





**GRANTS, FELLOWSHIPS & HONORS**

2022- Co-PI - "Africana Studies and the Humanities at Skidmore:  
Transnational Explorations

1998 "The Black Panther Party: State Repression and Political Prisoners," in \_\_\_\_\_, edited by Dr. Charles E. Jones (Baltimore: Black Classic Press): 363-389

1995 "Political Prisoners," in \_\_\_\_\_, edited by NOBO (Trenton: Africa World Press): 127-134

**Book Review**

2018 Review of \_\_\_\_\_, by Maurice J. Hobson, in \_\_\_\_\_

**PEER-REVIEWED CONFERENCE PAPERS AND PRESENTATIONS**

March 2022 "Call to Action: The Racial Justice Teaching Challenge (RJTC) at Skidmore College," Innovation and Ideation Session, American Association of Colleges and Universities Conference on Diversity, Equity, and \_\_\_\_\_

- November 2006 "This Is Black Power? Grassroots Black Activists and Alliances with Whites in Late-1960s Atlanta," Presented at Southern Historical Association, Annual Meeting, Birmingham, Alabama
- March 2004 "Struggling to Define the Struggle: Exploring the Meanings of in the Urban South," Presented at Social Movements Roundtable, Organization of American Historians Annual Meeting, Boston, Massachusetts
- April 2002 "The Institute of the Black World and the Contours of Black Power Activism in Atlanta, 1968-1977," Presented at the Transnationalism, Gender and the Changing Black World Conference, Department of African American Studies, Syracuse University
- April 2001 "Black Folk Fighting on Several Fronts: Organizing an Intra-racial Coalition Against Poverty in Atlanta, 1970-1973," Presented at the Organization of American Historians Annual Meeting, Los Angeles, California
- October 1999 "Black Intellectual Power: Launching the Institute of the Black World, 1969-1974," Presented at the African Heritage Studies Association Annual Conference, Ithaca, New York
- April 1998 "Black Community Power: Urban Protest and Neighborhood Activism in Atlanta, Georgia, 1966-

- March 2022 "Women of the Civil Rights Movement," Ballston Spa Public Library
- November 2020 "Complicating Binaries in the Pursuit of Racial Justice," Webinar, Saratoga Presbyterian-New England Congregational Church
- September 2020 "'It Makes Me Wonder How I keep from Goin' Under': Socio-

- "Ethnic Studies and the Liberal Arts College Milieu," Reed College, Portland, Oregon
- October 2016 Invited Speaker, Gun Violence as A Public Health Issue Advisory Committee inaugural meeting, Oregon Health Sciences University (OHSU)
- May 2015 Panelist, "Reflections on the Black Lives Matter Movement," Graduate Symposium, University of Denver
- January 2015 "Leadership in the Black Community: Abolitionists to the Age of Obama," Regis F. Groff Memorial Distinguished Lecture Series, Colorado Black Round Table, Denver, Colorado
- "Appreciating Africana Studies," Academic Department Showcase for West High School students, CU Denver and MSU Denver
- December 2014 Panelist, "Black Lives Matter: A Community Discussion," Dean's Office, College of Letters, Arts and Sciences,

April 2012	Invited Speaker, Civil Rights Day, Chaparral High School, Centennial, Colorado	
February 2012	Invited Speaker, Diversity Day, Rangeview High School, Aurora, Colorado	
January 2012	Panelist,	Screening,





- Summer 2000 "Marcus Garvey and W.E.B. Du Bois," Caribbean  
African Unity Organization - Cayuga Correctional Facility
- October 1999 "African American Women's History: An Intra-racial Discussion of

Atlanta, Georgia

2004-2005

Outside Reviewer,

(Duke University Press)

## **SERVICE AT SKIDMORE COLLEGE AND IN CAPITAL DISTRICT**

### **Community**

2020-2021

Member, Saratoga Springs Police Reform Task Force

### **Formal Advising**

Undergraduate

Twelve Black Studies minors (2020- present)  
Ismatu Allison-Konteh (Self-Determined Major, 2010-2011)  
Several American Studies majors (2008-2011)  
Summer advising for incoming first-year students (2008, 2009)

Graduate

Trella Walker (Master of Liberal Arts Program)

2008-2011            Member, Bias Response Group

**SERVICE AT PORTLAND STATE UNIVERSITY**

**University**

2018-2019            Member, AAUP Work/Life Balance Committee

2017-2018            Member, Provost Search Advisory Committee

**College of Liberal Arts & Sciences**

2018-2019            Member, Promotion and Tenure Committee

2017-2019            Coordinator, Pathways Toward Social Justice Research Cluster

2016-2019            Member, Dean's Council, College of Liberal Arts and Sciences

2016-2017            Member, Assistant Dean for Student Success and Retention  
Search Committee

**Black Studies Department**

Fall 2016            Chair, Post-

2013-2015

Member, Faculty Welfare Committee, Faculty Senate

2012-2

Student (2002-2005)  
Organizations Student African American Society (1999-2000)

**University**

2005-2006 Member, University Senate

Spring 2005 Member, Honors Thesis Prize Selection Committee

Fall 2004 Member, American Studies Working Group

Fall 2004 Member, History Departmental Search Committee  
(Sub-Saharan Africa Position)

1999-2000

## **TEACHING AT SKIDMORE COLLEGE**

### **Curriculum**

Developed the core curriculum for the new Black Studies minor. Drafted preliminary review of Cultural Diversity courses as part of an ongoing analysis of such courses. Drafted a preliminary outline for a possible Intercultural Studies minor.

### **Courses Developed**

Black Panther Archive  
Introduction to Black Studies  
Radical Black Autobiography  
Seminar in Black Studies

### **Courses Taught**

African American Experience  
Black Panther Archive  
Black Feminist Thoughts  
Civil Rights: 20th Century U.S.  
Diversity in the United States  
Introduction to Black Studies  
Racial Identity Development: Theory and Praxis  
Radical Black Autobiography  
Seminar in Black Studies  
U.S. Regional Culture: the South

## **TEACHING AT SYRACUSE UNIVERSITY**

### **Curriculum**

Helped revisit the Departmental approach to AAS 112, Introduction to African American Studies, including revision of the syllabus and discussion of AAS epistemological issues. Helped design curriculum for MA program in Pan African Studies.

### **Courses Developed**

African American Women's History

### **Courses Taught**

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African American History to the Civil War  
African American History since Reconstruction  
African American Women's History  
Introduction to African American Studies  
Southern African History

**MEDIA APPEARANCES**

- July 2020            "What's Going On: A Conversation with Skidmore's Director of  
Black Studies, Winston Grady-Willis,"  
[:// a a a . / a - - - - a - /](https://www.africanamericanhistory.org/african-american-history-101/)
- August 2018        "PSU To Offer State's First major in Indigenous Nations and  
Native American Studies This F



