National Conference of Black Political Scientists

Preliminary Program for the Annual Meeting

Jackson, Mississippi
March 16-20, 2016
2016 Conference Overview

Wednesday, March 16, 2016

1:00 – 5:00 p.m.  Executive Council Meeting
1:00 – 5:00 p.m.  Pre-Conference Workshops (Jackson State University Downtown Campus)
6:00 – 8:00 p.m.  Early Bird Reception

Thursday, March 17, 2016

8:00 a.m.– 5:00 p.m.  Conference Registration and Exhibit Viewing
8:30 – 10:00 a.m.  Opening Plenary Panel: The Impact of the Black Power Movement and the Movement for Black Lives Matter
10:15 – 11:45 a.m.  Concurrent Panels
12:00 – 1:20 p.m.  Documentary on Fannie Lou Hamer
1:30 – 2:50 p.m.  Concurrent Panels
3:00 – 4:20 p.m.  Concurrent Panels
3:00 – 4:30 p.m.  Poster Session
4:45 – 6:00 p.m.  Business Meeting
6:15 – 7:30 p.m.  Association for the Study of Black Women in Politics Business Meeting

Friday, March 18, 2016

8:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.  Conference Registration and Exhibit Viewing
10:15 – 11:45 a.m.  Concurrent Panels
11:45 – 1:20 p.m.  Lunch on your own
1:30 – 2:50 p.m.  Concurrent Panels
3:00 – 4:20 p.m. Concurrent Panels

4:30 – 5:30 p.m. Coffee Talk/Meet and Greet on the Ralph Bunche Summer Institute 30th Anniversary – Jennifer Hochschild, President of the American Political Science Association and Harvard University, Sponsored by the American Political Science Association

4:30 – 5:30 p.m. Clark Atlanta University Alumni Affiliate Meeting

5:30 – 6:30 p.m. Founders Symposium for Young Scholars

6:30 – 7:30 p.m. President’s Reception

7:00 – 9:00pm Annual Awards Banquet

**Saturday, March 19, 2016**

8:00 – 12:00 p.m. Conference Registration and Exhibit Viewing

8:00 – 9:00 a.m. Continental Breakfast – Association for the Study of Black Women in Politics

9:00 – 10:20 a.m. Concurrent Panels

10:30 – 11:50 a.m. Concurrent Panels

12:00 p.m. Closing Luncheon Sponsored by the Council on Foreign Relations

**Sunday, March 20, 2016**

Conference participants are encouraged to take advantage of tourist attractions in Jackson and the Mississippi Delta.
**Wednesday, March 16 – 1:00 – 5:00 p.m.**

**Pre-Conference Workshops (Jackson State University Downtown Campus)**

**Workshop A:** Black Feminist Theory Workshop

Contact for more information:

Nikol Alexander-Floyd, Rutgers University, ngaf@rci.rutgers.edu

Tiffany Willoughby-Herard, University of California, Irvine, twilloug@uci.edu

**Workshop B:** Graduate Student Professional Development Workshop

Contact for more information:

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**Workshop C:** Dynamic Network Analysis/Social Network Analysis (Tentative) – Facilitated by the Center for Computational Analysis of Social and Organizational Systems/Carnegie Mellon U.

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**Thursday, March 17 – 8:30 a.m.**

**Opening Plenary:**

**Black Power, Black Lives 50 Years After the March Against Fear**

Chair: Dianne Pinderhughes, Notre Dame University, Dianne.M.Pinderhughes.1@nd.edu

Lester Spence, John Hopkins University, unbowed@gmail.com

Melina Abdullah, California State University, Los Angeles, mabdull2@calstatela.edu

Robert C. Smith, San Francisco University, rcs@sfsu.edu

Other Panelists: TBA

**Thursday, March 17 – 10:15 a.m.**

**Black Lives, Insurgent Politics, and Racial Contract**
Chair: Tiffany Willoughby-Herard, University of California, Irvine, twilloug@uci.edu

The Case of Ferguson, Missouri and the Racial Contract
  Rickey Hill, Jackson State University, rickey.hill@jsums.edu
  Leniece T. Smith, Jackson State University, leniece.t.smith@jsums.edu

Unitary Interests and Black Political Insurgency: How are the Lessons of Black Power Relevant to Black Lives Matter?
  Dean E. Robinson, University of Massachusetts at Amherst, deanr@polsci.umass.edu

Raising the Black Consciousness: How Black Television Elites Have Responded to the Black Lives Matter Movement
  Gabrielle Gray, Howard University, gabrielle.gray.gg@gmail.com
  Kenneth Cooper, Howard University kenneth.cooper@bison.howard.edu

Rejecting Archetypes: The Construction of Identity and Citizenship for Black Women During the Black Lives Matter Movement
  Elizabeth Rogers, Independent, ecrogers@crimson.ua.edu

Discussant: Tiffany Willoughby-Herard, University of California, Irvine, twilloug@uci.edu

Thursday, March 17 – 10:15 a.m.

Roundtable – Arrested Democracy: The Political Implications of Mass Incarceration

Chair: Keesha Middlemass, Trinity University, kmiddlem@trinity.edu
  Hannah Walker, University of Washington, hlwalker@uw.edu
  Christina R. Rivers, Depaul University, Depaul University, crivers@depaul.edu
  Ruth Greenwood, Chicago Lawyers’ Committee For Civil Rights Under Law, rgreenwood@clccrul.org

Thursday, March 17 – 10:15 a.m.

Race, State, and Political Development

Chair: TBA

Defining Whiteness in the 21st Century
  Charlie Coats, Jackson State University

Understanding Paradigmatic Influences: The Political Concept of Institutionalized Eurocentrism, the Historic Presidency of Barack Obama, and the Methodological Approach to Interdisciplinary Computational Large Scale Text Mining
Simonee Thomas, Clark Atlanta University, simoneproductions@gmail.com

Neoliberal Globalization, Austerity, and the Rise of Resistance
Harry Targ, Purdue University, targ@purdue.edu

Political Economy of the Atlantic World
Dena Montague, University of California at Santa Barbara, dmontague@cbs.ucsb.edu

Discussant: TBA

**Thursday, March 17 – 10:15 a.m.**

**Movements, Disaster Policy, and Violence**

Chair: TBA

Labor and Solidarity: Theoretical Considerations
Brooks Kirchgassner, Indiana University Purdue University Indianapolis,
brooksk33@gmail.com

Justice or Else: Race, Identity, and Politics of African Americans at the 20th Anniversary of the Million Man March
Jerome Hunt, University of the District of Columbia, jerome.r.hunt@gmail.com

After the Hurricane: Disparity, Race and Implications for Public Policy in Post-Katrina New Orleans
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Leslie Taylor-Glover, Southern University and A&M College, leslie_grover@subr.edu
Eric Horent, Southern University and A&M College, eric_horent@subr.edu

Black Presidents, Racial Violence, and Democracy
Clarissa Peterson, Depauw University, cpeterson@depauw.edu and
Jorden X. Giger, Depauw University, jordengiger_2013@depauw.edu

Discussant: TBA

**Thursday, March 17 – 10:15 a.m.**

**Conservative Regimes and Party Politics**

Chair: TBA

50 Year Legacy of Ronald Reagan: a Discussion on the Long-Term Impact of Reagan's Conservative Agenda on the Political and Economic Interests of Black Americans
Stephanie Williams, University of South Florida, stephanielynnwilliams@msn.com
The Racial Order and Rise of the Republican Party  
Bill Strickland, University of Massachusetts, bstrick@afroam.umass.edu

Jurisdictional Boundaries and the Shelby County v. Holder Case  
Artemesia Stanberry, North Carolina Central University, astanberry@nccu.edu

Discussant: TBA

Lunch - 11:45 a.m. - 1:15 p.m.  
This Little Light of Mine, Filmmaker Robin Hamilton (Tentative)  
http://fannielou.com/

Thursday, March 17 – 1:30 p.m.

Roundtable: Indigenous Leadership in the Mississippi Movement

K.C. Morrison, kcmorrison@pspa.msstate.edu  
Michael Williams, Tougaloo College, mwilliams@tougaloo.edu

Thursday, March 17 – 1:30 p.m.

Urban Politics & Institutional Racism

Chair: James Taylor, University of San Francisco, taylorj@usfca.edu

Keneshia Grant, Howard University, Keneshia.Grant@howard.edu

Public Housing Politics, Policies, and Institutional Racism after Hurricane Katrina  
Revathi Hines, Southern University and A&M College, revathi_hines@subr.edu

Languaging Detroit: Neoliberalism and Black Politics  
A.J. Rice, Michigan State University, ajricemsu@gmail.com

The Continuing Quest for African American Political Mobilization: The Case of Chicago  
Valerie C. Johnson, DePaul University, vjohnso5@depaul.edu  
Robert Starks, Northeastern Illinois University, r-starks@neiu.edu

Discussant: Mack Jones, Clark Atlanta University (Retired), mackhjones@bellsouth.net

Thursday, March 17 – 1:30 p.m.

Conservative Leadership and the Consequences for Black Americans
Chair: Artemesia Stanberry, North Carolina Central University, astanberry@nccu.edu

Congressional Term Limits and the Impact on the Power of Black Congressional Members,
Leslie Small, Clark Atlanta University, leslie_B_Small@yahoo.com

Gendering Redistricting: Race, Gender and the New Southern Strategy
Wendy Smooth, Ohio State University, smooth.1@osu.edu

Public Pension Crises and the Broken Promise of Black Representation
Teri Platt, Clark Atlanta University, tplatt@cau.edu
Matthew Platt, Morehouse College, matthew.platt@morehouse.edu

Turning Out to Vote: The Politics of Polling Places and the Increased Costs for Minority Voters
Patricia Posey, University of Pennsylvania, pposey@sas.upenn.edu

Discussant: Artemesia Stanberry, North Carolina Central University, astanberry@nccu.edu

Thursday, March 17 – 1:30 p.m.

Election Protection and Voting Rights Roundtable
Chair: Alex Willingham, Williams College, awilling@williams.edu

Leroy Johnson, Southern Echo and Community Redistricting


Thursday, March 17 – 1:30 p.m.

School, Cities, and Cradle-to-Prison Pipeline
Chair: Sharon Wright Austin, University of Florida, Polssdw@ufl.edu

Policy Considerations as Socioeconomic Status Continues to Affect the Achievement Gap
Mary Bruce, Governors State University, mclark@govst.edu

Constructing Citizens as Targets: How Racial Attitudes Towards School Closure are Shaped
Sally Nuamah, Northwestern University, Northwestern University,
sallynuamah2011@u.northwestern.edu

All But Overturned: America's Nullification of Brown v. Board of Education
Albert Samuels, Southern University, asamuels_2000@yahoo.com
What are the Determinants of Interethnic Competition for Administrator Positions in Multiethnic U.S. School Districts?
    Pearl Ford Dowe, University of Arkansas, pkford@uark.edu
    Brinck Kerr, University of Arkansas, jbkerr@uark.edu
    Grace Kerr, University of Arkansas, gkerr@uark.edu
    Will H. Miller, University of Illinois at Springfield, wmill3@uis.edu

Discussant: Sharon Wright Austin, University of Florida, Polssdw@ufl.edu

Thursday, March 17 – 3:00 pm

Descriptive Representation without Substance: Black Inclusion in the Era of Racial Animus

Chair: Sharon Wright Austin, University of Florida, Polssdw@ufl.edu

The Last Imagery of Dixie: Explaining Support for the Confederate Flag in the Age of Obama
    Emmitt Y. Riley, DePauw University, eyriley3rd@gmail.com
    Brittany L. Gray, Mississippi State University, blg81@msstate.edu.

    Donna L. Taylor, University College London, donna.taylor@gmail.com

The Contours of Black Partisanship: Iconoclasm and Republican Party Identification
    Andra N. Gillespie, angille@emory.edu
    Shayla C. Nunnally, shayla.nunnally@uconn.edu
    Tyson King-Meadows, tkingmea@umbc.edu
    Niambi M. Carter, niambi.carter@howard.edu

The Moral and Ideological Foundations of Opposition to Racialized Social Policy
    Shakari Byerly, University of California at Los Angeles, scbyerly@ucla.edu

Discussant: Sharon Wright Austin, University of Florida, Polssdw@ufl.edu

Thursday, March 17 – 3:00 p.m.

Imperialism, Globalization, and Neoliberalism in the International Arena

Chair: TBA

Anticommunism, Antiradicalism, and Antiblackness: Theories, Queries, and Lessons for the Present
    Charisse Burden-Stelly, Amherst College & University of California, Berkeley, cburdens@berkeley.edu
Confronting Imperialism: W. E. B. Du Bois Africanist Scholarship
Hashim Gibrill, Clark Atlanta University, hgibrill@cau.edu

What's Neoliberalism Got to Do with It? The 2014 Outbreak of Ebola in West Africa
Carolyn Somerville, Hunter College, csomervi@hunter.cuny.edu

A Theory of Economic Globalization: Ghanaian Women Functioning in Restricted Spaces within Religious, Social, Economic, and Politically Underdeveloped Communities
Lisa Nealy, Adams State University, lnnealy@adams.edu

Discussant: Kenoye Eke, Lincoln University

Thursday, March 17 – 3:00 p.m.

Culture, Morality, and Social Capital

Chair: Georgia Persons, Georgia Institute of Technology, georgia.persons@pubpolicy.gatech.edu

The Politics of Spanking Children: Ideology, Context, and Framing Effects on Attitudes toward Corporal Punishment
David C. Wilson, University of Delaware, dcwilson@udel.edu

The Ghost of Moynihan: The Role of Racial Attitudes and Traditional Family Values in Attitudes Toward Childcare
Jonathan Collins, UCLA, jcollins2511@ucla.edu

Active Voices: Social Capital, Dialogue, and Collective Action in Black Neighborhoods
Todd C. Shaw, University of South Carolina, shawtc@mailbox.sc.edu
Kirk Foster, University of South Carolina, Kfoster@mailbox.sc.edu
Barbara Combs, University of Mississippi, barbara.combs@state.or.us

Right and Wrong: Black Preachers and the Intersections of Morality and Public Policy,
Tamelyn Tucker-Worgs, Hood College, tuckerworgs@hood.edu
Donn C. Worgs, Towson University, dworgs@towson.edu

Chair: Georgia Persons, Georgia Institute of Technology, georgia.persons@pubpolicy.gatech.edu

Thursday, March 17 – 3:00 p.m.

Blacks-Latino Alliances and Immigration Policy

Chair: Clarissa Peterson, cpeterson@depauw.edu

Somewhere Over the Rainbow: The Prospects of an African American & Latino Political Alliance in Chicago
Valerie C. Johnson, DePaul University, vjohnso5@depaul.edu
Robert Starks, Northeastern Illinois University, r-starks@neiu.edu

Hart-Cellar and the Effects on African American and Immigrant Incorporation
Christina M. Greer, Fordham University, cgreer@fordham.edu

The Obama Era, Black Attitudes, and Immigration Policy
Lorrie Frasure-Yokley, UCLA, lfrasure@polisci.ucla.edu
Stacey Greene, UCLA

Spatialized Racial Progress: Contextual Effects on African American and Latino Views of Racial Progress, Within and Across Cities
Jessica Lynn Stewart, UCLA

Discussant: Evelyn M. Simien, simien@uconn.edu

Thursday, March 17 – 3:00 p.m.

The 25th Anniversary of the Los Angeles Civil Unrest

Moderators:
Boris Ricks, California State University at Northridge, boris.ricks@csun.edu
Christopher Whitt, Christopher Whitt, Augustana College, christopherwhitt@augustana.edu

Poster Sessions - Exhibit Hall
Thursday, March 17 – 3:00–4:30 p.m.

An Issue in Race Relations Today: An Examination of the Disparity in Mass Incarceration and Policy Solutions
Arnedia K. Wallace, Southern University and A&M College, arnediaw@yahoo.com

Success of Phase Two and Phase Three Black Politicians in State and Nationwide Campaigns: Examining the Campaigns of Senators Carol Moseley Braun, Cory Booker, and President Barack Obama
Sicqora Williams, Southern University and A&M College, sicqora_williams_00@subr.edu

Need Assessment and Feasibility Study of Akashanda Health Center
Jessica Shotwell, Middle Tennessee State University, jms2df@mtmail.mtsu.edu
Eyerusalem Tessema, University of North Carolina, tessema@email.unc.edu

School-To-Prison Pipeline: Zero Tolerance, Teachers and the Prison Complex
Kelly Richardson, Middle Tennessee State University, kbr2t@mtmail.mtsu.edu

Eco-Tourism and Deforestation in Costa Rica
Friday, March 18 – 8:30 a.m.

Plenary Panel:
*White House Council on Women and Girls “Advancing Equity for Women and Girls of Color: A Research Agenda for the Next Decade”*

Chair: Nikol Alexander-Floyd, Rutgers University, ngaf@rci.rutgers.edu

Julia Jordan-Zachery, Providence College, jjordanz@providence.edu

Willie Legette, South Carolina State University, wmlegette@scsu.edu

Ruth Nicole Brown, University of Illinois, Champaign-Urbana, rnbrown@illinois.edu

Friday, March 18 – 10:15 a.m.

The Black Predicament and the 2016 Elections

Chair: Lorenzo Morris, Howard University, lmorris@howard.edu

Melanye Price, Rutgers University, mtprice@rci.rutgers.edu

Andra N. Gillespie, Emory University, angille@emory.edu

Christopher Whitt, Christopher Whitt, Augustana College, christopherwhitt@augustana.edu

David C. Wilson, University of Delaware, dcwilson@udel.edu

Friday, March 18 – 10:15 a.m.

Political Dimensions of Diaspora Unity

Chair: Kurt B. Young, Clark Atlanta University, kyoung@cau.edu

* A Comparative Study of Black Racial Group Consciousness in the U.S. and UK
  Ayobami Laniyonu, UCLA, alaniyonu@gmail.com

* Genocide and U.S. Foreign Policy
  Tierra Miller, Independent, tee_carter0o1@yahoo.com

* Money Pools in the Americas: The African Diaspora's Legacy in the Social Economy
  Caroline S. Hossein, York University, carohossein@gmail.com
The Case of Affirmative Action in Undergraduate Admissions in the U.S. and Brazil
Taylor Toves, Winthrop University, tovest2@winthrop.edu

Discussant: Kurt B. Young, Clark Atlanta University, kyoung@cau.edu

**Friday, March 18 – 10:15 a.m.**

**The Politics of Race & Crime**

Chair: Keesha Middlemass, Trinity University, kmiddlem@trinity.edu

Social Movements Against Racist Police Brutality and Department of Justice Intervention in Prince George's County
Jonathan Hutto, Howard University - Department of Political Science
jhutto77@yahoo.com

‘Felon Power’: Prison Gerrymanders, the 3/5 Clause, and the Incarceration of Democracy
Christina Rivers, Depaul University, crivers@depaul.edu

Legislation and the Prison Pipeline
Elsie Scott, Howard University’s Ronald Walters Leadership and Public Policy Center, scottie4of8@hotmail.com

Joseph Grant, Howard University, joegrnt7@gmail.com

The First Police Force?
Keesha Middlemass, Trinity University, kmiddlem@trinity.edu

Discussant: Lakeyta Bonnette-Bailey, Georgia State University

**Friday, March 18 – 10:15 a.m.**

**Health Disparities and Public Health**

Chair: Georgia Persons, Georgia Institute of Technology, georgia.persons@pubpolicy.gatech.edu

Bad Blood: Examining the Health Disparities of the African American Community
Ayesha Montgomery, Western Illinois University, AJ-Montgomery@wiu.edu

The Lost Generation: Excess Black Mortality During the Reagan and Bush Administrations
Javier M. Rodriguez, Mathematica Policy Research and University of Michigan,
rodrigjm@umich.edu
Dean A. Robinson, University of Massachusetts at Amherst, deanr@polsci.umass.edu
Political Mobilization, Identity, Social Capital, & Health: An Exploration of Understudied Social Determinants of Health and Well-Being Among Black Sexual Minorities

Kasim S. Ortiz, University of South Carolina, ortizk@email.sc.edu
Vickie Ybarra, University of New Mexico, vickie@ybarra.com
Angelique Harris, Marquette University, angelique.harris@marquette.edu
Juan Battle, City University of New York, jbattle@gc.cuny.edu

La Santé Avant Tout: Understanding Ownership of Development in Burkina Faso's Health Sector
Takiyah Harper, University of Connecticut, takiyah.harper@uconn.edu

Discussant: Georgia Persons, Georgia Institute of Technology,
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Friday, March 18


Panelists: TBA

Lunch - 11:45 a.m. - 1:15 p.m.

Friday, March 18 – 1:30 p.m.

After Obama: The Administration's Key Racial, Gender, Economic, and Political Implications for Black Politics

Chair: Todd Shaw, University of South Carolina, shawtc@mailbox.sc.edu

After Obama: Does Black Americans’ Confidence in Federal Government Wax and Wane?
Shayla Nunnally, University of Connecticut, shayla.nunnally@uconn.edu

Obama, Black Women, and Gender Equality
Wendy Smooth, The Ohio State University, smooth.1@osu.edu

Obama, Employment, and Poverty Policy: An Intersectional Policy Based Analysis
Julia Jordan-Zachery, Providence College, jjordanz@providence.edu

The Race Whisperer: Barack Obama and the Political Uses of Race
Melanye Price, Rutgers University, mtprice@rci.rutgers.edu

Discussant: Robert Brown, Spelman College, rbrown61@spelman.edu
Friday, March 18 – 1:30 p.m.

Moral Mondays and the Impact of Fusion Politics in the 21st Century

Chair: Valeria Sinclair-Chapman, Purdue University, vsc@purdue.edu

Fusion Politics in Moral Mondays: The Rewards and Challenges Organizing Across Difference
Valeria Sinclair-Chapman, Purdue University, vsc@purdue.edu

Religion and Indiana Moral Mondays
Mark Denninghoff, Purdue University, mdennin@purdue.edu

Indiana Moral Mondays and the Multiple Faces of Power
Guillermo Caballero, Purdue University, gcaballerog@gmail.com

They Say and What They Do: Indiana Moral Mondays, Inclusive Practice, and LGBT Issues
Sharonda Woodford, Purdue University, swoodfor@purdue.edu
Valeria Sinclair-Chapman, Purdue University, vsc@purdue.edu

Discussant: Sekou Franklin, Middle Tennessee State University, Sekou.Franklin@mtsu.edu

Friday, March 18 – 1:30 p.m.

Black Power in Global & International Contexts: A Graduate Student Panel

Chair: Kurt B. Young, Clark Atlanta University, kyoung@cau.edu

The American Presidency and the Pan-African Movement: A Comparative Foreign Policy and Case Study Analysis of the Obama Presidency, Pan-Africanism, and the African Diaspora in Cuba
Simonee Thomas, Clark Atlanta University, simoneproductions@gmail.com

World Politics and American Exiles in Cuba
Faheem Abdur-Rasheed, Clark Atlanta University

The Road to Black Lives Matter: A Global Fight for Transformative Public Education
Marla Hollis, Clark Atlanta University, Marlahlls@icloud.com

Discussant: Kurt B. Young, Clark Atlanta University, kyoung@cau.edu

Friday, March 18 – 1:30 p.m.

Racial Politics, Research, and Higher Education
Chair: David Montague, University of Arkansas at Little Rock, drmontague@ualr.edu

Using HBCUs to Conduct Research on Black Political Attitudes and Behavior
D’Andra Orey, Jackson State University, byron.d.orey@jsums.edu

The Dynamics Surrounding Louisiana's Public State-Funded University Board Members
Individual Voting Behavior: A Case Study
Melanie S. Johnson, Southern University and A&M College, Melanie_Johnson@subr.edu

Feminism, Activism and Commodification at Historically Black Colleges and Universities
Byrdie Larkin, Alabama State University, blarkin@alasu.edu

Affluent Colleges: Which Students Become Politically Active?
Briana White, Brianna, Northwestern University

Discussant: David Montague, University of Arkansas at Little Rock, drmontague@ualr.edu

Friday, March 18 – 1:30 p.m.

Memory and Legacies of Violence in the Mississippi Freedom Struggle
Chair: Melynda J. Price, University of Kentucky College of Law, melynda.price@uky.edu

Nan Woodruff, Penn State University, new7@psu.edu

Dianna Freelon-Foster, Southern Echo, dfoster@southernecho.org

Friday, March 18 – 3:00 p.m.

Black Sexuality, Culture, and Politics
Chair: Lakeyta Bonnette-Bailey, Georgia State University

On Black Sexuality and Amber Rose’s Rebellion
Ashley C. Daniels, Howard University, ashleycjdaniels@gmail.com

Invisible Bodies: The Politics of Violence towards Black Masculine Lesbians
Sharonda Woodford, Purdue University, swoodfor@purdue.edu
Nadia E. Brown, Purdue University, Purdue University, brown957@purdue.edu

Love and Community: Thinking Beyond the Politics of Death Through Octavia Butler’s Parable Series
Jennifer Joines, University of Alabama, University of Alabama, jajoines@crimson.ua.edu

A Comparative Analysis of Legislative Behavior on Abortion-Restrictive Policies by Race and
Gender in Two Southern State Legislatures
Tonya M. Williams, Johnson C. Smith University, lmwilliams@jcsu.edu

Discussant: Lakeyta Bonnette-Bailey, Georgia State University

Friday, March 18 – 3:00 p.m.

State Violence: Predatory Policies and the Criminal Justice System

Chair: Niambi Carter, Howard University, Niambi.Carter@Howard.edu

The Color of Mass Incarceration
Ronnie B. Tucker, Shippensburg University of Pennsylvania, rbtuck@ship.edu

The Predatory State, Collective Violence, and Race
Brandon R. Davis, University of Alabama, brdavis1@crimson.ua.edu

The Relationship between Stop, Question, and Frisk and Voter Turnout in New York City and Newark New Jersey
Ayobami Laniyonu, UCLA, alaniyonu@gmail.com

The Disadvantages of African American and Somali Males in the Criminal Justice System
Dorian B. Crosby, Spelman College, dr.crosby@yahoo.com
Shenita Brazelton, Old Dominion University, sbrazelt@odu.edu

Discussant: Niambi Carter, Howard University, Niambi.Carter@Howard.edu

Friday, March 18 – 3:00 p.m.

Public Opinion and Presidential Politics

Chair: Andra N. Gillespie, Emory University, angille@emory.edu

Analyzing the Public Opinion of DC Residents Toward Obama's Social Innovations and Civic Participation Initiative on Education
Ashley Daniels, ashleycjdaniels@gmail.com

To Be Southern: The Effects of Southern Culture on Black Political Attitudes
Princess Williams, University of Michigan, princess.hope.williams@gmail.com

How the Public Views Black Presidential Candidates
Evelyn M. Simien, University of Connecticut, simien@uconn.edu
Sydney Carr, University of Connecticut, sydney.carr@uconn.edu

Effects of Intergroup Language on Eye-Tracking and Moment-to-Moment Responses in Race-Based Political Messages
Friday, March 18 – 3:00 p.m.

Legacy of Black Politics, Culture, and Power
Chair: James Taylor, University of San Francisco, taylorj@usfca.edu

Martin Luther King, Jr. as a Black Power Sympathizer
    Osei Robertson, Bowie State University, dorobertson@bowiestate.edu

The Relevancy Dilemma in Black Political Science
    Kurt Young, Clark Atlanta University, kyoung@cau.edu

The Return of *Endarch: Journal of Black Political Research*
    Leslie Small, Clark Atlanta University, leslie_B_Small@yahoo.com

Discussants:
    James Taylor, University of San Francisco, taylorj@usfca.edu
    Mack Jones, Clark Atlanta University (Retired), mackhjones@bellsouth.net

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Professional Development Workshop – Transition from the Classroom to Administration: Sponsored by the American Political Science Association

    Pearl Ford Dowe, University of Arkansas, pkford@uark.edu
    David Montague, University of Arkansas at Little Rock, drmontague@ualr.edu
    Kimberly Mealy, American Political Science Association, kmealy@apsanet.org

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Coffee Talk/Meet and Greet on the Ralph Bunche Summer Institute 30th Anniversary – Jennifer Hochschild, President of the American Political Science Association and Harvard University, Sponsored by the American Political Science Association

Friday, March 18 – 4:30 – 5:30 p.m.

Clark Atlanta University Alumni Affiliate Meeting
**Friday, March 18 – 5:30 p.m.**

Founders’ Symposium for Young Scholars  
Moderator: Paul White, University of South Carolina, white5@email.sc.edu

**Friday, March 18 – 6:30 p.m.**

President’s Reception

**Saturday, March 19 – 8:00 – 9:00 a.m.**

Continental Breakfast – Association for the Study of Black Women in Political Science

**Saturday, March 19 – 9:00 a.m.**

*National Political Science Review: A Standards-Driven Academic Refereed Journal of Black Politics*

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Sharon Wright-Austin, University of Florida, polssdw@polisci.ufl.edu  
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**Saturday, March 19 – 9:00 a.m.**

*Honoring Michael Mitchell’s Legacy of Expanding Black Politics in the Academy*

Chair: Gladys Mitchell-Walthour, University of Wisconsin at Milwaukee, gladyslmitchell@yahoo.com  
K.C. Morrison, Mississippi State University, kcmorrison@pspa.msstate.edu  
Dianne Pinderhughes, Notre Dame University, Dianne.M.Pinderhughes.1@nd.edu  
David L. Covin, California State University at Sacramento, covincl@csus.edu
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Culture and Behavior

Chair: Tony Affigne, Providence College, affigne@gmail.com

To Fear or Not to Fear: Examining How Unconscious Fears Affect Fear and Aggression in Police Officers’ Policing of African American Men
   Karra W. McCray, University of South Carolina
I Am Not My Hair: The Effect of Respectability Politics on African American Millennial Women
   Lauren Mims, University of South Carolina
The Determinants of Antisocial Behavior and Juvenile Crime
   Caitlyn Brockington, University of South Carolina
Supply and Demand: How History and Public Policy Created the Racial Wealth Gap
   Armand Demirchyan, University of California, Irvine, ademirch@uci.edu
An Exploration of Pan-Africanism in the Black Diaspora
   Octavia Butler, Howard University, reneelamontra@gmail.com

Discussant: Tony Affigne, Providence College, affigne@gmail.com

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Roundtable

When the Road Turns: Confronting Personal and Family Life Changes in the Academy

Chair: Nikol Alexander-Floyd, Rutgers University, ngaf@rci.rutgers.edu
   Tiffany Willoughby-Herard, University of California, Irvine, twilloug@uci.edu
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   Alexandra Moffet-Bateau, John Jay College of Criminal Justice, amoffet-bateau@jjay.cuny.edu

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Dimensions in Black Politics

Social-Media Activism, Social Capital, and Young African-Americans
   Geoffrey Bell, Howard University, geoffrey.bell@bison.howard.edu

The Politics of Women and Religion
S.N. Cathey, Tougaloo College, sncathey@tougaloo.edu

A Racial Justice Based Model of Political Trust
Jamel Love, Rutgers University, jl1886@scarletmail.rutgers.edu

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Virtue Ethics, Breach of Public Trust, and African-American Political Officials
Chair: Daryl Roberts, Tuskegee University, drobert@mytu.tuskegee.edu
Noel D. Thompson, Tuskegee University, thompsonn@mytu.tuskegee.edu
Benjamin Newhouse, Tuskegee Consulting Group, bnewhouse711@gmail.com
Floyd Webb, Independent Scholar
Discussant: Joseph L. Jones, University of Arkansas at Pine Bluff, josephleronjones@gmail.com

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Teaching While Black: Navigating the Application Process, Teaching, Scholarship, and Service En Route to Tenure at Predominantly White Institutions as Black Political Scientists.
Christopher Whitt, Augustana College, Augustana College, christopherwhitt@augustana.edu
Boris Ricks, California State University at Northridge, boris.ricks@csun.edu

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Book Discussion: Ronald Walter’s Fighting Neoslavery in the 20th Century
Elsie Scott, Howard University, Howard University’s Ronald Walters Leadership and Public Policy Center, scottie4of8@hotmail.com
Clarence Lusane, Howard University, Clarence.Lusane@Howard.edu
Najja Baptist, Howard University, nkbaptis@yahoo.com

Saturday, March 19 – 12:00 pm

Closing Luncheon