studies, 2000-2001.

Chair, Archival Working Group, Center for Documentary Studies, 2000-2001.

Hiring Committee, Educational Director, Center for Documentary Studies, 2000.

**Professional, Community:**

School Advisory Council, Carolyn Beatrice Parker Elementary School, Gainesville, 2021-present

Florida Memorial University, Social Justice Institute, 2021-present.

School Renaming Committee, Alachua County School Board, 2020-2021

Historian of the Alachua County NAACP, 2020 to present

Advisory Board, Matheson History Museum, Gainesville, FL, 2021-present.

Three Rivers Legal Services, Gainesville, Florida, 2019-2023

Florida Historical Society, Board of Advisors, 2018 to present.

Advisory Board, Listening Between the Lines Documentary and Public Forum Project, 2010-2015.

Board of directors, Matheson Museum Incorporated, 2010-2013

National Advisory Board, Institute for Southern Studies, Durham, North Carolina, 2006-2010.

Co-Organizer & Film Jurist, Reel Work Labor Film Festival, Santa Cruz, 2002-2008

Steering Committee, Resource Center for Nonviolence, Santa Cruz, California, 2002-2006.

Founding Advisory Committee, 1st Annual Cesar Chavez Celebration in Watsonville, 2003

Board of Advisors, Living Encyclopedia of Global African Music, 2003-2008

**University Courses Taught:**

Labor History (biyearly since 2013)

Comparative Race and Ethnicity (Graduate Seminar, biyearly since 2015)

Latino History (Survey & Research seminar)

African Diaspora in the Americas

African American History (Graduate and undergraduate seminars)

Oral History (Graduate Seminar); Theories of Social Documentary (Graduate Seminar).

African American and Latino Histories and Communities; African Diaspora in the Americas;

African American History From the Civil War to the Great Depression; C.L.R. James; Documentary and Social Change; Oral History; Preparation for Field Study; Theory and Practice of Resistance and Social Movements; United States History Since 1865; Culture and Work; African American History Since 1865; African American History to 1865; Farm Workers in North Carolina: Roots of Poverty, Roots of Change; African American Political Struggles and the Emergence of Segregation in the U.S. South (Grinnell College course Spring, 1999).

***Selected Writings:***

“[Report of the Presidential Task Force on African American and Native American History and the University of Florida](https://antiracism.ufl.edu/central-initiatives/history/),” (2022). I co-chaired the task force and wrote the introduction to the report.

“[Fearless Educator Takes Her Place as a Role Model For All](https://thehill.com/opinion/education/3558876-fearless-educator-takes-her-place-as-a-role-model-for-all/),” *The Hill*, July 14, 2022. (Mary McCleod Bethune)

“[I Won't Let Florida's 'Stop WOKE Act' Silence Discussions on Race in My Classroom](https://www.gainesville.com/story/opinion/2022/06/28/paul-ortiz-stop-woke-act-meant-silence-discussions-race/7711167001/),” *Gainesville Sun*, June 28, 2022.

“[Defending the First Amendment](https://portside.org/2022-05-08/defending-first-amendment),” *Portside*, May 8, 2022.

Op-Ed, (with Sheila Payne) “[Demand Concrete Police Reforms, Nationally and Locally](https://cm.gainesville.com/offers-reg/?return=https%3A%2F%2Fwww.gainesville.com%2Fstory%2Fopinion%2Fcolumns%2Fmore-voices%2F2020%2F06%2F11%2Fpaul-ortiz-and-sheila-payne-demand-concrete-police-reforms-nationally-and-locally%2F42157649%2F), *The Gainesville Sun*, June 11, 2020.

Essay, “The Pursuit of Truth in the Delta,” *Solidarity*, 204, (January-February 2020), <https://solidarity-us.org/atc/204/truth-in-delta/>

Blog Post: “History as a Pathway to Freedom: Hispanic/Latinx Heritage Month,” *Beacon Press Broadside*, October 10, 2019, <https://www.beaconbroadside.com/broadside/2019/10/history-as-a-pathway-to-freedom-hispaniclatinx-heritage-month.html>

Op-Ed, “Honoring A Trailblazing Civil;-Rights Activist and Historian*, Gainesville Sun*, March 19, 2019,

<https://www.gainesville.com/opinion/20190315/paul-ortiz-honoring-trailblazing-civil-rights-activist-and-historian>

Blog Post, “How the Biggest General Strike in American History Revived the US Working Class on May Day,” *Beacon Press Blog*, May 1, 2018, <https://www.beaconbroadside.com/broadside/2018/05/how-the-biggest-general-strike-in-american-history-revived-the-us-working-class-on-may-day.html>

Op-Ed, “What the U.S. (and world) Owe to Haiti,” *The Gainesville Sun*, February 28, 2018, <http://www.gainesville.com/opinion/20180227/paul-ortiz-what-us-and-world-owe-to-haiti>

Blog Post, “Five Key Terms to Understand the Shared Struggle for Black and Latinx Civil Rights,” *Beacon Press Blog*, February 1, 2018, <https://www.beaconbroadside.com/broadside/2018/02/five-key-terms-to-understand-the-shared-struggle-for-black-and-latinx-civil-rights.html>

Essay, “[One of History’s Foremost Anti-Slavery Organizers is Often Left Out of the Black History Month Story](https://time.com/author/paul-ortiz/),” *Time.com*, January 31, 2018.

Laura Dixie: Remembering a 'Mother of the Movement,' *Facing South: The Online Magazine of the Institute for Southern Studies*, December 6, 2017, <https://www.facingsouth.org/2017/12/laura-dixie-remembering-mother-movement>

“Protect Against Workplace Injuries and Deaths: Worker’s Memorial Day,” *The Gainesville Sun*, April 28, 2017, <http://www.gainesville.com/opinion/20170428/paul-ortiz-protect-against-workplace-injuries-and-deaths>

“Trump at 100 Days,” *Orlando Sentinel*, April 27, 2017, <http://www.orlandosentinel.com/opinion/os-ed-100-days-matter-trump-same-standards-as-typical-american-worker-front-burner-20170427-story.html>

“The Cost of War for Veterans and Civilians,” *The Gainesville Sun*, November 6, 2016

[*http://www.gainesville.com/opinion/20161106/paul-ortiz-cost-of-war-for-veterans-and-civilians*](http://www.gainesville.com/opinion/20161106/paul-ortiz-cost-of-war-for-veterans-and-civilians)

“Celebrating Slavery’s Abolition and America’s Survival,” *The Gainesville Sun*, June 12, 2016,

<http://www.gainesville.com/opinion/20160612/paul-ortiz-celebrating-slaverys-abolition-and-americas-survival>

“WWII Veterans Stress War’s Cost, Not Its Glories,” *The Gainesville Sun*, November 15, 2015. <http://www.gainesville.com/article/20151115/OPINION03/151119816/0/search>

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“Black History Month and the Cuban Solidarity Movement of the 1870s,” *Beacon Press Blog*, February 25, 2015, <http://www.beaconbroadside.com/broadside/2015/02/black-history-month-and-the-cuban-solidarity-movement-of-the-1870s.html>

“Decision Time for Marco Rubio,” *The Progressive*, January 28, 2015, <http://progressive.org/op-eds/decision-time-marco-rubio/>

“Latinos Have Been an Integral Part of this Nation’s History,” *The Gainesville Sun*, September 25, 2014. <http://www.gainesville.com/article/20140925/OPINION03/140929833/0/search?p=1&tc=pg>

“ReVisioning Black History Month: Linking African American and Latino Histories,” *Beacon Press Blog*, February 24, 2014, <http://www.beaconbroadside.com/broadside/2014/02/raising-the-bar-of-emancipation.html>

“Health Insurance Should be More Available to Latinos,” *The Progressive*, February 19, 2014, <http://progressive.org/dispatches/health-insurance-available-latinos/>

“Honoring all of Florida’s Military Veteran’s,” *The Gainesville Sun*, November 10, 2013, <http://www.gainesville.com/article/LK/20131110/News/604157682/GS/>

“Cinco de Mayo About Much More Than Having Fun,” *The Progressive*, May 4, 2013,

<http://progressive.org/dispatches/cinco-de-mayo-much-fun/>,

“Marco Rubio Blows His Moment in the National Spotlight,” *The St. Augustine Record*, February 17, 2013,” <http://staugustine.com/node/56094/photos>

Essay, “Charging Through the Archway of History: Immigrants and African-Americans Unite to Transform the Face of Labor and the Power of Community,” Truthout.org, February 16, 2013.

<http://www.truth-out.org/opinion/item/14540-charging-through-the-archway-of-history-immigrants-and-african-americans-unite-to-transform-the-face-of-labor-and-the-power-of-community>

Essay, “Black History’s Revolutionary Tradition, C.L.R. James’s Visionary Legacy,” *Against the Current* (January/February 2012) <http://www.solidarity-us.org/node/3494>

Essay, “Emancipation Day Should Be a Reminder to Keep Fighting Slavery,” *The Alligator*, May 22, 2012. Also published in: Labor and Working-Class History Association blog, *Facing South* blog, and *ZNET Communications.*

“In Memory of Patricia Stephens Due, 1939-2012,” *Solidarity*, February 28, 2012, <https://www.solidarity-us.org/site/node/3546>

“In Florida, An Organizing Drive that Doubled the Union,” *Labor Notes*, July 11, 2011, <http://labornotes.org/2011/07/florida-organizing-drive-doubled-union>

Essay, “Arizona’s New Laws: An Attempt to Secure Cheap Labor?” *Truthout*, June 2, 2010, <http://archive.truthout.org/arizonas-new-laws-a-pathway-cheap-labor60041>. Republished by *History News Network*, June 2, 2010. <http://historynewsnetwork.org/article/127519>

Essay, “Ocoee, Florida: Remembering the Single Bloodiest Day in Modern U.S. Political History,”

*Facing South*, May 14, 2010, <http://www.southernstudies.org/2010/05/ocoee-florida-remembering-the-single-bloodiest-day-in-modern-us-political-history.html>

Essay, “Before the CIO: Segregation and Black Labor Struggles,” *Against the Current*, (January/February 2009). <https://www.solidarity-us.org/node/2035>

Essay, “On the Shoulders of Giants: Senator Obama and the Future of American Politics,” *Truthout* November 25, 2008, <http://archive.truthout.org/112508R>. Republished by *History News Network*, November 25, 2008, <http://historynewsnetwork.org/article/58297>

Essay, “The Jena Six and US History,” *Truthout,* September 27, 2007. Republished by History News Network, <http://historynewsnetwork.org/article/43198>

Essay, "'The Laborer is Worthy of His Hire': African American Demands For Slavery Compensation in the 19th Century," *Against the Current*, (January/February, 2003). <https://www.solidarity-us.org/node/1066>

"Before the Civil Rights Movement: African-American Resistance to Jim Crow in the

South," *Against the Current* (January/February 1996).

"Remembering César Chávez 1927-1993," *Works In Progress* (July 1993).

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*A Place to Be: Brazilian, Guatemalan, and Mexican Immigrants in Florida’s New Destinations*. Edited by Philip J. Williams, Timothy Steigenga, and Manuel A. Vásquez (New Brunswick, N.J.: Rutgers University Press, 2009), for: Tampa Bay History Journal, 24. (Winter, 2010), 77-79.

*Veiled Visions: The 1906 Atlanta Race Riot and the Reshaping of American Race Relations,*

by David Fort Godshalk, *The American Historical Review*, 113:523–524, April 2008

*The Two Reconstructions: The Struggle for Black Enfranchisement* by Richard M. Valelly, *The Journal of American History (June 2006)*.

*The Maya of Morganton: Work and Community in the Nuevo New South* by Leon Fink, *The Journal of American Ethnic History* (Winter 2005).

*The Invisible Empire: The Ku Klux Klan in Florida*. By Michael Newton. Foreword by Raymond Arsenault and Gary R. Mormino, *The Journal of Southern History, (November 2004).*

*Keeping the Faith: Race, Politics and Social Development in Jacksonville, Florida 1940-1970*, Humanities-Florida, H-Net Reviews, (March 2004).

*The New Rank and File* by Staughton Lynd and Alice Lynd, *The Oral History Review* 30 (Winter/Spring 2003).

*Black Workers Remember: An Oral History of Segregation, Unionism, and the Freedom Struggle* by Michael K. Honey, *The Alabama Review: A Quarterly Journal of Alabama History* 55 (July 2002).

*Fire this Time: The Watts Uprising and the 1960s* by Gerald Horne, *Against the Current* (January/February 2000).

Comparative Review of *Worse Than Slavery: Parchman Farm and the Ordeal of Jim Crow Justice*, by David M. Oshinksy; *Twice the Work of Free Labor: The Political Economy of Convict Labor in the New South*, by Alex Lichtenstein; and *One Dies, Get Another: Convict Leasing in the American South, 1866-1928*, by Matthew J. Mancini in *Against the Current* (January 1998).

*Twice the Work of Free Labor: The Political Economy of the New South*, by Alex Lichtenstein, *International Review of Social History*, (April, 1997).

*Home to Work: Motherhood and the Politics of Industrial Homework in the United States*, by Eileen Boris. *International Review of Social History* (December 1995).

**Selected Media Interviews/Appearances:**

Featured Interview for: [*An Educator’s Perspective on How History is Taught in Florida*](https://www.washingtonpost.com/washington-post-live/2023/08/02/an-educators-perspective-how-black-history-is-taught-florida/), “Capehart,” *The Washington Post,* August 2, 2023.

*AHA Member Spotlight:* [*Paul Ortiz*, *Perspectives on History*](https://www.historians.org/research-and-publications/perspectives-on-history/summer-2023/aha-member-spotlight-paul-ortiz)*,* American Historical Association*,* July 11, 2023

Featured Interview for: [*Florida’s Teachers’ Unions Are Front Line of Resistance*](https://truthout.org/articles/florida-teachers-unions-are-front-line-of-resistance-against-desantiss-fascism/) *Against DeSantis’s Fascism*, *Truthout*, April 1, 2023

Interviewed for: [*Florida Universities Were Told to Prioritize Diversity Plans*](https://www.tallahassee.com/story/news/education/2023/02/07/gov-ron-desantis-cuts-florida-campus-dei-programs-prioritized-in-2020-diversity-equity-inclusion/69869800007/)*. Now, DeSantis Aims to Gut Them,* February 11, 2023.

Interviewed for: [*What Would a President DeSantis Mean for US Higher Education*](https://www.timeshighereducation.com/depth/what-would-president-desantis-mean-us-higher-education)*? The Times Higher Education*, January 19, 2023.

Interviewed for [*The 50-Year War on Higher Education*](https://www.chronicle.com/article/the-50-year-war-on-higher-education), *The Chronicle of Higher Education*, October 14, 2022.

Interviewed for *From Florida Podcast*, “[How Mary McLeod Bethune Became the first Black Woman to](https://podcasts.apple.com/us/podcast/how-mary-mcleod-bethune-became-the-first-black-woman/id1586671936?i=1000578556170)

[Represent a state at the U.S. Capitol](https://podcasts.apple.com/us/podcast/how-mary-mcleod-bethune-became-the-first-black-woman/id1586671936?i=1000578556170),” September 6, 2022.

Interviewed for article, “Why Did University of Florida Suddenly Fire its Honors Director? *Inside Higher Ed*, August 16, 2022.

Interviewed for the article, “¿Por qué algunos hombres negros e hispanos votan republicano?” *El Pais*, July 22, 2022.

Interviewed for [*Correcting the History of Black and Latinx People with Dr. Paul Ortiz*](https://podcasts.apple.com/us/podcast/correcting-the-history-of-black-and-latinx-people/id1523130259?i=1000569215506) Podcast, Black, Brown & Bilingue, July 8, 2022.

Interviewed for article, “Can Ron DeSantis Displace Donald Trump As the G.O.P.’s Combatant-in-Chief*, The New Yorker,* June 27, 2022.

Interviewed for WUFT piece, “Florida higher education union decries new ‘anti-Woke law,” June 20, 2022.

Interviewed for WCJB piece, “DeSantis Issues ‘Viewpoint Diversity’ Survey stirring controversy among university students and faculty,” April 5, 2022.

Interviewed for WCJB piece, “Free UF Coalition advocates for academic freedom as UF Professor files suit against school,” March 30, 2022.

Featured Interview for *AAUP Presents* Podcast, “[The Fight for Academic Freedom at the University of Florida](https://podcasts.apple.com/us/podcast/aaup-presents/id1598966323?i=1000552858703),” March 3, 2022.

Interviewed for Florida Frontiers radio program on Mary McLeod Bethune Statue episode. Aired on WUFT on February 18, 2022.

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Interviewed for CNN piece, “University of Florida reverses decision, will allow professors to testify as paid experts in voting rights case,” November 5, 2021.

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Interviewed for article “When Black History is Unearthed, Who Gets to Speak for the Dead,” *The New Yorker*, by Jill LePore, October 4, 2021.

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Interviewed for, “Professors Speak Out About College Reopenings Amid Coronavirus,” *American Prospect*, August 28, 2020.

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Interviewed for [*Struggles Across Borders*](https://www.listennotes.com/podcasts/kpfa-against-the/struggles-across-borders-HrGvmwY142K/), KPFA “Against the Grain,” January 1, 2019.

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“Impacts of School Protests on Gun Reform Movement,” WCJP Gainesville, March 14, 2018.

Interviewed for: [New Books in Latino Studies Podcast](https://podcasts.apple.com/us/podcast/paul-ortiz-african-american-latinx-history-united-states/id425455181?i=1000401499828), February 5, 2018

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“This UF Professor Focused on Africa and Latin America for his American History Book,” *The Independent Florida Alligator*, February 1, 2018.

Featured Interview on: “Separate and Unequal: What the History Books Left Out,” KERA-Fort Worth, Texas, February 1, 2018.

Pre-performance lecture on World War I and the Christmas Truce for Peter Rothstein’s *All Is Calm: The Christmas Truce of 1914* at the UF Performing Arts Center profiled in: “Connecting the Community with the Performing Arts: The University of Florida’s Outreach and Education Programs,” HOMEMAGAZINEGAINESVILL.COM, February/March 2018.

Featured Interview on: “Uncovering the Power, and Promise, of Black and Brown History in America,” *This is Hell!* WNUR Chicago, February 3, 2018.

Featured Interview on: “Discovering a New History of Empire, and Resistance, in the Words of Black Radicals,” *This is Hell!* WNUR Chicago, December 2, 2017.

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Interviewed for: “That Time White People Burned and Pillaged a Black Community on Election Day,” *Vice*, February 27, 2017, <https://www.vice.com/en_us/article/9agk73/that-time-white-people-burned-and-pillaged-a-black-community-on-election-day>

Interviewed for “’What It Means to Be a Citizen’: Student Veterans in History Classrooms,” *Perspectives on History*, the American Historical Association*,* January, 2017.

Expert Consultant and Interviewed for: “Bias on the Bench,” *Sarasota Herald-Tribune*, <http://projects.heraldtribune.com/bias/sentencing/>, December 7, 2016 (Project was the recipient of the 2017 Robert F. Kennedy Journalism Award; the Florida Bar Media Award, and 2017 University of Florida Award for Investigative Data Journalism, Large Newsroom.)

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Interviewed for “The KKK Tries to Make a Comeback,” *Time*, <http://time.com/63284/kkk-kansas-city-shooting-frazier-glenn-cross/>, April 15, 2014.

Interviewed for: “UF Students Travel to Interview Veterans of 1964 Freedom Summer,” *Gainesville Sun,* June 27, 2014, <http://www.gainesville.com/news/20140627/uf-students-travel-to-interview-veterans-of-1964-freedom-summer>

Interviewed for: “How to Get Funding for Public History,” *History News Network,* January 2, 2014, <http://historynewsnetwork.org/article/154366>

“公民抗命佔領問題所在地,” (Interview on the 50th Anniversary of the March on Washington), *Hong Kong Daily Apple, August 25, 2013*

Interviewed for: “Paul Ortiz on Oral History,” Oxford University Press’s *Blog*, <https://blog.oup.com/2013/06/paul-ortiz-on-oral-history/>

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“Study shows Asians make up largest group of immigrants to the U.S.,” WUFT-FM, June 19, 2012.

“Military veteran, now UF faculty member, honors veterans in Gainesville display,” WUFT-FM, May 24, 2012.

Interview for “International Workers Day,” *Detras de la Noticia,* Russia Today News, May 1, 2012.

“Oral History and African American History Undergo Changes,” *Florida Frontiers, 111, Florida Historical Society Weekly Program*, April 22, 2012.

Featured historical consultant on the British Broadcasting Company’s *Last Word* program on the life of Patricia Stephens Due. This aired on February 10, 2012.

Interview with Peter H. Wood on “Conner Calling,” WUFT-FM, January 27, 2012.

“UF Historian Reflects on how MLK Would View the World Today,” WUFT-FM, January 16, 2012.

“Remembering Martin Luther King, Jr.,” on “Let’s Talk About It! 880 AM-Miami, Florida, January 16, 2012.

Historical consultant, “At Christmas, Evangeline Moore Thinks of Her Martyred Parents and Demands Justice,” *The Washington Post*, December 25, 2011.

Interviewed for “Occupy Wall Street Hits Miami,” *Miami Herald*, October 14, 2011.

Interviewed for “Occupy Wall Street Could Be Beginning Of Social Movement: Experts,” Huffington Post, December 3, 2011.

“Leadership Changes Leave Open Window For Social Changes in South Korea,” WUFT-FM, December 19, 2011.

Interviewed for: “Occupy Wall Street Movement Spreads to Bay County,” *Panama City Herald*, October 14, 2011.

“50 Years Later: ‘Freedom Riders’ Remembered,” WUFT-FM, May 16, 2011.

“UF Oral History Director Remembers Martin Luther King Jr.,” WUFT-FM, January 17, 2011.

The Other Side of the DREAM Act Debate,” Uprising Radio, Los Angeles, California, September 24, 2010.

Guest Radio Expert, “All Sides with Ann Fisher,” (One-Hour Call-in Program with Dr. Andrew Grant Thomas, on *President Obama and Civil Rights* History), WOSU-NPR, Ohio State University, Monday, February 22, 2010.

Interviewed for *USA Today*, “Histories Are Being Rescued a Second Time,” December 11, 2009.

Interviewed for Fox News.com, “Book Chavez Gave to Obama Is Used as Core Text on Many College Campuses,” April 24, 2009.

Guest Radio Expert, “Open Line with Fred Andrle,” (One-Hour Call-in Program with Dr. Hasan Jeffries, Ohio State University, on *President Barack Obama and Black History*), WOSU-NPR, Ohio State University, February 3, 2009.

Interviewed for “Like Hero Lincoln, Obama Faces Deep Crisis,” *The Gainesville Sun*, January 20, 2009.

Quoted consultant for “Students Receive Misleading Information on Election Day,” ABCNEWS.COM, November 4, 2008.

Quoted consultant for: “Former Criminals to Help Choose America's Next President, ABCNEWS.COM, November 3, 2008.

Quoted consultant for “Florida Election Workers Try to Keep Pace,” ABCNEWS.COM, October 29, 2008.

Interviewed for “Projects like StoryCorps Shed Light on the Importance of Oral History,” *The Gainesville Sun*, October 18, 2008.

Interviewed for History of Mexican American Cinco de Mayo celebration, *The San Francisco Guardian Blog*, “The Cinco Skinny: Drop that Corona.” May 5, 2008.

Quoted in “Reel Work May Day Labor Film Festival to get Rolling,” *Register Pajaronian* (Watsonville, California, April 5, 2008).

Interviewed by Bill Dudley, Florida Humanities Council Radio, February, 2007.

Interviewed by Laura Wides-Munoz, “Farmworkers Fight McDonald's in Publicity War over Workers' Wages,” Associated Press, (*Miami Herald* Desk) May 5, 2006.

Quoted in, Katherine Markowicz, "UCSC Marches for Immigrant Rights," *City on the Hill Press,* May 4, 2006.

Guest Radio Expert, “Open Line with Fred Andrle,” (One-Hour Call-in Program on *Emancipation Betrayed*), WOSU-NPR, Ohio State University, April 20, 2006.

Interviewed by Henry Jones, “Going into Labor: Reel Works Labor Film Fest Ready to Roll,” *Good Times Weekly*, April 20, 2006.

Interviewed by Richard Von Busack, “Labor Movement Making a Comeback and Reel Work Film Festival is Back to Chronicle It,” *Metro Santa Cruz,* April 19, 2006.

Interviewed by Wallace Baine, “Reel Work Film Festival,” *Santa Cruz Sentinel*, April 14, 2006.

Interviewed by Melanie Payne, “Immigrant Fight Evokes Memories: Comparison to Movement of '50s, '60s irks Black Leader,” *The News-Press* (Fort Meyers, Florida), April 16, 2006

Interviewed by Laura Mattingly, "Film Festival for Social Change," *City on the Hill Press*, April 13, 2006.

Interviewed by Jennifer McNulty, "UCSC filmmaker's documentary screens during Reel Work May Day Labor Film Festival," *UCSC Currents*, April 10, 2006.

Guest Radio Expert, “Hard-Knock Radio,” (One-Hour Program on *Emancipation Betrayed*), KPFA-Free Speech Radio, Berkeley, California, March 30, 2006

Interviewed by Jondi Gumz, “Campus Provost Announces Initiative to Find, Keep UCSC faculty,” *Santa Cruz Sentinel*, March 9, 2006.

Guest Radio Expert, “Open Line with Fred Andrle,” (One-Hour Call-in Program on *Remembering Jim Crow)*, WOSU-NPR, Ohio State University, February 2, 2006.

Interviewed for, “The United Farm Workers Union and the Legacy of Cesar Chavez,” *Latino USA*: *The Radio Journal of News and Culture*, January 27, 2006.

Guest Editorial, “Greenwood Hiring Probe: UCSC Faculty Shaken,” *Santa Cruz Sentinel,* December 23, 2005.

Guest Radio Expert, “Talk of the Bay with Rachel Anne Goodman,” (Thirty-Minute Program on the Execution of Stanley Tookie Williams), KUSP-FM, December 14, 2005

Guest Radio Expert, (Twenty-Minute Program on *Emancipation Betrayed*), WMNF-FM, Tampa, Florida, November 2, 2005.

Interviewed by Amy Coombs, “Divine Talk Why Isn’t the President Heeding the Advice, ‘Blessed are the Peacemakers?’” *Good Times Weekly*, August 4, 2005.

Guest Radio Expert, “Talk of the Bay,” (Thirty-Minute Program on *Emancipation Betrayed and Remembering Jim Crow*), July, 2005

Guest Radio Expert, “8 O'Clock Buzz,” (Thirty-Minute Program on *Emancipation Betrayed*), WORT-FM, Madison, Wisconsin, June 28, 2005.

Guest Radio Expert, (30-minute Program on *Emancipation Betrayed and Remembering Jim Crow*), KPFA-Free Speech Radio, Berkeley, California, June 27th, 2005.

Interviewed by Jondi Gumz, “Faculty Urge Action on UCSC housing,” *Santa Cruz Sentinel*, May 21, 2005.

Guest Radio Expert, Afternoon Drive Time Program, (Twenty-Minute Program on *Emancipation Betrayed*,) WKCT-AM, Bowling Green, Kentucky, May 13, 2005

Guest Radio Expert, “Talk of the Bay with Rachel Anne Goodman,” (Thirty-Minute Program on the Reel Work Film Festival), KUSP-FM, April 13, 2005

Interviewed by Wallace Baine, “Reel Work Film Fest Bigger Than Ever,” *Santa Cruz Sentinel*, April 22, 2005.

Interviewed by Rose Surnow, “Keepin' It Reel: UC Santa Cruz Film Fest Focuses on Labor,” *Good Times Weekly*, April 21, 2005

Interviewed by Jennifer McNulty, "New Book Documents First Statewide Civil Rights Movement in Florida," *UCSC Currents*, February 28, 2005

Interviewed by Jondi Gumz, “University Leaders Praising Governor’s Budget Plan,” *Santa Cruz Sentinel*, January 12, 2005.

Interviewed by Jennifer McNulty, "Congressman Sam Farr Visits Class, Profs Discuss Nov. 2 Elections," *UCSC Currents*, October 18, 2004.

Interviewed by Scott Rappaport, "How a UCSC Film Student Helped Michael Moore Make Film History," *UCSC Review* (Fall, 2004)

Quoted in “Minorities are the Majority in More Cities,” *Kiplinger.com,* July 25, 2002.

Interviewed by Jennifer McNulty, "Daily Horrors of the Jim Crow Era Recorded in Oral History Project," *UC-Santa Cruz Currents,* October 29, 2001.

Interviewed by Peggy Townsend, "Stories of the Jim Crow South live on in new Book," *Santa Cruz Sentinel*, November 4, 2001.

**Selected Public Lectures, Workshops, Interviews, Humanities’ Forums:**

Labor History Workshops, International Brotherhood of Electrical Workers #1205 Apprenticeship Program, 2017 to present.

Keynote Lecture, “An African American and Latinx History of Southern Labor,” *Southern Foodways Annual Symposium*, University of Mississippi, Oxford, MS, October 25, 2019.

Lecture, “Centering Black and Latinx Contributions to American History,” African American Research Library and Cultural Center, *Cultural Conversations at the Center* series, Fort Lauderdale, Florida, October 3, 2019.

Keynote Lectures, “Race in Retrospect,” and Unity360 Community Race Dialogue, Miami, Florida, South Florida People of Color, September 5-7, 2019.

Lecture, “Reading James Baldwin,” The Institute for Learning in Retirement, Oak Hammock, August 19, 2019.

Lecture, “Reading Herman Melville’s *Moby Dick* and the World We Live in,” The Institute for Learning in Retirement, Oak Hammock, August 12, 2018.

Lecture, “Why I Love Kurt Vonnegut,” *The Humanist Society*, Gainesville, FL, November 15, 2017.

Lecture: “Voter Suppression,” the Bob Graham Center for Public Service, University of Florida, November 14, 2017, <http://www.alligator.org/news/article_ea87824e-c937-11e7-932b-4bfaebcb964f.html>

“Lecture: “Hannah Arendt’s *The Origins of Totalitarianism*,” Multicultural & Diversity Affairs, University of Florida, September 7, 2017.

Lecture: Joseph Conrad’s *Heart of Darkness as the First Novel of the 20th Century,* The Institute for Learning in Retirement, Oak Hammock, August, 2017.

Lecture, “Kurt Vonnegut’s War: The Humanities in Combat,” *The Harn Museum of Art,* University of Florida, December, 2016.

Lecture: Mark Twain’s *The Adventures of Tom Sawyer and The Adventures of Huckleberry Finn*, The Institute for Learning in Retirement, Oak Hammock, August, 2016.

Address at University of Florida’s Pulse Commemoration and United Ceremony,” June 28, 2016, republished in: *Gainesville Iguana*, July 3, 2016, <http://www.gainesvilleiguana.org/2016/articles/paul-ortiz-at-pulse-commemoration-and-united-ceremony/>

Lecture: “Harper Lee’s Novels: *To Kill a Mockingbird* and *Go Set a Watchman*,” The Barb Spence Lecture Series, The Institute for Learning in Retirement*,* Oak Hammock, Gainesville, FL., April 7, 2016

Lecture, “Voter Suppression in Florida,” Santa Fe College, February 9, 2016

Lecture, “Blacks, Historical Stereotypes, and Implicit Bias,” for: The African American Experience: Issues and the Arts, Black History Program, Unitarian Universalist Fellowship of Gainesville, February 7, 2016

Lecture, “The Impact of World War II on Latino Americans, for: Latino Americans: 500 Years of History series, Santa Fe College, November 10 & November 16, 2015.

Lecture: “Learning to Read William Faulkner: Intruder in the Dust as a Great American Novel, The Barb Spence Lecture Series, The Institute for Learning in Retirement*,* Oak Hammock at the University of Florida, Gainesville, FL., October 7, 2015.

Lecture, Mandela, Martin & 'Twelve Years a Slave', The Voice of the People in Popular Movements,

Florida Free Speech Forum, Gainesville, FL, March 10, 2014

Lecture, “African-American and Latino Narratives in the Century of *Jim/Juan Crow*,” for: Durham County Libraries, Durham, North Carolina, July 14, 2013

Lecture, “Learning to Read William Faulkner: *Intruder in the Dust* as a Great American Novel,” *The Villages Lifelong Learning College*, The Villages, Florida, February 25, 2013.

Lecture, “The Rise and Fall of Democracy in Civil War and Reconstruction Florida,” for, “From the Civil War to Civil Rights and Beyond: The Past, Present, and Future of the Fight for Racial Equality in Florida,” The Florida Historical Society, Cocoa Village, Florida, April 17, 2012

“Comparative African American and Latino History at the Graduate Level,” lecture for the Moving in the Direction of Excellence Conference, University of Florida Office of Graduate Minority Programs, February 3, 2012.

Lecture, “The Legacy of Harry and Harriette Moore,” Harry T. & Harriette V. Moore Memorial Park, January 22, 2012.

Lecture, “The Film *The Help* As a Way to Understand US History,” *The Villages Lifelong Learning College*, The Villages, Florida, February 16, 2012.

Lecture, “Jim Crow Florida,” Teaching American History Grant program, Florida Humanities Council, Brevard County School District, January 21, 2012.

Lecture, “The Civil War: Real Causes, Real Consequences,” *The 1864 Battle For Gainesville* Symposium, Matheson Museum, Gainesville, Florida, August 15, 2011.

Lecture, “Stetson Kennedy’s America,” Civic Media Center 18th Anniversary Celebration Keynote Lecture, Gainesville, Florida, October 17, 2011.

“Oral History, Theory and Practice,” lecture for Florida Company, Jamestowne Society, Gainesville, Florida, April 30, 2011.

“World War II and Oral History,” lecture for Daughters of the American Revolution, Gainesville, Florida March 9, 2011.

“The Craft of Oral History,” keynote lecture, Historic Melrose Annual Meeting, Melrose, Florida, February 12, 2011.

“Ethnic Studies and Latina/o History in the Graduate Seminar,” lecture for the “Moving in the Direction of Excellence Conference,” University of Florida Office of Graduate Minority Programs, February 3, 2011.

“Bringing Thomas Paine Back In,” Black History Month Lecture, Oak Hall High School, Gainesville, Florida, February 22, 2010

Invited Panelist, “Mahatma Gandhi’s Legacy,” Gandhi Jayanti, Indian Cultural and Education Center, Gainesville, Florida, November 21, 2010.

All-Day Workshop Leader, “The Civil Rights Movement,” Teaching American History Grant program, Osceola County School District, Osceola, Florida, April 24, 2010.

Keynote Address, “The Strange Case of Bob Feller: Race and American History,” Phi Alpha Theta Regional Conference, University of Florida Department of History, April 17, 2010.

Lead Scholar, “The Progressive Era: Reform and the Emergence of Modern America,” Pinellas County School District, Florida Humanities Council, March 2, 2010.

Lecture, “World War II in American Memory,” St. Petersburg, Florida UF Gator Club, November 13, 2009.

Lecture, “World War II Stories and Legacies,” Alumni Association, University of Florida, November 10, 2009

Oral History Workshop for City of Inverness, Florida Public History Project, October 9, 2009

Oral History Workshop for The Society of Florida Archivists, 2009 Annual Conference, Gainesville, Florida, April 20, 2009.

“Introduction to Oral History Through the Samuel Proctor Oral History Program,” Course lecture for Graduate Public History Seminar, University of Central Florida, March 23, 2009.

“Racism in America Today: Facing History and Ourselves,” The 8th Annual Stanford C. Ericksen Memorial Lecture for the Unitarian Universalist Fellowship, Gainesville, Florida, April 12, 2009.

“The Legacy of Samuel Proctor and the UF Oral History Program,” presentation for the Institute for Learning in Retirement, Oak Hammock, Gainesville, Florida, March 6, 2009.

Lecture, “The Road to the Rosewood, Florida Massacre: Race Riots in Early 20th America,” Keynote address for “The Beginning That Never Ends: The Rosewood Traveling Exhibition,” Gainesville, Florida, February 19, 2009.

“History of the Samuel Proctor Oral History Program,” multimedia presentation for the University of Florida chapter of Phi Alpha Theta, the History Honor Society, December 4, 2008.

Keynote Speaker, Chican@/Latin@ Graduation Celebration Ceremony, UCSC, June 17, 2008.

Keynote Speaker, Student Service Recognition Ceremony, The Student Volunteer Connection, UC-Santa Cruz, May 31, 2008.

“The Jena Six Case and Racism in America,” College 10, UCSC, February 27, 2008

Facilitator, “Illuminating Dialogs: Israeli and Palestinian Perspectives in a Time of Crisis,” UCSC, November 7, 2007.

“Segregation in Florida,” public lecture at The Matheson Museum, Gainesville, Florida. Co-sponsored by the Florida Humanities Council, January 18, 2007.

“’Say No to Jim Crow’: Resistance to Segregation Laws in North Carolina, 1900-1954,” lecture co-sponsored by Duke University Library and Durham County Library, North Carolina, July 27, 2006.

"’Seeing America Whole’: New Immigrants and The Struggle for Democracy," keynote lecture, Student Action with Farmworkers’ Reunion, Greensboro College, North Carolina, July 8, 2006.

Keynote Speaker, Chican@/Latin@ Graduation Celebration Ceremony, UCSC, June 18, 2006.

“Race and Poverty in America,” lecture for the Cultural Diversity Committee, McHenry Library, UCSC, May 16, 2006.

Invited Introducer for Arturo Rodriguez, President of the United Farm Workers, AFL-CIO, for UCSC César Chávez Convocation, May 11, 2006.

Invited Keynote Speaker, Student Service Recognition Ceremony, The Student Volunteer Connection, UC-Santa Cruz, May 31, 2005.

Keynote Speaker, “Take Back the Night, 2005,” UCSC, May 19, 2005.

Invited Introducer for Bobby Seale, co-founder of the Black Panther Party, UCSC, April 28, 2005

Invited Introducer for Amy Goodman and 1st Annual Ruben Salazar Award Ceremony, UCSC, February 23, 2005.

“Uncovering Histories of Struggle in New Orleans,” lecture for Women’s International League for Peace and Freedom forum, “Disaster Capitalism After Katrina,” Santa Cruz, February 21, 2006.

“History of Struggle in New Orleans from Slavery to Hurricane Katrina,” panel discussion with Betita Martinez and Phil Hutchings, *New Orleans: The American Disaster*, UCSC, February 14, 2006

“The Meanings and Legacies of Segregation,” public lecture for the Santa Cruz County Green Party Annual Meeting, January 9, 2006

“The History of the Death Penalty and Stanley Tookie Williams,” panel discussion with Angela Davis, UCSC, November 30, 2005.

“Who Was Joe Hill?” keynote lecture at Santa Cruz Celebration in Honor of Joe Hill and the Industrial Workers of the World, Santa Cruz, CA November 19, 2005

“The War on Poverty in Santa Cruz: Forty Years Later,” Invited Keynote Speaker, *40th Anniversary Celebration*, Community Action Board of Santa Cruz County, October 14, 2005

“Histories of Farm Worker Organizing,” Student Action with Farm Workers’ Mid-Summer Retreat, Peace College, Raleigh, North Carolina, July 5, 2005.

Invited Commencement Speaker, College Eight Graduation, UC-Santa Cruz, June 11, 2005.

Discussion Moderator, Richard Harris, Science Correspondent, National Public Radio, March 22, 2005.

“Emancipation Betrayed No More,” public lecture, College Ten and Merrill Activities, UCSC, April 26, 2005.

“Understanding Segregation, Reclaiming Democracy,” public lecture, Center for Justice, Tolerance and Community, UCSC February 15, 2005.

*Emancipation Betrayed*  and *Remembering Jim Crow* book talks and signings at: UC-Santa Cruz, Stanford University, Duke University, University of Florida, UC-Berkeley, UC-Santa Barbara, Stetson University, University of South Florida and other locations between 2005-2006.

Interviews and guest panels on: WKCT-Kentucky, KQED-San Francisco, KPFA-Berkeley, KUSP-Santa Cruz, WOSU-Columbus, KAZU-Monterey, WORT-Madison, WMNF-Tampa, and other stations.

“Books and Social Justice: Literary Dimensions of Social Change,” Lecture for University Library Staff, May 27, 2004.

“Kevin Cooper and the Death Penalty in the US ,” Panel Discussion with Angela Davis and George Lipsitz,” UCSC, February 3, 2004.

"From Thanks-taking to Thanksgiving: Lessons from the Wampanoag Indians on Fellowship," Lecture for: Merrill College Night, UCSC, November 19, 2003.

"Nonviolence: The Pragmatic Philosophy," Workshop for: "Practical Activism: Lessons in Local and Global Change," College 9 and 10, UC-Santa Cruz, November 15, 2003.

"Rethinking Columbus Day: Celebrating 510 Years of Resistance," Invited Guest Lecture for Merrill College Columbus Day Event, UCSC, October 8, 2003.

Guest Panelist, Debate on California Proposition 54, *Voices from the Village* Program, Community Television of Santa Cruz, September 18, 2003.

Invited Keynote Speaker, Community Studies Commencement Ceremony, UCSC, June 13, 2003.

Co-Lecture with Professor Dana Frank on the History of the US Labor Movement, Students For Labor Society UC Organizing Institute, May 3, 2003.

Guest Panelist, The Prison-Industrial Complex, *Voices from the Village Program*, Community Television of Santa Cruz, March 20, 2003.

Keynote Speaker, "Understanding The Graduate & Law School Application Process Conference," Educational Opportunity Programs, Oakes College, April 27, 2003.

"Contemporary Strategies of Resistance," Panel Presentation with Angela Davis, UCSC Research Cluster for the Study of Women of Color, Louden Nelson Community Center, Santa Cruz, April 10, 2003.

Post-Film Lecture and Discussion Leader, "Brother Outsider: The Life of Bayard Rustin," GLBT Resource Center and Oakes College, UCSC, February 26, 2003.

"Howard Thurman: Christianity and the Struggle Against Oppression," Guest Lecture for: Lutheran Campus Ministries Black History Month Forum, UC-Santa Cruz, February 24, 2003.

"The Labor Movement in the New Economy," Lecture for: Coalition of University Employees Annual Retreat, UCSC, August 9, 2002.

Book Reading and Lecture on *Remembering Jim Crow* for the All-Campus Conference on University of California Women's Clubs, UCSC Women's Club, Cowell College, March 20, 2002.

"Rethinking Paradigms of Resistance in the Jim Crow South,” Paper at: The Center for Cultural Studies Research Colloquium, UC-Santa Cruz, February 20, 2002.

"Jim Crow's Impact on Work Then and Now: Lessons from Remembering Jim Crow." Book Reading and Presentation for: Equal Employment Opportunity/Affirmative Action Office, UCSC, February 12, 2002.

North Carolina Humanities Scholar, “This Too Will Pass: Dialogues on Diversity,” Duke

University Center for Documentary Studies Auditorium, September 20, 2000 (Moderator).

Folklore and Oral History Workshop, “Uncovering Latino Folklore and Oral History,” Student Action With Farm Workers Orientation, Asheville, NC., June 6, 1999.

Oral History Workshop, “Interviewing Latino Farmworkers,” Student Action With

Farm Workers Orientation, Asheville, NC., June, 1997.

North Carolina Humanities Scholar, "Duke Community Stories Scholars' Exchange 1997," Durham, NC; July, 1997 (Guest Lecturer: "History of Segregation in America")

Visiting North Carolina Humanities Scholar, "The Good Times Revue," Cape Fear Regional Theater, Fayetteville, NC; March, 1997. (Discussion moderator)

Visiting North Carolina Humanities Scholar for Lynda Barry's "The Good Times Are Killing Me," Cape Fear Regional Theater, Fayetteville, NC; February, 1995. (Moderator)

**Military Service:**

United States Army, 1982-1986. Paratrooper/Radio Operator. Attained the rank of Sergeant/E5. Served with the 82nd Airborne Division and the 3/7 Special Forces Group in Central America and South America in multiple combat zones. Recipient of numerous medals and citations including the US Armed Forces Humanitarian Service Medal for meritorious action in the wake of the eruption of the Nevado del Ruiz stratovolcano in Tolima, Colombia, in November, 1985. He is also the recipient of the Army Commendation Medal (Oak Leaf Cluster); Army Achievement Medal (Oak Leaf Cluster); Parachutist Badge; Non-Commissioned Officer Leadership Badge; Good Conduct Medal; Expert Marksmanship Badge; Venezuelan Diving Badge.