

ASA 65th Annual Meeting
2022 Preliminary Program
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SCHEDULE OF SESSION TIMES

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 16	FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 17	SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 18
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PROGRAM BY SUBTHEME

A. Africa and International Relations

- I-A-1 Situating Africa in the Global Political Economy
- II-A-2 The External Factor in Sudanese Politics
- III-A-3 Africa-China Engagements, Part Two: African agency and Chinese drivers of growth & transformation
- IV-A-4 African Diplomacy: Unique or Part of the Global?
- IV-A-5 African Cities and African Citizens: A Comparative Assessment of Opportunities, Challenges, and Potentials of Urbanization across Africa
- V-A-6 Lagos in African History (Sponsored by the Lagos Studies Association)
- V-A-7 Continuities and Change in African Multilateralism
- VII-A-8 Africa-China Engagements, Part Four: Co-determining Africa-China engagement and performance by local socio-political dynamics
- VII-A-9 New Directions in Researching Regional Challenge(r)s and Conceptual Approaches in Africa(n International Relations)
- IX-A-10 The African-Pacific: Historical and Contemporary Approaches
- X-A-11 Natural resources exploitation, social instability, and ecological disaster in Central Africa (Sponsored by Central African Studies Association)
- XI-A-12 Chinese Grand Strategy and the China-Taiwan Nexus
- XII-A-13 Politics and the Society in Colonial and Postcolonial Nigeria (Sponsored by Lagos Studies Association)
- XII-A-14 Rethinking Power Dynamics in Global Systems: African Agency & Shifting Power Dynamics in International Relations
- XII-A-15 Fulbright U.S. Scholar Program: Alumni Experiences in Sub Saharan Africa

B. Africa's Diasporas

- IV-B-1 African and Malagasy Diasporas in the Indian Ocean
- VI-B-2 Interdisciplinary Approaches to Diaspora and Identity Formation in Indian Ocean Africa
- IX-B-3 Transformations in Africa's Diasporas
- X-B-4 Research and Pan-African Returns: Intergenerational Reflections of Diasporan Scholars Working in Africa

C. African Feminisms, Gender, & Sexuality

- I-C-1 Gender Representations, Knowledge Production, and Agency
- III-C-2 Historicizing Women in Africa

III-C-3	Poetry on Crisis and Beauty: A Reading and Discussion with Four African Women Poets (Sponsored by ASA Women's Caucus)
IV-C-4	Issues and Changing Values in Marriage and Sexual Relationships: Impact on People and Cultures of Rural and Urban Settings in Africa and Beyond
IV-C-5	Gendering African Sexualities and Erotics
V-C-6	Women, Intersectional Identity and Representation (Sponsored by ASA Women's Caucus)
V-C-7	Women and Gender in Collective Memory and Public History, Part I
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VI-C-9	A Discussion of Queer African Cinemas (Sponsored by Queer African Studies Association)
VI-C-10	African Women's Agency and Empowerment: Critical Perspectives, Part I
VII-C-11	African Women's Agency and Empowerment: Critical Perspectives, Part II
VII-C-12	Gender, Justice, and Judging in Africa
VIII-C-13	Women's Caucus Discussion on the Overturn of Roe (Sponsored by the ASA Women's Caucus)
VIII-C-14	Book Salon: Afropolitan Projects: Redefining Blackness, Sexualities, and Culture from Houston to Accra (Sponsored by Queer African Studies Association)
IX-C-15	African Women's Agency and Empowerment: Critical Perspectives, Part III
IX-C-16	When Women Speak Part I: A film about Ghanaian Women's activism
X-C-17	When Women Speak Part II: A film about Ghanaian Women's activism
X-C-18	Art and Expressive Culture in 21st Century Nigeria (Sponsored by Lagos Studies Association)
XI-C-19	Women, Gender, and Political Power in African Societies (Sponsored by ASA Women's Caucus)
XI-C-20	Writing African Feminist Subjectivities (Sponsored by the Local Arrangements Committee)
XI-C-21	Feminist Decoloniality as Care (FEMDAC): Black Women's Narratives of Resistance in the U.S. and South Africa (Sponsored by ASA Women's Caucus)
XII-C-22	Queer African Studies in Motion (Sponsored by Queer African Studies Association)
XII-C-23	African Women's Agency, Activism, & Leadership (Sponsored by the ASA Board of Directors)

D. African Philosophy and Thought

I-D-1	Postcolonial future, anticolonial rupture, & decolonial challenges
III-D-2	Connecting Space & Challenging the State: Politics of Knowledge in the Africana World
VI-D-3	African(a) Traditions vis-à-vis Western Philosophy & Esotericism
X-D-4	From Reform to Restorative Justice: Decolonial African Feminist Perspectives Addressing Higher Education, Faculty Mentoring and Reproductive Sovereignty
XI-D-5	ICT and PAN AFRICANISM
XII-D-6	Reclaiming Heritage: Knowledge, Toponymy, & Identity Formation

E. Anthropology, Society, & Material Culture

II-E-1	Africanist Ethnographies of Care and Repair in Times of Crisis
III-E-2	Accumulation and Contested Logics of Governance in East Africa
V-E-3	A Ritual Geology: Gold and Subterranean Knowledge in Savanna West Africa
V-E-4	Dynamic Shifts Among Youth & Families
V-E-5	Saving and Being Safe Away from "Home": The Case of Diasporic Ethiopians in Israel, South Africa, and the U.S.
VII-E-6	Decolonizing Heritage - Discussion of the new book by Ferdinand de Jong
X-E-7	Remaking East African Cities through Fixity and Flux
X-E-8	People as Infrastructure Revisited: Recent Perspectives from South Africa
X-E-9	The Modernity of Witchcraft
XI-E-10	Social Interventions, Materialities, & Technologies in Contemporary Africa
XI-E-11	Urban Enclaving Futures, Part I
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F. Climate Change and Sustainability

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V-F-3	Feeding Africa: Climate Change, Environmental Sustainability, and Pastoralism

- VI-F-4 Building Sustainable Futures: Climate Change, Policy, & Urbanism (Sponsored by Carnegie Corporation of New York)
- VII-F-5 Understanding Climate Change in Urban and Rural Africa: Historical and Contemporary Challenges
- IX-F-6 The Sustainability Transitions Debate: A Panel Discussion on Requisite Reforms and Innovations for Africa
- XII-F-7 The Environmental Humanities of Extraction in Africa: Poetics and Politics of Exploitation
- XII-F-8 Building Sustainable Spaces through Environmental Justice

G. Development and Political Economy

- I-G-1 Infrastructural Autonomy: the histories and politics of “standalone” provisioning systems
- II-G-2 African Neoliberalisms: New Configurations between Labor and Finance
- III-G-3 Political Engagement and Authority in African Societies
- III-G-4 Youth, Urban Mobilities and the COVID-19 Pandemic: Emerging Trajectories for Peace and Development in Africa
- IV-G-5 New Perspectives on Ghana’s Economic Past (Sponsored by Ghana Studies Association)
- V-G-6 Taxation in Africa pt I: Why do(n’t) people pay taxes?
- VI-G-7 Taxation in Africa pt II: Politics of taxation and tax reforms
- VII-G-8 Intersecting Infrastructure and Development: Reflections on Systems and Services Part 1: Digital Infrastructure and Innovation
- VIII-G-9 Intersecting Infrastructure and Development: Reflections on Systems and Services Part 2: Regional, Global, and Educational Influences
- VIII-G-10 The Plight of Nigerian Women in the Nigerian Political System (Sponsored by Nigerian Studies Association)
- VIII-G-11 Extractivism, Politics, & Corporate Interest
- IX-G-12 China in Africa's Development Landscapes
- IX-G-13 Taxation in Africa pt III: International taxation and tax justice
- X-G-14 Taxation in Africa pt IV: Historical and contemporary taxation in Sierra Leone
- X-G-15 Indigenous Youth Perspectives on Employment and Entrepreneurship in Africa Part I
- XI-G-16 Indigenous Youth Perspectives on Employment and Entrepreneurship in Africa Part II
- XI-G-17 Change and Continuity in Kenya’s Urban and Political Landscape
- XII-G-18 Precarity, Inequality, & the Urban-Rural Divide

H. Education and Pedagogy

- I-H-1 Rethinking Education and Adaptability
- III-H-2 Recuperating and Reconstituting Knowledge: Indigeneity and Digitalization
- VI-H-3 Teaching Africa I: Lessons About, By, and For the Continent
- VII-H-4 Teaching Africa II: Lessons About, By, and For the Continent
- X-H-5 Teaching Africa III: Lessons By, For, and About the Continent
- XI-H-6 Dreaming, Struggling, and Thriving: Analyses of Educational Improvements and Costs
- XII-H-7 Schools as Sites of Class and Status Struggles

I. Ethnicity, Race, & Nationality

- I-I-1 An Uneasy Embrace: Africa, India and the Spectre of Race
- III-I-2 Identities, Nation-Building, and Belonging in Africa and its Diasporas
- V-I-3 Bantu Authorities: Apartheid's System of Race and Ethnicity
- VII-I-4 Making Race in and out of West Africa
- X-I-5 Sudan’s 2018/2019 Uprising and its Aftermath: Movement-Building, Knowledge-Production, and A Feminist Politics of Care

J. Health, Healing, & Disability

- II-J-1 Making History, Memory, and Medicine
- III-J-2 Seeing, Measuring, and Governing Illness and Disease
- VI-J-3 Jonathan Roberts on Pluralism as Modern Medicine
- VIII-J-4 Medicine, Health, and Wellness in Nigerian History (Sponsored by Lagos Studies Association)

IX-J-5 Women's Role & Representation in Health, Healing, & Disability (Sponsored by Carnegie Corporation of New York)

K. History and Archaeology

I-K-1 The Horn of Africa's Cyclical Violence: Ethiopia's Conflicts in Historical Perspectives
VIII-K-2 Wealth, Land and Property in Angola: A History of Dispossession, Slavery, and Inequality
III-K-3 US/East Africa Historical Entanglements since the 1980s
IV-K-4 Black Men and Women in the Maghrib
IV-K-5 Confinement in West African History and Society
V-K-6 Paper and digital trails in colonial and postcolonial history
VI-K-7 Pedro Monaville, Students of the World: Global 1968 and Decolonization in the Congo
VII-K-8 Sultan, Caliph, and the Renewer of the Faith: Ahmad Lobbo, the Tārīkh al-fattāsh and the Making of an Islamic State in West Africa (Sponsored by Islam in African Studies Group)
VII-K-9 New directions in the history of health and medicine in Africa
VII-K-10 Mobilities, Expertise and Governance in South African History: New Approaches
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VIII-K-11 Language, Education, and Change in Transformative Times
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VIII-K-13 "Conditions of Imaginability" - Memory, Revolution, and Space in African Utopias
IX-K-14 New perspectives on modernization, infrastructure and social change in colonial and postcolonial Africa
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IX-K-16 Publishing in the Journal of West African History
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XI-K-19 Freetown @ 230: Rethinking the "Province of Freedom"
XII-K-20 New perspectives on slavery, resistance, and incarceration in African History
XII-K-21 Kenya in the Age of Moi

L. Literature

I-L-1 Urbanscapes and Feminist Futures in African Art Forms (Sponsored by ASA Women's Caucus)
IV-L-4 Mobilité, destin individuel et vie collective dans les littératures africaines
V-L-5 How Francophone North African Writers are Transforming the Family
VI-L-6 The Politics of the Archives: From the Print Era to the Digital Age
VI-L-7 Imagination, Imperialism, & Internationalism in Literature
VII-L-8 Sensing the City: Theorizing global indigeneity in African literary urban spaces
VIII-L-9 New Directions in African Cultural Studies: Re/inventions of African Traditions and Pasts
IX-L-10 Traces of Internationalism
IX-L-2 Peripheral Cross-Fertilizations, Part I
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X-L-11 Mobility, Urbanity, & Narration
XI-L-12 Disturbing Gazes and Synesthetic Discomfort in sub-Saharan Africa
XI-L-13 Transitions in African Migration Narratives
XII-L-14 Senegalese Letters

M. Mobility, Migration, & Borders

I-M-1 Subverting Borders: Historical Approaches
II-M-2 Africa-China Engagements, Part One
III-M-3 Fiction & Migration, Part I: Oceanic Cartographies
IV-M-4 Fiction & Migration, Part II: Contemplating the global
IV-M-5 From village to townships: challenges and prospects of African mobility and urbanization
V-M-6 Conduits of Mobility
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VI-M-8 Mobility, Space- and Place-Making in Senegambia

- VII-M-9 "Preventing"/"Deterring" African Migration: a focus on local actors and reception
- VII-M-10 Geopolitics of Mobility
- VII-M-11 Immigration Inequalities: global perspectives on host country treatment of African and non-African immigrants, 2014-2022
- VIII-M-12 Young people and the experiences and promises of migration in Africa
- IX-M-13 Writing Histories of Mobility and Refuge(e) Seeking (Sponsored by Lusophone African Studies Organization)
- X-M-14 Africans Migration: [Un]Welcome African immigrants to Asia
- XII-M-15 Belonging in a Time of Urban Transformation
- XII-M-16 Exploring the Mobility of Bodies and Concepts in African Literature and Social Media Production: Penn State Graduate Student Panel (Sponsored by the Local Arrangements Committee)

N. Music, Performance & Visual Culture

- II-N-2 Music, Relationality, and Visual Representations of Africa
- III-N-3 Senegalese popular music today: mobility, diaspora, and civic engagement (Sponsored by Sengambian Studies Group)
- IV-N-4 Examining Aural Collectivity in Uganda
- V-N-1 Salsa in Africa. Urbanities, intimacies and kinesthetic of the Afro-Latin Atlantic connection
- V-N-5 Performance, Liveness, and Social Justice: Dancing Across Senegal and Burkina Faso
- VI-N-6 Traditional Music, Transatlantic Connection, & Performance in Senegambia
- VII-N-7 Francophone African and Afro-descendant Documentary Aesthetics: The Central Contribution of Women Filmmakers
- VIII-N-8 Music and Everyday Life in the African Metropolis: Creativity, Media, Political Economy, Part I
- IX-N-9 Music and Everyday Life in the African Metropolis: Creativity, Media, Political Economy, Part II
- XI-N-10 Music and Mobility: National and TransAfrican Relationships
- XII-N-11 Popular Engagements with Citizenship (Sponsored by African Literature Association)
- XII-N-12 Oppositional Music, Performance and Technology in Contemporary West Africa

O. Parties, Politics, & Elections

- I-O-1 Transitioning from Autocracy to Democracy – and Back Again? Probing Democratic Backsliding
- I-O-2 The Center Matters, but so Does the Periphery: Urban Governance and Need for Rural Support
- II-O-3 Does Identity Matter? Exploring the Link Between Governance and Representation
- II-O-4 Electoral integrity in the Mozambique 2019 election and the democratization (Sponsored by Lusophone African Studies Organization)
- III-O-5 How has rapid urbanization in Africa re-shaped livelihoods, identities, attitudes, and political support?
- IV-O-6 Politics in the New Gambia: Citizenship, Parties, and the Post-Authoritarian Moment (Sponsored by Sengambian Studies Group)
- V-O-7 New Insights on Africa's Autocratic Past
- V-O-8 Dialogue and negotiation in contemporary Sahelian politics
- VI-O-9 From Caste to Constitutions: How identity categories shape political strategies
- VIII-O-10 Change and Continuities in the 2022 August Kenyan Elections
- VIII-O-11 Democratic Backsliding in Africa? Autocratization, Resilience, and Contention
- IX-O-12 Closing the Gap Between Voters and Government: Social media, Brokers, & the Voting public
- X-O-13 Representation and Exclusion
- XII-O-14 Divvying up Power Among Political Elites: Looking Inside Regimes and the Struggle over Inclusion

P. Peace, Law, & Security

- I-P-1 Examining the state of the African State in the 21st Century, Part I
- II-P-2 Violent conflict in Africa: Trends and possible causes (Sponsored by Central African Studies Association)
- III-P-3 Examining the state of the African State in the 21st Century, Part II
- III-P-4 Seeking Peace, Law & Security in Zimbabwe: what role for the spirits?
- IV-P-5 Conflict Early Warning in the Horn of Africa: CEWARN's Journey
- IV-P-6 Contemporary Legislative & Judicial Questions in Africa
- IV-P-7 Performing Violence: Roundtable on Lee Ann Fujii's "Show Time"

V-P-8	Examining the state of the African State in the 21st Century, Part III
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VII-P-11	Assessing Systems of Justice
VIII-P-12	Governance and Armed Groups
IX-P-13	Muslim Societies and Peacebuilding in Africa
XII-P-14	Strategies in Peacebuilding

Q. Popular Culture and Media

I-Q-1	Asylums, Respectability and the Mediated Colonial Gaze
II-Q-2	Digital Cultures, Voice and (New) Forms of Civic Participation in Africa
V-Q-3	Acrobats, Political Cartoons and State Subsidised Creativity
VI-Q-4	Current African Filmmaking: A Conversation with the ASA Film Award Committee
VI-Q-5	Archives, Collections, and Digital Media as Collaborative Possibilities: Linking Global South and North in an Era of Urban Expansion and Political Insecurity, Part I (Sponsored by Mande Studies Association)
VII-Q-6	Archives, Collections, and Digital Media as Collaborative Possibilities: Linking Global South and North in an Era of Urban Expansion and Political Insecurity, Part II (Sponsored by Mande Studies Association)
VII-Q-7	Fuji: An African Popular Culture (Sponsored by Lagos Studies Association)
VIII-Q-8	Space and Time in African Cinema and Cine-scapes, Vlad Dima, Meaning-Less-Ness: Time, Rhythm, and the Undead in Postcolonial Cinema
IX-Q-9	Narratives of Place: Creativity, Mobility, and the Changing Times in African Literature and Cinema
X-Q-10	Urban Africa and the Covid-19 pandemic
X-Q-11	Worlding Postcolonial Sexualities: Publics, Counterpublics, Human Rights
XI-Q-12	Sarah Maldoror Cinema Tricontinental

R. Religion and Spirituality

I-R-1	Spirituality and Social Evolution
II-R-2	New Trends in the Study of Islam in Africa (Sponsored by Islam in African Studies Group)
III-R-3	Discourses about Identity and Contestation in Muslim Africa
VI-R-4	Archives of Knowledge, Knowledge Archived: Critical Perspectives on Islamic Sources in African Studies and the Politics of their Production (Sponsored by Islam in African Studies Group)
VIII-R-5	Religion and Place-making in the Domestic Diasporas of Senegambia (Sponsored by Sengambian Studies Group)

S. Social Movements, Activism, & Resistance

III-S-2	Maghreb Africain: Revisiting the Post-Colonial, Pan-African Archive of Souffles Journal
IV-S-3	Spear Mandela and the Revolutionaries (Sponsored by <i>African Studies Review</i>)
V-S-4	African Young Women Resist!
V-S-5	Organizing Resistance in the Era of South African Apartheid
VI-S-6	The Heritage of Walter Rodney
VI-S-7	Social Movements, Politics, and the State
VII-S-8	Youth in Africa: Contemporary Challenges and Change
VIII-S-1	Speaking to Others, Speaking for Themselves: African Activists' Use of Radio and Print in the 1950s-70s
VIII-S-9	Non-violent Resistance to Excessive Force by the State in sub-Saharan Africa
VIII-S-10	The Cameroon Anglophone Political Crisis in Historical Perspective (Sponsored by North American Association of Scholars of Cameroon NAASC)
VIII-S-11	Laughing at Power: Humor and Politics in the Social Media Age
IX-S-12	Black Women's Transnational and Local Activism in Mid-Twentieth Century Ghana, the United States, Togo, and South Africa
X-S-13	Pursuing Pleasure amid Challenge: Lessons from East Africa
XI-S-14	The DR Congolese Youth: Mobility, Creativity, and Challenges (Sponsored by Congolese Studies Association)
XII-S-15	The Language, Logics, and Labor of Resistance
XII-S-16	Social movements in a changing Africa: trends and challenges (Sponsored by Central African Studies Association)

T.	Special Topics
I-T-1	Pivoting, Planning, and Publishing in History in Africa (Sponsored by <i>History in Africa</i>)
I-T-2	Nigerian Archival Collections at Home and Abroad: Voices, Politics, and Representations (Sponsored by Lagos Studies Association)
II-T-3	COVID, Gender, and Equity in Academia (Sponsored by ASA Women's Caucus)
III-T-4	Discussion on the Sixth International Congress of African and African Diaspora Studies (ICAADS)
IV-T-5	Elite Africa, Part I: Creativity, Expertise and Power
VI-T-6	Elite Africa, Part II: Political and Economic Elites and Changing Perceptions of Power
VI-T-7	Sports in Africa I: Sports and African Women (Sponsored by Sports Africa)
VII-T-8	Sports in Africa II: Africa in the Boxing Ring (Sponsored by Sports Africa)
VII-T-9	Who Cares About Your Research & Expertise? Continuing the Conversation About Making Your Scholarship Impactful (Sponsored by ASA Outreach Council)
VII-T-10	Mobility and Belonging in Central Africa and Its Diasporas (Sponsored by Central African Studies Association)
VIII-T-11	Cities of the Future: Mapping Africa's Place in History
VIII-T-12	Listening, Teaching, Publishing and Research Collections: Librarians as Leaders and Educators Working for Equity and Advocacy Within African Studies Collaborations (Sponsored by Africana Librarians Council)
VIII-T-13	Publish that Article: Meet the Editors (Sponsored by ASA Board of Directors)
IX-T-14	(WO)MEN THEORISING AND RISING: TARGETING AFRICA'S YOUTH THROUGH COMMUNITY-FOCUSED RESEARCH
IX-T-15	Sports in Africa III: Sports struggles in History (Sponsored by Sports Africa)
IX-T-16	Elite Africa, Part III: Gender, Ritual and Knowledge Production as Sources of Power
IX-T-17	New Horizons in Knowledge Production: Part I (Sponsored by ASA Emerging Scholars Network)
X-T-18	African Urbanities: Mobility, Creativity, & Challenges (Sponsored by the Local Arrangements Committee)
X-T-19	African Studies Keywords: Panel I (Sponsored by <i>African Studies Review</i>)
XI-T-20	African Studies Keywords: Panel II (Sponsored by <i>African Studies Review</i>)
XI-T-21	New Horizons in Knowledge Production: Part II (Sponsored by ASA Emerging Scholars Network)
XI-T-22	Intimate Technologies in Central Africa (Sponsored by Congo Research Network)
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II-U-1	Cyberspace as/in Urban Space: A perspective from Africa

AN.	AfricaNow!
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II-AN-3	Centering African Studies as a Means to Combat the Threats Against Critical Race Theory
II-AN-4	Nigeria's anti-terror war and the rhetoric of US arms embargo
II-AN-5	What is (Neo)Colonial about Global Health? COVAX, Racial Capitalism, Vaccine Inequity, and the Structure of Medical Knowledge During COVID-19
III-AN-6	Climate Change Vulnerability and Involvement: A Gendered Dimension in understanding Pastoralist-Farmer Conflicts in the Sahel
IV-AN-7	Parité Then and Now: Reflections on the Gender Parity Law in Senegal 10 Years After Its Inception (Sponsored by Sengambian Studies Group)
IV-AN-8	The Crises of Democracy, Authoritarianism and Human Security in Africa and the Globalized World
V-AN-9	Masculinity, being "guy", and substance use among young men: an explorative study in Kumasi, Ghana
V-AN-10	Gendered Aspects of National Elections in Africa: New Approaches and Findings
V-AN-11	Electoral politics and democratization within the context of the African Renaissance: The case of Kenya
VI-AN-12	Endemic Laughter: A Provisional Review of COVID-Era Humor Studies in Africa
VII-AN-13	Ethiopia and the Horn in Crises

VIII-AN-14	Outside Africa / Outside the West: Visions and Prospects for Building “African Studies” in the Gulf
VIII-AN-15	Music, Animation, and the Post-Pandemic Life of Digital African Poetry
IX-AN-16	A "Hustler" wins Kenya's 2022 Presidential Elections: Meaning and Implications for Africa
IX-AN-17	Exiles in/and Nation: Space, Gender, Exile and Algeria in Nabil Fares and Taos Amrouche
X-AN-18	Remembering Margaret Jean Hay (Sponsored by ASA Women’s Caucus)
X-AN-19	HIRAK: Tension and Resistance of a democratic movement in Algeria post-Bouteflika
X-AN-20	Will Recent Restrictions on Reproductive Rights in the United States Impact Africa?
XI-AN-21	Repatriation, Restitution, Reparations: New Agreements and Exhibitions of African “Collections” in European Cultural Institutions
XI-AN-22	The Wrinkled faces of the Sahel
XI-AN-23	A Big Blindspot in US Africa Policy: Developments in Ethiopia’s Broader South
XII-AN-24	Mitigating Alcohol Harm in West and East Africa: Advancing the WHO SAFER Priorities by Engaging Stakeholders
XII-AN-25	Understanding the Ethnic tensions in 2020s Ethiopia, Lessons from the 19th century

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Session Schedule

Session I

I-AN-1 AfricaNow!: New Developments in Contemporary African Affairs: the Russia-Ukraine Conflict, Migrant Protests, and Reproductive Rights
Thursday, 11/17/2022, 8:00 AM - 9:45 AM

Room: Conference 408

Group Presentation Chair: Balkissa Daouda Diallo, University of Massachusetts, Boston

Rebecca Yemo, University of Massachusetts, Boston
Dennis Jjuuko, University of Massachusetts, Boston
Amadou Jallow, University of Massachusetts, Boston

I-AN-2 AfricaNow!: Recolonizing Africa: Local People Fighting Governments and Transnational Corporations
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Mariam Kurtz, George Mason University

I-A-1 Situating Africa in the Global Political Economy
Thursday, 11/17/2022, 8:00 AM - 9:45 AM

Room: Conference 404

Chair: Andrew Heffernan, University of Ottawa

Green Global Policy Assemblages: The Challenges and Opportunities of Climate Change for CBNRM in Namibia
Andrew Heffernan, University of Ottawa

Great power competition, natural resource curses, and the environment
John Taden, Pepperdine University

Too Many Bales, Too Little Space: Assessing the Impact of Second-Hand Clothing Trade within African Urbanities
Gloria Donkor, University of Massachusetts – Lowell and
Babajide Tella, Howard University

Combating Corruption in African Countries: Foreign Creditors and Domestic Institutions
Fiona Shen-Bayh, William & Mary and Leonardo Arriola, University of California, Berkeley

Is State "Weakness" the Same in Lusaka and Detroit?: Developing a Grounded Language of Cross-Regional Urban Comparison
Stephen Marr, Malmö University and Patience Mususa, Nordic Africa Institute

I-C-1 Gender Representations, Knowledge Production, and Agency
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Room: Conference 307

Chair: Theresah Addai-Mununkum, University of Cape Coast

Of 'Boss Chickes', 'Slay Queens', and 'Drag Kings': Negotiating Power, Sexuality and Gender in selected Ghanaian movies

Theresah Addai-Mununkum, University of Cape Coast and
Hannah Woode Amissah-Arthur, University of Cape Coast

Exploring Gender in Mozambique Higher Education Curriculum: approaches and perspectives to the integration of feminist theory and pedagogies
Angela Manjichi, Instituto Superior Politécnico de manica

"Why is dis woman here? Is she a man?": Fieldwork in Bastions of Male Dominance
Chika Okoye, Rowan University and Rita Offiaeli, Quinnipiac

"African Women's Agency and Empowerment: Critical Perspectives"
Sita Zougouri, Tanager International & U. of Ouagadougou
And Jean-Marie ZONGO, Tanager International & U. of
Lisala

Becoming an "Empowered Woman": African Girlhood and Development Agendas
Fortunate Kelechi Ekwuruke, Northwestern University and
Sally Nuamah, Northwestern University

I-D-1 Postcolonial future, anticolonial rupture, & decolonial challenges

11/17/2022, 8:00 AM - 9:45 AM

Room: Conference 413

Chair: Doug Leonard, US Air Force Academy

"To see that there is a tomorrow:" Nkrumah, Fanon, and anticolonial rupture's promise beyond cosmopolitanism
David Suell, University of Michigan

Critiquing Representational Thought and the Idea of the Nation-State as a Necessary First Step toward Decolonizing the Postcolonial State in Africa
Tesfaye Wolde-Medhin, University of Illinois at Urbana Champaign
Escape from the Post-Colonial Future: West African Intellectuals and Resistance to the Urban State in the Mid-20th Century
Doug Leonard, US Air Force Academy

I-G-1 Infrastructural Autonomy: the histories and politics of "standalone" provisioning systems

Thursday, 11/17/2022, 8:00 AM - 9:45 AM

Room: Conference 306

Chair: Meredith McKittrick, Georgetown University

The Rail Changed the Land: The Spirit of the Colonial Rail in Tanzania
Samwel Moses Ntapanta, University of Oslo

Fluid Expectations: Wells and Autonomous Water Infrastructure in Nineteenth-Century Durban and Port Elizabeth
Kristin Brig-Ortiz, Johns Hopkins University
The Sisters Electric: Hydropower, Convents, and the Ethics of Infrastructural Autonomy in Tanzania
Michael Degani, Johns Hopkins University

Emalahleni "place of coal": A history of water scarcity and electricity production

I-H-1 Rethinking Education and Adaptability

Thursday, 11/17/2022, 8:00 AM - 9:45 AM

Room: Conference 412

Chair: Kimberly Noronha, University of Pennsylvania

Faculty-led Intercultural and Academic Engagement: The "MTSU History in Senegal" Program

Aliou Ly, Middle Tennessee State University

Problematising globalization, education and development in Kenya: the case of online academic writing.

Verity Norman-Tichawangana, University of Massachusetts, Amherst

Rethinking Development Scholarship: Challenging the Research Complex

Joel Samoff, Stanford University, University of Johannesburg

c to a mainstream method: Lessons from an experiment in remote photovoice in one settlement in Accra, Ghana

Kimberly Noronha, University of Pennsylvania and Nii Kwartelai Quartey, Independent Researcher

I-I-1 Author Meets Critic: An Uneasy Embrace: Africa, India and the Spectre of Race

Thursday, 11/17/2022, 8:00 AM - 9:45 AM

Room: Conference 407

Chair: Hilary Jones, University of Kentucky, Lexington

Book Title: *An Uneasy Embrace: Africa, India and the Spectre of Race*

Author: Shobana Shankar, History and Africana Studies, Stony Brook University (SUNY)

Moses Ochonu, Vanderbilt University

James Brennan, University of Illinois, Urbana-Champaign

Zachariah Mampilly, CUNY Graduate Center/Baruch College

Vivian Lu, Fordham University

I-K-1 The Horn of Africa's Cyclical Violence: Ethiopia's Conflicts in Historical Perspectives

Thursday, 11/17/2022, 8:00 AM - 9:45 AM

Room: Conference 305

Chair: Etana Dinka, James Madison University

The Anatomy of Ethiopia's crises

Aebe Regassa, University of Zurich

Platform technologies' human rights obligations in times of conflict: The de facto regulated state and regulator firm

Kebene Wodajo, University of St. Gallen

Ethiopia's Hidden War in Oromia in Historical Perspectives

Etana Dinka, James Madison University

Discussant: Daniel Ayana, Youngstown State University

I-L-1 Urbanscapes and Feminist Futures in African Art Forms

Thursday, 11/17/2022, 8:00 AM - 9:45 AM

Room: Franklin Hall 12

Chair: Martha Ndakalako, Gustavus Adolphus College

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Breaking Borders: The Unhaunting in Meg Vandermerwe's Zebra Crossing

Tembi Charles, Penn State University

Autobiographical Voices of Jos Women and the Tin Fields: (Re)Creative Narratives

Vashti Suwa Gbolagun, University of Salford

Legacy of Trauma: Finding 'home' in Cherie Jones's How the One-Armed Sister Sweeps Her House

Lafleur Cockburn, University of the West Indies—Cave Hill Campus, Barbados

Vistas from the Bus Stop: De/fragmenting the City in Contemporary Nigerian Art and Literature

Utifon Inyang, University of California, Riverside

Discussant: Lisa Gilman, George Mason University

I-M-1 Subverting Borders: Historical Approaches

Thursday, 11/17/2022, 8:00 AM - 9:45 AM

Room: Conference 410

Chair: Carolyn Hamilton, University of Cape Town

Remembering Fluid Pasts: Freedom and Mobility Before Colonialism

Carolyn Hamilton, University of Cape Town

Traveling Across the Empire: Documenting Identity and Movement through East Africa, 1919-1961

Charlotte Miller, Middle Georgia State University

Inventing a paper-thin border: migration policy as an arena of colonial struggle in Zanzibar

Jodie Marshall, Michigan State University

People on the Move as Evidence in favor of treating South Africa's Coastal Belt as a Single Unit of Historical Analysis

Jochen S Arndt, Virginia Military Institute

I-O-1 Transitioning from Autocracy to Democracy – and Back Again? Probing Democratic Backsliding

Thursday, 11/17/2022, 8:00 AM - 9:45 AM

Room: Conference 303-304

Chair: Lisa Mueller, Macalester College

Longing for a strongman rule in Nigeria

Christopher Akor, The University of Alabama

Big Men or Many Little Men: Reverse Coattails, Presidential Elections, and Electoral Turnovers in African States

Kimberly Shella, Southern Illinois University Carbondale

Democratic Dividends in sub-Saharan Africa: Evidence from South Africa

Amara Galileo, University of Delaware

A Reassessment of Ghana's Democracy

Darko Opoku, Oberlin College

I-O-2 The Center Matters, but so Does the Periphery: Urban Governance and Need for Rural Support

Thursday, 11/17/2022, 8:00 AM - 9:45 AM

Room: Conference 308

Chair: Joan Ricart-Huguet, Loyola University Maryland and Yale University

Private Urbanism and the Spatial Rationalities of Urban Governance

Austin Dziwornu Ablo, University of Ghana

Decentralization in Mozambique: The Green Uprising

Brian Norris, Lincoln University - Missouri

Senegalese Political Leaders Traveling to Small Towns in West Africa:

Mobility as a Mode of Governance around Independence

Susann Baller, MIASA Accra - GHI Paris

'Push-Me, Poll-You': The Political Ping-Pong Over the Polls in Kenya's 2022 Election

Thomas Wolf, Independent Scholar

I-P-1 Examining the state of the African State in the 21st Century, Part I

Thursday, 11/17/2022, 8:00 AM - 9:45 AM

Room: Conference 401-402

Chairs: Nicholas Githuku, CUNY, York College and Tamba Mb'bayo, West Virginia University

Perpetual power and socio-political crises in Central Africa sixty years after independence

Alain-Patrick Loumou Mondoleba, University of Douala

Military Coup d'état and Suffocation of Democratic Governance in Africa

Oluchukwu Onianwa, University of Ibadan

I-Q-1 Asylums, Respectability and the Mediated Colonial Gaze

Thursday, 11/17/2022, 8:00 AM - 9:45 AM

Room: Conference 411

Chair: James Yeku, University of Kansas

Going Left: Psychiatry and Popular Culture in Nigerian Digital Space

Femi Eromosele, University of the Witwatersrand

"Timaya's Music Video, Digital Cooperation, and the Ontology of a Living Archive"

Damilare Bello, Duke University

BBC Africa: A platform for Narrativizing and De(re)constructing African Experience

Adeola Agoke, University of Wisconsin, Madison

"The Whole World be Looking at Us": Global Capitalism and Pan-African Identity

Grace Adeniyi-Ogunyankin, Queen's University

I-R-1 Spirituality and Social Evolution

Thursday, 11/17/2022, 8:00 AM - 9:45 AM

Room: Conference 405

Chair: Anika Wilson, University of Wisconsin, Milwaukee

"For You To Conquer, You Need To Be Meek": Prophets, Profit and Pilgrimage

Anika Wilson, University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee

The puzzle of ngozi wives: troubling gendered tropes and excavating patriarchal creep in Zimbabwean spirit beliefs

Diana Jeater, University of Liverpool

Public Confessions and the Layered Meanings in Eastern Zimbabwe

Aldrin Tinashe Magaya, DePauw University

ÒKÙKÙ NWÀAMADÌ: RITUAL SYMBOLISM AND MUSICAL ARTS AMONG THE PEOPLE OF NDOKI

Ubochi Igboke, University of Colorado Boulder

Mapping the Trends and Trajectories of Human Ritual Killings in Nigeria

Abiola Victoria Ayodokun, University of Ibadan

I-T-1 Roundtable: Pivoting, Planning, and Publishing in History in Africa

Thursday, 11/17/2022, 8:00 AM - 9:45 AM

Room: Franklin Hall 11

Chair: Lorelle Semley, College of the Holy Cross

Carina Ray, Brandeis University

Susan Gagliardi, Emory University

Matthew Bender, College of New Jersey

Mariana Candido, Emory University

Bayo Holsey, Emory University

I-T-2 Nigerian Archival Collections at Home and

Abroad: Voices, Politics, and Representations

Thursday, 11/17/2022, 8:00 AM - 9:45 AM

Room: Salon K

Chair: Adewumi Adebayo, York University

Sponsored by: Lagos Studies Association

Israel State Archives and New Insights into the History of Nigeria's First Republic

Lynn Schler, Ben Gurion University of the Negev

Archives for Nigerian History in Britain: Past, Present, and Future

Tim Livsey, Northumbria University

Nigerian History through the Rockefeller Foundation Archives in the United States

Adedamola Adetiba, Rhodes University

Archives and Nationalism: Nnamdi Azikiwe, Pan Africanism, and Nigeria's Historical Documentation

Mark Reeves, Samford University

Discussant: Oghenetoja Okoh, Loyola University Maryland

Session II

II-AN-3 AfricaNow!: Centering African Studies as a Means to Combat the Threats Against Critical Race Theory

Thursday, 11/17/2022, 10:15 AM - 12:00 PM

Room: Conference 408

Chair: Kiesha Warren-Gordon, Ball State University

Emily Rutter, Ball State University

Angela Jackson-Brown, Indiana University

II-AN-4 AfricaNow!: Nigeria's anti-terror war and the rhetoric of US arms embargo

Thursday, 11/17/2022, 10:15 AM - 12:00 PM

Room: Conference 409

Azeez Olaniyan, Federal University, Oye Ekiti

II-AN-5 AfricaNow!: What is (Neo)Colonial about Global Health? COVAX, Racial Capitalism, Vaccine Inequity, and the Structure of Medical Knowledge During COVID-19

Thursday, 11/17/2022, 10:15 AM - 12:00 PM

Room: Conference 413

Vincenza Mazzeo, Johns Hopkins University

II-A-2 The External Factor in Sudanese Politics

Thursday, 11/17/2022, 10:15 AM - 12:00 PM

Room: Conference 410

Chair: Abigail Kabandula, University of Denver

Remaking Sudan: Foreign Policy of the Longest Serving regimes in Sudan

Abdulrazik Mohamed, Florida International University

A scramble for Sudan? Explaining the key drivers and influence of Saudi Arabia and United Arab Emirates on Khartoum between 2010-2020.

Abigail Kabandula, University of Denver

"Declaring Jihad against the Infidels"- The Relationships Between Darfur Sultanate and Ottoman Empire during WWI

Ali Dinar, University of Pennsylvania

II-E-1 Roundtable: Africanist Ethnographies of Care and Repair in Times of Crisis

Thursday, 11/17/2022, 10:15 AM - 12:00 PM

Room: Conference 412

Chairs: Marissa Mika, University of California Berkeley and Betsey Brada, Reed College

Jacob Doherty, University of Edinburgh

Lauren Carruth, American University

Nana Osei Quarshie, Yale University

II-F-1 Landscapes of Ecological Governance & Conservation

Thursday, 11/17/2022, 10:15 AM - 12:00 PM

Room: Conference 407

Chair: Jacqueline Ignatova, Appalachian State University

Women's ecological governance of tree and seed commons in northern Ghana

Jacqueline Ignatova, Appalachian State University

Deification of Trees and other Forest Resource: Strategy for Environmental Conservation in Oke-Ogun Area of Oyo State, Nigeria

Abiola Victoria Ayodokun and Osuolale Joseph Ayodokun, University of Ibadan

Land right politics and environmental justice in Northwest Cameroon

Richard Mbih, Penn State University

Indigenous Perspectives on Environmental Justice in Building Sustainable Communities in Southern Nigeria

Ifedayo Kehinde, University of Wisconsin Milwaukee, Joy Ofuokwu, Southern Illinois University, and Nnamdi Nkwuka, Independent Scholar

Coexistence with lions, leopards, and hyenas in and around Akagera National Park, Rwanda

Adrian Treves, Drew Bantlin and Lisa Naughton, University of Wisconsin-Madison

II-G-2 African Neoliberalisms: New Configurations between Labor and Finance

Thursday, 11/17/2022, 10:15 AM - 12:00 PM

Room: Conference 405

Chairs: Nicholas Abrams and Sarah O'Sullivan, University of Toronto

Labor markets, mafia tactics, and political conspiracies in the South African construction industry

Nicholas Abrams, University of Toronto

Neoliberal imaginaries and women artisanal gold miners in Kenya, Mozambique, and Sierra Leone

Blair Rutherford, Carleton University and Doris Buss, Carleton University

Speculating neoliberal "success": HIV and financialization in post-conflict northern Uganda

Sarah O'Sullivan, University of Toronto

'Politics does not bring food on the table': Challenges to collective action in ride hailing in Kenya

Julie Zollmann, The Fletcher School, Tufts University

Discussant: Anne-Maria Makhulu, Duke University

II-J-1 Making History, Memory, and Medicine

Thursday, 11/17/2022, 10:15 AM - 12:00 PM

Room: Conference 411

Chair: Jonathan Roberts, Mount Saint Vincent University

Africanus Medicus - James Beale Horton and Medical Research in Africa

Jonathan Roberts, Mount Saint Vincent University and
Oluwatoyin Oduntan, Towson University

Sierra Leone and British Colonial Health Policies: 'Health Segregation,' Scientific Missions, and Indigenous Responses, 1900-1939
Tamba M'bayo, West Virginia University

Medicine for a Multiracial Nation: A Surgeon's Diary and the Constitution of New Political Subjects in Kenya
Vincent Ogoti, University of Wisconsin-Madison

"That was a war among brothers": Revisiting the Mozambican Civil War From Below
Daria Trentini, Drake University

'Stegomyia' Becomes a Household Name: Dengue Fever, Aedes aegypti, and Tropical Unruliness in Early Twentieth Century Durban, South Africa
Philip Rotz, Boston University

II-M-2 Africa-China engagements, Part One: Sino-African Mobilities and Chains of Connection and Dislocation

Thursday, 11/17/2022, 10:15 AM - 12:00 PM

Room: Salon L

Chair: Tu Huynh, Jinan University

Sponsored by: Chinese in Africa/Africans in China Research Network

Commercial aesthetics and embodied geopolitics along China-Nigeria commodity routes
Vivian Lu, Fordham University

Triggering delayed transition: A life history analysis of racialised epidemic management and return migration along Nigeria-China migration corridor
Kudus Oluwatoyin Adebayo, University of Witwatersrand

Dislocated Trade in Kinshasa, DRC and Traders' Emergent Strategies
Lesley Braun, University of Basel

Discussant: Naaborle Sackeyfio, Miami University

II-N-2 Music, Relationality, and Visual Representations of Africa

Thursday, 11/17/2022, 10:15 AM - 12:00 PM

Room: Conference 306

Chair: Edward Miner, Library of Congress

Turning Minstrelsy on its Head: Hampton, Lovedale, and the Virginia Jubilee Singers in South Africa
Lindsay Michie, University of Lynchburg

"Addis Ababa is a Bubble": Atmospheric Relations in Ethiopia's Electronic Music Parties

John Walsh, University of California, Berkeley

Representations of African urbanities in Soviet Lithuanian children's visual culture

Karina Simonson, Vilnius Academy of Arts

The African Historical Postcard Collection at the Library of Congress
Edward Miner, Library of Congress

II-O-3 Does Identity Matter? Exploring the Link Between Governance and Representation

Thursday, 11/17/2022, 10:15 AM - 12:00 PM

Room: Conference 307

Chair: Ellen Lust, University of Gothenburg

Gender Quotas and the Sustainable Representation of Women in South Africa's Local Elections
Safia Farole, Portland State University

Representation and Reelection in Sub-Saharan Africa
Nikolaos Frantzeskakis, Michigan State University

Markets and Minorities: Ethnicity and Marketplace Governance in Lagos, Nigeria

Adrienne LeBas, American University and Jessica Gottlieb, University of Houston

Party Label Formation and Ethnic Politics in Kenya
Kirk Harris, Susquehanna University

II-O-4 Electoral integrity in the Mozambique 2019 election and the democratization

Thursday, 11/17/2022, 10:15 AM - 12:00 PM

Room: Conference 308

Chair: Nuno Vidal, Center for International Studies - Lisbon University Institute

Sponsored by: Lusophone African Studies Organization

Changing patterns of electoral fraud in Mozambique - the authoritarian state on benefit of the ruling party
Borges Nhamirre, Center for Public Integrity - Mozambique

Exploring gender dynamics and diversity in the 2019 Mozambique electoral scrutiny
Judite Chipenembe, University Eduardo Mondlane

Elections in Sub-Saharan Africa: citizens, institutions and electoral integrity
Cristina Udelsmaan Rodrigues, Nordic Africa Institute

Discussant: Anne Pitcher, University of Michigan

II-P-2 Violent Conflict in Africa: Trends and Possible Causes

Thursday: 11/17/2022, 10:15 AM - 12:00 PM

Room: Salon K

Chair: Jason Stearns, Simon Fraser University

Sponsored by: Central Africa Studies Association

Africa's Local Violent Competitions

Clionadh Raleigh, University of Sussex

Extreme ways are back again: The Islamic State's rise in Africa

Jason Warner, United States Military Academy West Point

Structural Forces and Organized Violence in 21st Century Africa

Paul Williams, George Washington University

Toward symbiosis? The shifting interests of states and armed groups

Jason Stearns, Simon Fraser University

Discussant: Zachariah Mampilly, City University of New York

II-Q-2 Digital Cultures, Voice and (New) Forms of Civic Participation in Africa

Thursday, 11/17/2022, 10:15 AM - 12:00 PM

Room: Franklin Hall 12

Chair: Duncan Omanga, Social Science Research Council

Digital Spaces, Democracy and Local/Diaspora Voices in Ghana

Charles Prempeh, Kwame Nkrumah University, Ghana

Citizen's Collective Post-#ENDSARS Organizing: Lessons and Opportunities for Future Governance in Nigeria

Toyin Ajao, IAFrika

A Revolution from the Centre: The role of digital culture in promoting resistance during Uprising in Sudan 2018-2022

Bakhit Mohammed, University of Khartoum

Digital cultures, voice, and civic participation towards 2025 general election; Insights from CHADEMA Tanzania

Theresia Mvungi, University of Dodoma

Discussant: Job Mwaura, University of Cape Town

II-R-2 New Trends in the Study of Islam in Africa

Thursday, 11/17/2022, 10:15 AM - 12:00 PM

Room: Conference 403

Chair: Kimberly Wortmann, Wake Forest University

Sponsored by: Islam in Africa Studies Group

Al-Azhar reforms and West African students (1870s-1920s)

Siga Maguiraga, European University Institute (Florence, Italy)

Islam in Southern Africa - Al-Qalam: An Alternative Muslim Voice in the Press

Imraan Buccus, Durban University of Technology/School for International Training

The Test of Waiting: Patience, Piety, and Power in Zanzibar

Tanvi Kapoor, New York University

Slavery in Islam between Western Scholarship and Muslim Liberation Theologies

May Kosba, Graduate Theological Union

Discussant: Kimberly Wortmann, Wake Forest University

II-T-3 Roundtable: COVID, Gender, and Equity in Academia

Thursday, 11/17/2022, 10:15 AM - 12:00 PM

Room: Franklin Hall 11

Chair: Harmony O'Rourke, Pitzer College

Sponsored by: ASA Women's Caucus

Anita Plummer, Howard University

Tshepo Masango Chéry, University of Houston

Beth Ann Williams, Susquehanna University

II-U-1 Cyberspace as/in Urban Space: A perspective from Africa

Thursday, 11/17/2022, 10:15 AM - 12:00 PM

Room: Conference 401-402

Chair: Jia Hui Lee, Massachusetts Institute of Technology

Digital Futurity and African Urbanity: A case study of AI in regional innovation centers

Yousif Hassan, York University

"This is the only way to go": Counterfeit and Certificated Subjectivities in Urban Kenya

Junnan Mu, Harvard University

Laughter in the City: Urbicide, Humor and Power in Harare

Florence Zivaishé Madenga, University of Pennsylvania

Mapping Digital Inequities: An Intersectional Afro-Feminist Analysis of Ghanaian Women's Digital Practices

Janet Kwami, Furman University

Discussant: Jessica Dickson, Anthropology, Florida Atlantic University

Session III

III-AN-6 AfricaNow!: Climate Change Vulnerability and Involvement: A Gendered Dimension in understanding Pastoralist-Farmer Conflicts in the Sahel

Thursday, 11/17/2022, 1:30 PM - 3:15 PM

Room: Conference 409

Group Presentation Chair: Olajumoke Ayandele, New York University

Mary Anne Iwara, Institute for Peace and Conflict Resolution, Ministry of Foreign Affairs. Nigeria

III-A-3 Africa-China Engagements, Part Two: African agency and Chinese drivers of growth & transformation

Thursday, 11/17/2022, 1:30 PM - 3:15 PM

Room: Salon L

Chair: Yoon Jung Park, Georgetown University

Drivers of Growth in Africa? Revisiting China-Africa Economic Relationships

Alice Sindzingre, Paris-North Economics Centre & Sciences
Po-Bordeaux-CNRS

Win-Win? Chinese Health Funding in Africa: The untold story
Ammar A. Malik and Carrie B. Dolan, et al, AidData, William
& Mary

*Cabo Verde-China Relations: How Can a Small State Navigate
between Great Powers*
Jean-Pierre Cabestan, French National Center for Scientific
Research & Hong Kong Baptist University

*China's Trade and Investment Engagement with Nigeria: A
Qualitative Frame Analysis of Newspaper Reportage*
Victor C. Eze, French Institute for Research in Africa,
University of Ibadan

Discussant: Kwame Adovor Tsikudo, Augustana College

III-C-2 Historicizing Women in Africa
Thursday, 11/17/2022, 1:30 PM - 3:15 PM
Room: Conference 405
Chair: Carrie Reiling, Washington College

*A History of Namibian Feminist Resistance: #ShutItAllDown
(2020) and Its Antecedents*
Martha Ndakalako, Gustavus Adolphus College

*Beyond Nyerere's Self-reliance: Women Empowerment in Tanzanian
Context*
Ayub Mwampela, Duquesne University

*Feminist, Socialist, Militant, African: Jeanne Martin Cissé as a
"Founding Mother"*
Carrie Reiling, Washington College

**III-C-3 Poetry on Crisis and Beauty: A Reading and
Discussion with Four African Women Poets**
Thursday, 11/17/2022, 1:30 PM - 3:15 PM
Room: Conference 308
Chair: Wangui wa Goro, SOAS
Sponsored by: ASA Women's Caucus

"A Conversation Between War and Words: Poetry as Witness"
Patricia Jabbeh Wesley, Penn State Altoona

"Mother Tongues"
Tsitsi Jaji, Duke University

"an/ other pastoral"
Tjawangwa Dema, University of Bristol

"The History of Intimacy"
Gabeba Baderoon, Penn State

Discussant: Wangui wa Goro, SOAS

**III-D-2 Connecting Space & Challenging the State:
Politics of Knowledge in the African World**
Thursday, 11/17/2022, 1:30 PM - 3:15 PM

Room: Conference 306

Chair: Carly Lucas, University of Wisconsin, Madison and
Bright Gyami, Northwestern University

Limits of Revolutionary Knowledge Production under the Nation-State
Carly Lucas, University of Wisconsin, Madison

Nkrumahist Scholars and the Project of Black Studies
Bright Gyami, Northwestern University

*Animated Corpses: Martyrology and the Invention of the Parrhesiastic
Body in African and Caribbean Historical Drama*
Vincent Ogoti, University of Wisconsin, Madison

Discussant: Harry Odamtten, Santa Clara University

**III-E-2 Accumulation and Contested Logics of
Governance in East Africa**
Thursday, 11/17/2022, 1:30 PM - 3:15 PM
Room: Conference 413
Chair: Brian Klein, University of Michigan

Cannabis in Kenya
Samson Ndanyi, Rhodes College

*Beyond Enclosure: Strategies of Exploitation and Accumulation in
Madagascar's Mineral Commons*
Brian Klein, University of Michigan

Crimes Against Economy: Accusation & Ethics in 1970s Uganda
Kevin Donovan, University of Edinburgh

**III-G-3 Political Engagement and Authority in African
Societies**
Thursday, 11/17/2022, 1:30 PM - 3:15 PM
Room: Conference 412
Chair: Natalie Letsa, University of Oklahoma

*Colonial Legacies and Local Collective Efficacy: Evidence from the
Togo-Ghana Border*
Natalie Letsa, University of Oklahoma and Martha Wilfahrt,
University of California Berkeley

*Authority and Mobilization: The Role of Leader Influence, Centrality
and Domain Congruence on Campaign Participation in Zambia*
Prisca Jöst, University of Konstanz and Ellen Lust, University
of Gothenburg

Effects of education on political engagement in rural Burkina Faso
Michael Kevane, Santa Clara University and Elodie Djemai,
Université Paris-Dauphine

Taxation in Africa
Adeyinka Charles Olatunde, NAVPAV and Deborah Uyai
Olatunde, NAVPAV

**III-G-4 Youth, Urban Mobilities and the COVID-19
Pandemic: Emerging Trajectories for Peace and
Development in Africa**
Thursday, 11/17/2022, 1:30 PM - 3:15 PM

Room: Franklin Hall 12

Chair: Cyril Obi, Social Science Research Council

Invisible Urbanites: Displaced Youth Mobility and Imperatives for Development, Peace, and Security in Nigeria

Irene Mngutyo, Benue State University, Nigeria

Navigating a Complex Space: Youth, Urban Mobility and Marginality in COVID-19 Affected Sierra Leone

Ibrahim Bangura, Fourah Bay College, University of Sierra Leone

Negotiating Livelihoods in Pandemic Times: Experiences of Urban Youth in the Informal Economy in Zimbabwe

Simbarashe Gukurume, Sol Plaatje University, South Africa

The Fight against COVID-19: Youth and the Emerging Trajectories for Peace and Development in Urban Spaces in Uganda

Robert Ojambo, Kyambogo University, Uganda

Discussant: Amanda Coffie, University of Ghana

III-H-2 Recuperating and Reconstituting Knowledge: Indigeneity and Digitalization

Thursday, 11/17/2022, 1:30 PM - 3:15 PM

Room: Conference 414-415

Chair: Serah Shani, Mercy College

Indigenous parents in urban areas: Exposures, challenges and creativity in raising their children

Serah Shani, Mercy College

"Knowledge on Wheels": An Anti-colonial and African Feminist Approach to Indigenizing Education in Ghana.

Phyllis Kyei Mensah, Miami University

Creating a multilingual, transnational digital hub for creators of literacy materials for pre K-12 readers in underserved African minority languages

Beth Samuelson, Dorcas Miao, and Clexy Fernandez, Indiana University Bloomington

African Primary Resources Collections: Digitization and Repatriation

Elisha Chiware, Cape Peninsula University of Technology
Stephen Rhind-Tutt, President, Coherent Digital

III-I-2 Identities, Nation-Building, and Belonging in Africa and its Diasporas

Thursday, 11/17/2022, 1:30 PM - 3:15 PM

Room: Conference 411

Chair: Nada M. Ali, University of Massachusetts Boston

"That's their history, not ours": Intergenerational Memory and the Politics of Marriage in Post-Genocide Rwanda

Zoe Berman, University of Chicago

Kufanya Uzalendo: Public Education and Nation-Building in Tanzania and Kenya

Mary Victoria Gorham, Millsaps College

Be-Longing and Placemaking Within Diasporic Communities from Ethiopia in Los Angeles County

Eden Mekonen, Pennsylvania State University

Racial identities in authoritarian Arab(-ized) states: the case of Nubians in Egypt and Tuaregs in Algeria

Ilyssa Yahmi, Temple University

III-J-2 Seeing, Measuring, and Governing Illness and Disease

Thursday, 11/17/2022, 1:30 PM - 3:15 PM

Room: Conference 408

Chair: Catherine van de Ruit, Ursinus College

Rituals of Coherence: Networked Governance in South African AIDS care

Catherine van de Ruit, Ursinus College

Risk Infrastructure and Epidemiological Obfuscation in Epidemics

John Aggrey, Virginia Tech

Living with lymphatic filariasis: the multiple roots of stigma

Alexander Kwarteng, Kwame Nkrumah University of Science and Technology, Jonathan Roberts, Mount Saint Vincent University, and Kristi Kenyon, University of Winnipeg

Psychophysiological Symptoms as Predictors of Depression Among Institutionalized Persons in Nigeria: The Moderating Role of Social Support

Anthonia Nwatu, Enugu State University of Science and Technology (ESUT) Agbani

III-K-3 US/East Africa Historical Entanglements since the 1980s

Thursday, 11/17/2022, 1:30 PM - 3:15 PM

Room: Conference 307

Chair: Lynn Thomas, University of Washington

"Call to Brotherhood: The Nation of Islam and the Sudan"

Christopher Tounsel, University of Washington

"The Word Means 'Love': Transnational institutional ties between American churches and Kenyan faith-based orphan charities"

Andreana Prichard, University of Oklahoma

"From North Carolina to Nairobi's Ward 6: Abortion Provision and Politics between the United States and Kenya"

Lynn M. Thomas, University of Washington

Discussant: Benjamin Talton, Howard University

III-M-3 Fiction & Migration, Part I: Oceanic Cartographies

Thursday, 11/17/2022, 1:30 PM - 3:15 PM

Room: Conference 410

Chair: Therese De Raedt, University of Utah

From the City to the Sea: Mati Diop's Atlantics and Ecstatic Living
Kevin Irakoze, The University of Chicago

Challenges, Mobility and Creativity at the Moroccan Beaches
Therese De Raedt, University of Utah

Interstitial Spaces and Migrant Mobilities
Joelle Vitiello, Macalester College

III-N-3 Roundtable: Senegalese popular music today: mobility, diaspora, and civic engagement
Thursday, 11/17/2022, 1:30 PM - 3:15 PM
Room: Salon K
Chair: Bamba Ndiaye, Cornell University
Sponsored by: Senegambian Studies Group

Catherine Appert, Cornell University
Patricia Tang, MIT
Timothy Mangin, Boston College

III-O-5 How has rapid urbanization in Africa re-shaped livelihoods, identities, attitudes, and political support?
Thursday, 11/17/2022, 1:30 PM - 3:15 PM
Room: Conference 403
Chair: M Anne Pitcher, University of Michigan

Capitalism unbound and the dual transformation of urban and rural life
Zachariah Mampilly, City University of New York

The Politics of DIY Urbanism on Zambia's Copperbelt
Patience Mususa, The Nordic Africa Institute

Urban-Rural Linkages, Ethnic Orientation, and Political Behavior in Kenya
Rachel Riedl, Cornell University and Amanda Robinson, Ohio State University

City limits? Urban politics and support for opposition parties in Africa
Peter Penar, Davidson College and Nic Cheeseman, University of Birmingham

Discussant: Amanda Hammar, University of Copenhagen

III-P-3 Examining the state of the African State in the 21st Century, Part II
Thursday, 11/17/2022, 1:30 PM - 3:15 PM
Room: Conference 401-402
Chairs: Nicholas Githuku, CUNY, York College and Tamba Mbayo, West Virginia University

From African Peer Review Mechanism (APRM) to an Exclusive Club of Inscrutable Peers
Nicholas Githuku, CUNY, York College

What Determines the Propensity of Multinational Corporations to Interfere in Domestic Politics? A Case study of Shell Oil Establishment in Nigeria
Charles Mwanzia, IDM International Consultancy Ltd

Military Coups, Presidential Mandates, and the Future of Democracy in West Africa
Tamba M'bayo, West Virginia University

Inequality-eradication Schemes in Deportations Involving Nigeria, 1999-2021
Nicholas Githuku, Olabisi Onabanjo University

The Higs and Lows of Malawi's Democratic Dispensation: Late 1980s – Present
Paul Banda, Tarleton State University

III-P-4 Seeking Peace, Law & Security in Zimbabwe: what role for the spirits?
Thursday, 11/17/2022, 1:30 PM - 3:15 PM
Room: Conference 404
Chair: Takesure Taringana, University of Zimbabwe

Reconstructing Spirit Beliefs & Practices in the conceptualization of Peace, Law and Security in Zimbabwe
Takesure Taringana and Amos Zevure, University of Great Zimbabwe

Chiefs, Diviners and the Colonial Law: Disruptive Spirits in Inheritance Dispute Resolution in Melsetter District, 1893-1900
Mellisa Chipso Kaliofasi, Great Zimbabwe University and University of Liverpool

Deterrents against conflict; spirits, rituals and charms in Zimbabwe's artisanal gold mining sector since 1980
Nyasha Blessed Bushu, University of the Free State

Discussant: Diana Jeater, University of Liverpool

III-R-3 Discourses about Identity and Contestation in Muslim Africa
Thursday, 11/17/2022, 1:30 PM - 3:15 PM
Room: Conference 407
Chair: Maria Grosz-Ngate, Indiana University

Aroloya Mosque and Ahmadiyya in colonial Lagos
Zheyuan Deng, University of Florida

The Tarikha Qadiriyya of Ndiassane, Senegal, and its Development as a Transregional Religious Center
Maria Grosz-Ngate, Indiana University

Developing Religion: NGOs and the Creation of Religious Authority in Rural Tanzania
Mohamed Rafiq, New York University

Negotiating Shi'i identity in Senegal
Dahlia El Zein, University of Pennsylvania

III-S-2 Maghreb African: Revisiting the Post-Colonial, Pan-African Archive of Souffles Journal
Thursday, 11/17/2022, 1:30 PM - 3:15 PM
Room: Conference 305
Chair: Touria Khannous, Louisiana State University

A Luta Continua: A Quick History of Tri-Continental and Pan-African Writing in North Africa
Hisham Aidi, Columbia University

Migration, Racism and Contemporary Notions of Belonging in Morocco
Maha Marouan, Pennsylvania State University

Decolonial: The Africanist Legacy of Fatema Mernissi
Zakia Salime, Rutgers University

Revisiting Abraham Serfaty's Imagined Community
Aomar Boum, University of California Los Angeles

III-T-4 Roundtable: Discussion on the Sixth International Congress of African and African Diaspora Studies (ICAADS)
Thursday, 11/17/2022, 1:30 PM - 3:15 PM
Room: Franklin Hall 11

Jean Allman, The Africa Institute
Robert Trent Vinson, University of Virginia
Akosua Adomako Ampofo, University of Ghana

Session IV

IV-AN-7 AfricaNow!: Parité Then and Now: Reflections on the Gender Parity Law in Senegal 10 Years After Its Inception
Thursday, 11/17/2022, 3:45 PM - 5:30 PM
Room: Conference 409
Group Presentation Chair: Emily Jenan Riley, El Colegio de México
Sponsored by: Senegambian Studies Group

Ousmane Sène, West African Research Center/West African Research Association

IV-AN-8 AfricaNow!: The Crises of Democracy, Authoritarianism and Human Security in Africa and the Globalized World
Thursday: 11/17/2022, 3:45 PM - 5:30 PM
Room: Conference 308
Group Presentation Chair: Alem Hailu, Howard University

Mohamed Camara, Howard University
Anita Plummer, Howard University
Florie Bugarin, Howard University
Wheeler Winstead, Howard University

IV-A-5 African Cities and African Citizens: A Comparative Assessment of Opportunities, Challenges, and Potentials of Urbanization across Africa
Thursday, 11/17/2022, 3:45 PM - 5:30 PM
Room: Conference 306
Chair: Samantha Lakin, Clark University

The images of gender and environmental sustainability in sacred Yorùbá orature
T. Bernard Oluwabunmi, Obafemi Awolowo University

Can Inclusive Cities Prevent the Next Pandemic?: (Re) Emerging Diseases in the Context of Rural-Urban Linkages

Tolulope Osayomi, University of Ibadan

Diversity, Reconciliation, and Sustainable Peace: Creating Shared Identity After Conflict in Kampala and Kigali
Samantha Lakin, Clark University

Discussant: Jacob Olupona, Harvard University

IV-A-4 African Diplomacy: Unique or Part of the Global?

Thursday: 11/17/2022, 3:45 PM - 5:30 PM

Room: Conference 411

Chair: Frank Gerits, Utrecht University

The Ideological Scramble for Africa, 1945-1966
Frank Gerits, Utrecht University

Outside the "Family of Nations": Africa, World War I and Diplomacy
Michelle Moyd, Indiana University

Competing Pan-African visions: Nkrumah and Nasser
Matteo Grilli, University of the Free State, Bloemfontein, South Africa

A Short Diplomatic History of the Senegambia Confederation, 1982-1989
Mark Deets, The American University in Cairo

Discussant: Nana Osei-Opere, Fordham University

IV-B-1 African and Malagasy Diasporas in the Indian Ocean

Thursday, 11/17/2022, 3:45 PM - 5:30 PM

Room: Conference 405

Chair: Jane Hooper, George Mason University

The Body as Material Evidence: As Mnemonic Object
Wendy Wilson-Fall, Lafayette College

The Case of the Collector (1800): Illicit Slave Trading at the Cape of Good Hope at the Turn of the Nineteenth Century
Michael Charles Reidy, Free University, Amsterdam

Islands of Unfreedom in the Indian Ocean
Jane Hooper, George Mason University

Liberated Africans in the Seychelles, 1861-1894
Matthew S. Hopper, History Department, Cal Poly, San Luis Obispo

Discussant: Richard Allen, Editor, Ohio University Press

IV-C-4 Issues and Changing Values in Marriage and Sexual Relationships: Impact on People and Cultures of Rural and Urban Settings in Africa and Beyond

Thursday, 11/17/2022, 3:45 PM - 5:30 PM

Room: Conference 413

Chair: Ezinwanyi Adam, Babcock University and Onyinyechi Nancy Nwaolike, University of East Anglia

Envisaging Marriage in Trans-local and Transnational African and African Diaspora Spaces
Jackline Kirungi, University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee

Goldmining relationship among spouses in contemporary African households: impact on people and cultures in rural and urban Africa and the Diaspora
Ezinwanyi Adam, Babcock University and Onyinyechi Nancy Nwaolikpe, University of East Anglia

Women in Social Movements in Nigeria: Case Study of the ENDSARS Movement
Chiedo Nwankwor, Johns Hopkins University

Language as a Veritable Tool for Conflict in Marriage and Other Sexual Relationships: Analyzing Post Covid 19 Lockdown Experiences in Nigeria.
Ngozi Gift Okata and Ezinwanyi Adam, Babcock University

Discussants: Nnenna Lucy Chiemeka, Babcock University and Chioma Ikechi-Ekpendu, University of Lincoln

IV-C-5 Gendering African Sexualities and Erotics

Thursday, 11/17/2022, 3:45 PM - 5:30 PM

Room: Conference 414-415

Chair: Martha Ndakalako, Gustavus Adolphus College

Un-gendering Africa: Expansive Representations of Queer Bodies and Sexualities in Nigerian Literature
Ogochukwu Ngwudike, University of Kansas

Desiring Women in Dakar: Kalista Sy's Mistress of a Married Man, Marie Ká's The Other Woman, and Fatou Touré Ndiaye's The Promise
Molly Enz, South Dakota State University

Selling Eroticism: Senegalese Urban Sexualities and the Economy of Jongé
Astou Fall Gueye, University of Wisconsin-Madison

The Wo/man, Her Body, His Spirit: Reading Agency in Léonora Miano's La saison de l'ombre (2013)
Nnenna Onyima, University of Virginia

IV-K-4 Black Men and Women in the Maghrib

Thursday, 11/17/2022, 3:45 PM - 5:30 PM

Room: Salon K

Chair: Paraska Tolan-Szkilnik, Suffolk University

Claude McKay's Sojourns in Morocco
Paraska Tolan-Szkilnik, Suffolk University

New racial associations of Black African migrants in the Maghreb
Ampson Hagan, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill

Forgettable Black Bodies: Boujamâa Hebbaz and the Racial Politics of Amnesia in Morocco
Brahim El Guabli, Williams College

E(race)ing Black Tunisians: Patronymic Names and the Semantics of blackness
Afifa Ltifi, Cornell University

IV-K-5 Confinement in West African History and Society

Thursday, 11/17/2022, 3:45 PM - 5:30 PM

Room: Conference 303-304

Chair: Allen Isaacman, University of Minnesota, University of Western Cape

Spiritual Panning: Confining Mad Slaves in 19th Century Accra
Nana Osei Quarshie, Yale University

Prison of the Womb: Gender, Slavery & Incarceration in the Gold Coast
Sarah Balakrishnan, University of Minnesota, Twin Cities

The Hospital-Prison: Birthing, Mothering & Global Clinical Debt Imprisonment
Alissa Jordan and Kakudji Yumba Pascal, University of Lubumbashi

Discussant: Allen Isaacman, University of Minnesota, Twin Cities

IV-P-5 Roundtable: Conflict Early Warning in the Horn of Africa: CEWARN's Journey

Thursday, 11/17/2022, 3:45 PM - 5:30 PM

Room: Conference 404

Chair: Camlus Omogo, CEWARN

Camlus Omogo, Director, CEWARN
Tigist Hailu, Communications lead for CEWARN and
IGAD's Peace and Security Division

IV-P-6 Contemporary Legislative & Judicial Questions in Africa

Thursday, 11/17/2022, 3:45 PM - 5:30 PM

Room: Conference 412

Chair: Anatoli Ignatov, Appalachian State University

Killing Masked Spirits: The Rise of "Native" Courts and the Fall of Indigenous Igbo Ones
Tara Hollies, Macalester College

Assessing Legislative Productivity in Sub-Saharan Africa: Lessons from Ghana and South Africa
Maxwell Nimako, West Virginia University

From Sacrifice to Ground Rent: Neoliberal Reinventions of Customary Law in Ghana
Anatoli Ignatov, Appalachian State University

IV-T-5 Roundtable: Elite Africa, Part I: Creativity, Expertise and Power

Thursday, 11/17/2022, 3:45 PM - 5:30 PM

Room: Conference 401-402

Chair: Wisdom Tettey, University of Toronto

Antoinette Handley, University of Toronto

Dickson Eyoh, University of Toronto
Peter Lewis, Johns Hopkins University
Landry Signé, Thunderbird School of Global Management
and the Brookings Institution
Thomas Ticku, Kings College, University of Western Ontario

IV-N-4 Examining Aural Collectivity in Uganda

Thursday: 11/17/2022, 3:45 PM - 5:30 PM

Room: Conference 407

Chair: Charles Lwanga, University of Michigan

Singing the Reign: Recollecting the Past, Negotiating an Audible Buganda

Charles Lwanga, University of Michigan

Music, Indigenous Tourism, and Cultural Rights: The Case of the Batwa People of Uganda

Andrew Kagumba, Memorial University of Newfoundland

Musicking With COVID-19: Creativity and Career Aspirations of Emerging Popular Musicians in Uganda

Stella Wadiru, University of Pittsburgh

Discussant: Damascus Kafumbe, Middlebury College

IV-M-4 Fiction & Migration, Part II: Contemplating the global

Thursday, 11/17/2022, 3:45 PM - 5:30 PM

Room: Conference 410

Chair: Sakiru Adebayo, University of British Columbia

The Afropolitan Flaneur and the Postcolonial Wanderer: Reading Africa's Mobile Subjects in Global Urbanism

Sakiru Adebayo, University of British Columbia

Transcultural mobilities in Contemporary African Feminist Writings

Tomi Adeaga, University of Vienna

Mobility and Homemaking in Contemporary African Fiction

Alioune Badara Fall, Providence College

IV-M-5 From village to townships: challenges and prospects of African mobility and urbanization

Thursday, 11/17/2022, 3:45 PM - 5:30 PM

Room: Conference 307

Chairs: Faith Ben-Daniels, Akenten Appiah-Menka University and Lugard Ibhafeon Sadoh, University of Benin

Jonathan Essuman, Akenten Appiah-Menka University of Skills Training and Entrepreneurial Development

Jonas Egbudu Akung, University of Calabar

Stella Omonigho, University of Benin

IV-L-4 Mobilité, destin individuel et vie collective dans les littératures africaines

Thursday, 11/17/2022, 3:45 PM - 5:30 PM

Room: Conference 403

Chairs: Olga Hel-Bongo, Université Laval and Justin Bisanswa, Université de Lubumbashi

Le sujet, l'écriture et le monde en mouvement dans l'autobiographie intellectuelle africaine francophone

Olga Hel-Bongo, Université Laval

« J'arriverai loin, très loin, là où toutes les routes du monde se croisent. »
Mobilités de l'enfant-écrivain dans Demain j'aurai vingt ans d'Alain Mabanckou

Charlène Walther, Université Laval

Quand la clé du monde échappe au revenant: Mobilité, identité et perte d'un lien propre dans Dossier classé d'Henri Lopes

Kasereka Kavwahirehi, Université d'Ottawa

Habiter l'Ici et l'Ailleurs. Migration, écriture exilique et quête identitaire: Monénembo, Mabanckou, N'Sonde et Miano

Gervais Yamb, Université d'Ottawa

Discussant: Liani Lochner, Université Laval

IV-G-5 New Perspectives on Ghana's Economic Past

Thursday, 11/17/2022, 3:45 PM - 5:30 PM

Room: Conference 305

Chairs: Bianca Murillo, California State University, Dominguez Hills and Tracy Mensah, Georgetown University

Sponsored by: Ghana Studies Association

"Our Business Future is Bright:" Sindbis and Ghana's Postcolonial Industrial Drive, 1959-1970

Tracy Mensah, Georgetown University

The Business of Independence: International Investment, Finance, and Fraud in Ghana, 1950-60s

Bianca Murillo, California State University, Dominguez Hills

"Every Industry Produces Expert Swindlers:" Crime and Counterintelligence in Gold Coast's Diamond Mining Enterprise, 1919-50s

Ernest Sasu Kwame Sewordor, University of Basel

"Love of Stone Houses:" Urban Merchants and Material Culture on Africa's Gold Coast

Hermann W. von Hesse, Rice University

Discussant: Jeffrey Alhman, Smith College

IV-P-7 Roundtable: Performing Violence: Roundtable on Lee Ann Fujii's "Show Time"

Thursday, 11/17/2022, 3:45 PM - 5:30 PM

Room: Franklin Hall 12

Chair: Timothy Longman, Boston University

Jennie Burnet, Georgia State University

Susan Thomson, Colgate University

An Ansoms, Louvain University

IV-O-6 Politics in the New Gambia: Citizenship, Parties, and the Post-Authoritarian Moment

Thursday, 11/17/2022, 3:45 PM - 5:30 PM

Room: Conference 408

Chair: Bamba Ndiaye, University of Louisville

Sponsored by: Senegambian Studies Group

Preventing electoral violence in the Gambia's first post-transition elections: Actors, issues and mitigating strategies
Lugman Saka, University of The Gambia

Public Service Delivery: What Government Thinks and what Citizens want – A case study of the Gambia
Aminata Sallah, Towson University and Sait Matty Jaw,
University of The Gambia

Constituent power, transitional justice, and The Gambia's quest for a new constitution
Niklas Hultin, George Mason University

The Dominant Party System In Gambian Politics: Change Or Continuity In The New Political Dispensation
Patricia Ihuoma Ogu, University of The Gambia

Discussant: Catherine Kelly, Africa Center for Strategic Studies

IV-S-3 Author Meets Critics: Spear Mandela and the Revolutionaries

Thursday: 11/17/2022, 3:45 PM - 5:30 PM

Room: Salon L

Chair: Elizabeth Thornberry, Johns Hopkins University

Sponsored by: African Studies Review

Book Title: Spear Mandela and the Revolutionaries

Author: Paul Landau, University of Maryland

Elizabeth Thornberry, Johns Hopkins University
Robert Trent Vinson, University of Virginia
Meredith McKittrick, Georgetown University
Jacob S. Dlamini, Princeton University
Christopher Lee, Lafayette College

Session V

V-AN-9 AfricaNow!: Masculinity, being “guy”, and substance use among young men: an explorative study in Kumasi, Ghana

Friday, 11/18/2022, 8:00 AM - 9:45 AM

Room: Conference 408

Osei Akoto Kwarteng, Northern Arizona University

V-AN-10 AfricaNow!: Gendered Aspects of National Elections in Africa: New Approaches and Findings

Friday, 11/18/2022, 8:00 AM - 9:45 AM

Room: Conference 409

Chair: Gretchen Bauer, University of Delaware

Akosua Darkwah, University of Ghana
Matthew Gichohi, Chr Michelsen Institute
Stella Kyohairwe, Makerere University
Vibeke Wang, Chr Michelsen Institute

V-A-6 Lagos in African History

Friday, 11/18/2022, 8:00 AM - 9:45 AM

Room: Franklin 3

Chair: Ademide Adelusi Adeluyi, University of California-Riverside

Sponsored by: Lagos Studies Association

The BRT and the Danfo: A Case Study of Lagos Transport Reforms from 1999 to 2019
Oliver Harman, University of Oxford

The Lagos for Lagos Movement in Historical Perspectives: The Old Debates, the New Dimensions, and the Contemporary Realities
Habeeb Sanni and Faroq Boge, Lagos State University

“By the Sweat of Her Face”: Slavery and Its Afterlives for Afro-Brazilians in Lagos
Susan Rosenfield, University of California-Los Angeles

Modernity and Danger: Vehicular Accidents in Colonial Lagos
Prince Vincent-Anene, University of Wisconsin-Madison

Discussant: Halimat Somotan, Carnegie Mellon University

V-A-7 Continuities and Change in African Multilateralism

Friday, 11/18/2022, 8:00 AM - 9:45 AM

Room: Conference 305

Chair: Abdiasis Issa, Balsillie School of International Affairs

Reopening the Case of Coups: Assessing African Regional Organizations' Response to Military Coups and Governments
Peter Penar, Davidson College

International Organization Responses to Secessionist Movements: Lessons from South Sudan and Somaliland
Abdiasis Issa, Balsillie School of International Affairs and
Megan Payler, Western University

The AU and the West in Two Global Health Crises
John Clark, Florida International University

Approaches to the Study of the African Union: Analyses of a Regional International Organization and Narratives on Contemporary Africa
Patrick Boyle, Loyola University Chicago

V-C-6 Women, Intersectional Identity and Representation

Friday, 11/18/2022, 8:00 AM - 9:45 AM

Room: Franklin 4

Chair: J. Jarpa Dawuni, Howard University

Sponsored by: ASA Women's Caucus

From Distortion to Reconstruction: The Epistemic Liberation of Africana Women
Tiffany C Wheatland, Howard University

Beyond Political Representation: The Symbolism of Naming Infrastructures after Women
Mouhamadou Hoyeck, Howard University

Women and Political Leadership in South-West Nigeria
Babajide Tella, Howard University

Intersectional Identities and the influence it has on first and second generation Malians
Aichatou Nimaga, Howard University

Discussant: Constance Pruitt, Howard University

V-C-7 Women and Gender in Collective Memory and Public History, Part 1

Friday, 11/18/2022, 8:00 AM - 9:45 AM

Room: Conference 306

Chair: Sarah J. Zimmerman, Western Washington University

Mothers of the Nation? The Women's March on Grand-Bassam in Ivoirian Collective Memory
Elizabeth Jacob, Stanford University

The Contested Historiography of Madam Yoko, A Woman Leader of Early Colonial Sierra Leone
Lynda R. Day, Brooklyn College-CUNY

Emily Ruete and International Audiences for Women's History in Tanzania
Matthew Unangst, SUNY-Oneonta

Eighteenth-Century Goréen Women and the Gendered Politics of the Present
Sarah J. Zimmerman, Western Washington University

Discussant: Brett Shadle, Virginia Tech

V-E-3 Author Meets Critic: A Ritual Geology: Gold and Subterranean Knowledge in Savanna West Africa

Friday: 11/18/2022, 8:00 AM - 9:45 AM

Chair: Abena Dove Osseo-Asare, University of Texas at Austin

Book Title: *A Ritual Geology: Gold and Subterranean Knowledge in Savanna West Africa*

Author: Robyn d'Avignon, New York University

Gregory Mann, Columbia University
Emmanuel Akyeampong, Harvard University
Omolade Adunbi, University of Michigan, Ann Arbor

V-E-4 Dynamic Shifts Among Youth & Families

Friday, 11/18/2022, 8:00 AM - 9:45 AM

Room: Conference 412

Chair: Isaac Muhando, University of Kansas

Youth and urbanity: Understanding community of practice and shifting identities among urban youths of Nairobi
Isaac Muhando, University of Kansas

Youth Movement, Protests, and Uganda's Personalised Politics: Explaining the Rise of Bobi Wine
Gerald Bareebe, York University

Conceptual Analysis of the Child, Childhood, and Family trauma: A Cross-Cultural Perspective
Omowunmi Olaleye, University of Kansas

V-E-5 Saving and Being Safe Away from "Home": The Case of Diasporic Ethiopians in Israel, South Africa, and the U.S.

Friday, 11/18/2022, 8:00 AM - 9:45 AM

Room: Conference 303-304

Chairs: Worku Nida, University of California, Riverside and Sophia Thubauville, Frobenius Institute, Frankfurt

Solidarity until the end – Insurance associations of Ethiopians in southern California
Sophia Thubauville, Frobenius Institute, Frankfurt

"It's all about trust" – Informal savings associations in the Ethiopian diaspora in Israel
Kim Glück, Frobenius Institute, Frankfurt

Equbs in Building a "Good Life" and a "Good Future" among diasporic Ethiopians in the US
Worku Nida, University of Los Angeles, Riverside

Ethiopian Diaspora in South Africa: RoSCAS and Aspiration of the future among migrants
Elias Alemu Bedaso, Jinka University and Debelu Kita, Hawassa University

Discussant: Teferi Abate Adem, Yale University

V-F-3 Feeding Africa: Climate Change, Environmental Sustainability, and Pastoralism

Friday, 11/18/2022, 8:00 AM - 9:45 AM

Room: Salon L

Chair: Wendy Wilson-Fall, Lafayette College

The Just Transition Coin: Perspective from the Northern Cape Karoo
Boitumelo (Tumi) Malope, Stellenbosch University

Hunger and Power: Politics, food (in)security and the development of small grains in Zimbabwe, 2000-2010
Bryan Kauma, Stellenbosch University

Pastoralists, Food Economies, and Climate Change Blind Spots in the Upper Senegal Valley ca. 1966
Brandon County, Oberlin College

Discussant: Wendy Wilson-Fall, Lafayette College

V-Q-3 Acrobats, Political Cartoons and State Subsidised Creativity

Friday, 11/18/2022, 8:00 AM - 9:45 AM

Room: Conference 410

Chair: Moradewun Adejunmobi, University of California, Davis

Social Media as Social Capital: Diani Mambo Acrobats
Nina Berman, Arizona State University

Of Colonial Engagement and Complex Terrains (in Anglophone West African Visual Cultures)

Abayomi Ola, Spelman College

Challenges of Filmmaking in Francophone Africa

Amadou Fofana, Willamette University

V-S-4 African Young Women Resist!

Friday, 11/18/2022, 8:00 AM - 9:45 AM

Room: Franklin 2

Chair: Rhoda Nanre Nafziger, McGill University

Sudan's Revolution: Women on the Frontlines of Resistance

Miranda Rivers, Howard University

From Black Lives Matter to EndSARS: Women's Socio-Political Power and the Transnational Movement for Black Lives

Pamela Nwakanma Adaugo, Harvard University

Coils of Resistance: Discourses about Hair Texture in Kenya and Nigeria

Oyenike Balogun, Salve Regina University

"Mwasi and Sawtche: Pan-African and Global Dynamics of a French Afrofeminism"

Rose Ndengue, Glendon- York University

Discussant: Krystal Strong, University of Pennsylvania

V-I-3 Author Meets Critic: Bantu Authorities:

Apartheid's System of Race and Ethnicity

Friday, 11/18/2022, 8:00 AM - 9:45 AM

Room: Conference 404

Chair: Veronica Ehrenreich-Risner, California State University, Sacramento

Book Title: *Bantu Authorities: Apartheid's System of Race and Ethnicity*

Author: Veronica Ehrenreich-Risner, California State University, Sacramento

Lindsay Michie, University of Lynchburg

Jacob S.T. Dlamini, Princeton University

Leslie Hadfield, Brigham Young University

Akwasi Bretuo University of Oregon

Norman Etherington, University of Western Australia

V-M-6 Conduits of Mobility

Friday, 11/18/2022, 8:00 AM - 9:45 AM

Room: Conference 403

Chair: Joel Abah, Kogi State University, Anyigba

The impact of road infrastructure improvements has on labor migration patterns in contemporary Northern Uganda

Nobuko Yamazaki, Kyoto University

'We are not Wanted in this City': Transport Governance and the Dilemma of Commercial Motorcycle Operators in Abuja Metropolis, Nigeria

Joel Abah, Kogi State University, Anyigba

Capricious Connections: African mobilities through trans-border internet infrastructures in the South Atlantic and Indian Ocean

Jess Auerbach, University of Cape Town

Towards an Alternative Archive of Road Safety in Africa: Theoretical and Methodological Challenges

Rebekah Lee, University of Oxford

V-O-8 Dialogue and negotiation in contemporary Sahelian politics

Friday, 11/18/2022, 8:00 AM - 9:45 AM

Room: Conference 413

Chair: Leonardo Villalon, University of Florida

Negotiating the Post-Coup Polity? The Armed Forces and Civil Society in Mali and Guinea

Sebastian Elischer, University of Florida

Transitional politics and civil-military relations in Burkina Faso and Chad

Daniel Eizenga, Africa Center for Strategic Studies National Defense University

Regime-opposition dialogue in Mauritania: An authoritarian survival strategy or a vehicle for democratization?

Baba Adou, University of Florida

Elite deals and local dialogues: Navigating negotiations with jihadist groups in Mali and Niger

Andrew Libovich, European Council on Foreign Relations

Discussant: Leonardo Villalon, University of Florida

V-P-8 Examining the state of the African State in the 21st Century: Part III

Friday, 11/18/2022, 8:00 AM - 9:45 AM

Room: Conference 401-402

Chairs: Nicholas Githuku, CUNY, York College and Tamba M'bayo, West Virginia University

Neo-colonialism, democratic decay and failed states in Africa

Tsepo Cheda, Durban University of Technology, South Africa

Peace agreements, hybrid armies and the reconstruction of the african state: critical and comparative appraisal of Chad and DRC

Philippe Awono, University of Yaoundé II

State Weakness and the Failure of Development in Postcolonial Malawi, 1960s-1990s

Gift Kayira, University of Malawi

V-P-9 Governance and Law in Senegambia

Friday, 11/18/2022, 8:00 AM - 9:45 AM

Room: Conference 407

Chair: Niklas Hultin, George Mason University

Sponsored by: Senegambian Studies Group

Rule of Law, Judicial Independence, and Opposition in Senegal
Catherine Kelly, National Defense University

The Gambian Supreme Court and the Transition to Democracy: An Empirical Analysis of the Court's rulings from 2017-2021
Satang Nabaneh, University of Washington

Nightmares of Ecodictatorship: Community forestry program under Yahya Jammeh in The Gambia
Sana Saidykhan, Ohio University

May 1968 and the Question of Africanization of the Educational System in Senegal
El Hadji Samba A. Diallo, Washington University in St. Louis

Discussant: Emily Riley, The College of Mexico

V-L-5 Author Meets Critic: How Francophone North African Writers are Transforming the Family
Friday, 11/18/2022, 8:00 AM - 9:45 AM
Room: Franklin Hall 12

Chair: Jocelyn Frelier, Texas A&M University
Book Title: *Transforming Family: Queer Kinship and Migration in Contemporary Francophone Literature*
Author: Jocelyn Frelier, Texas A&M University

Abigail Celis, Université de Montréal
Marina Dikosso-Bebe, Penn State University
Julin Everett, Scripps College
Gibson Ncube, Stellenbosch University

V-O-7 Roundtable: New Insights on Africa's Autocratic Past
Friday, 11/18/2022, 8:00 AM - 9:45 AM
Room: Franklin 13
Chair: Josef Woldense, University of Minnesota

Mai Hassan, University of Michigan
Anne Meng, University of Virginia
Rachel Riedl, Cornell University
Fiona Shen-Bayh, William & Mary
Ken Opalo, Georgetown University

V-S-5 Organizing Resistance in the Era of South African Apartheid
Friday, 11/18/2022, 8:00 AM - 9:45 AM
Room: Conference 414-415
Chair: Safia Farole, Portland State University

Rebel Governance Structures and Violence in Apartheid South Africa
Daniel Steiman, American University

Zulu Hlanganani: Native Nostalgia and a Re-evaluation of African Nationalism in a South African Township
Cacee Hoyer, University of Southern Indiana

The Anti-Apartheid Movement on College Campuses in Florida
Jacob Ivey, Fairmont State University

V-K-6 Paper and Digital Trails in Colonial and Postcolonial History
Friday, 11/18/2022, 8:00 AM - 9:45 AM

Room: Conference 411
Chair: Brooks Marmon, Ohio State University

The Rise and Demise of a Pro-ZAPU Daily Newspaper in Colonial Zimbabwe
Brooks Marmon, University of Pretoria

Records of Control and Settler Archives in Rhodesia: A Case Study of the Delineation Reports
Chido Muchemwa, University of Toronto

The ARDHI Initiative: An Africana Digital Humanities Project
Ng'ang'a Wahu-Mũchiri, University of Nebraska-Lincoln

A city of "black drums": representations and practices of "batuques" (drums) in colonial Maputo (Mozambique, 1890-1930)
Matheus Pereira, Social Science Institute - University of Lisbon

V-N-5 Performance, Liveness, and Social Justice: Dancing Across Senegal and Burkina Faso
Friday, 11/18/2022, 8:00 AM - 9:45 AM
Room: Conference 405
Chair: Amy Swanson, Colgate University

Ndaga: The Senegalese Imaginary Space
Pape Ibrahima Ndiaye, University of the Arts

Obscuring the Body: Street Performance in Post-Pandemic Dakar
Amy Swanson, Colgate University

Art Making as Social Practice: From Burkina Faso to a Global Context
Aguibou Bougobali Sanou, University of the Arts

V-N-1 Salsa in Africa. Urbanities, intimacies and kinesthetic of the Afro-Latin Atlantic connection
Friday, 11/18/2022, 8:00 AM - 9:45 AM
Room: Salon L
Chairs: Alice Djebbari, University of Cape Town and Elina Djebbari, University Paris-Nanterre

Independance ChaCha – A short Overview of Cuban musical influences in Africa
Hauke Dorsch, Johannes Gutenberg University

Salsa Dancing in the West African City: The Kinesthetic Construction of Urban Identity on the Dance Floor
Christey Carwile, Warren Wilson College

Postracial kinetopias: Making intimacies on the "shifting ground of race" in the Cape Town SBK scene
Alice Aterianus-Owanga, University of Cape Town and University of Geneva

Angolan couple dances: creolisation and the invention of postcolonial memory
Ananya Jahanara Kabir, King's College London

Discussant: Elina Djebbari, Assistant Professor of Anthropology at University Paris Nanterre

V-G-6 Taxation in Africa pt I: Why do(n't) people pay taxes?

Friday, 11/18/2022, 8:00 AM - 9:45 AM

Room: Salon K

Chair: Ane Karoline Bak, University of Southern Denmark

Rethinking tax morale: What is it? How to measure it? Why is it important?

Wilson Prichard, Munk School of Global Affairs and Public Policy, University of Toronto / ICTD

Meaning Matters – Exploring popular notions and experiences of taxation in the urban informal economy of Tanzania

Ane Edslev, Aarhus University

Tax-Benefit Linkage and Citizens Engagement: An online Experiment in Ghana

Mats Ahrenshop, University of Oxford

Tax Compliance, VAT Revenues and Business Development in Tanzania

Ingrid Sjursen, CMI

Discussants: Anne Mette Kjær, Aarhus University and Adrienne LeBas, American University

Session VI

VI-AN-12 AfricaNow!: Endemic Laughter: A Provisional Review of COVID-Era Humor Studies in Africa

Friday, 11/18/2022, 10:15 AM - 12:00 PM

Room: Conference 409

Robin Crigler, Dickinson College

VI-B-2 Interdisciplinary Approaches to Diaspora and Identity Formation in Indian Ocean Africa

Friday, 11/18/2022, 10:15 AM - 12:00 PM

Room: Conference 305

Chair: Robert Roupail, University of Iowa

Building Mauricianisme: Afro-Asian Frictions in Cold War Mauritius

Robert Roupail, University of Iowa

The Mosques of Mwana Mshamu: Creating Women's Religious Spaces in Nineteenth-Century Lamu

Jenny Peruski, Harvard University

An Ocean of Debts and Kin: Moneylending and Family in Abdulrazak Gurnah's By the Sea

Neelofer Qadir, University of North Carolina at Greensboro

Negotiating Purity and the Plantation Political Economy in Colonial Mauritius

Julia Jong Haines, Cornell University

Discussant: Ned Alpers, UCLA

VI-C-9 Author Meets Critic: A Discussion of Queer African Cinemas

Friday, 11/18/2022, 10:15 AM - 12:00 PM

Room: Franklin 2

Chair: Brenna Munro, University of Miami

Sponsored by: Queer African Studies Association

Book Title: *Queer African Cinemas*

Author: Lindsey Green-Simms, American University, Washington D.C.

Gibson Ncube, Stellenbosch Institute for Advanced Study
Z'etoile Imma, Tulane University

Carli Coetzee, University of Oxford

VI-C-10 African Women's Agency and Empowerment: Critical Perspectives, Part I

Friday, 11/18/2022, 10:15 AM - 12:00 PM

Room: Conference 414-415

Chair: Bruce Whitehouse, Lehigh University

Radio in Mali: An empowering environment for women or a hotbed for patriarchal anxieties?

Emma Heywood, University of Sheffield

Between Islam and culture: Women's religious empowerment in Guinea-Bissau and Portugal

Michelle Johnson, Bucknell University

Schooling, labor, and women's empowerment in Mali: Confronting urban/rural disparities

A'ame Joslin, Indiana University-Purdue University

Columbus and Bruce Whitehouse, Lehigh University

"Gold rush, gold wars": Violence, Power, and gender relations among artisanal gold miners in Zimbabwe's Mazowe district, 2000 to present

Jabulani Shaba, Stellenbosch University

Discussant: Ellen Foley, Clark University

VI-D-3 African(a) Traditions vis-à-vis Western Philosophy & Esotericism

Friday, 11/18/2022, 10:15 AM - 12:00 PM

Room: Conference 405

Chair: Benjamin Austin, Boston University

Making Mind Matter: Occult Print and the Public Sphere in British West Africa

Thomas Keegan, Johns Hopkins University

Philosophy as Urban Decay: Fanon Amid 'The Ruins of Athens and Jerusalem'

Benjamin Austin, Boston University

Discussant: Thomas Keegan, Johns Hopkins University

VI-R-4 Archives of Knowledge, Knowledge Archived: Critical Perspectives on Islamic Sources in African Studies and the Politics of their Production

Friday, 11/18/2022, 10:15 AM - 12:00 PM

Room: Conference 307

Chair: Bruce Hall, University of California, Berkeley

Sponsored by: Islam in Africa Studies Group

Texts as Artifacts: A Preliminary Investigation into the Multiple Lives of the Bibliothèque 'Umarienne de Ségon

Amir Syed, University of Pittsburgh

The Fonds de Gironcourt (Institut de France): Philological Encounters and the Making of Archives in Colonial West Africa

Mauro Nobili, University of Illinois

The Other Archive: Private Archival Traditions in Islamic West Africa

Jeremy Dell, University of Edinburgh

Hiding in Plain Sight: Truly local knowledge traditions in the libraries of Timbuktu

Paul Naylor, Hill Museum and Manuscript Library, Minnesota

VI-Q-5 Archives, Collections, and Digital Media as Collaborative Possibilities: Linking Global South and North in an Era of Urban Expansion and Political Insecurity, Part I

Friday, 11/18/2022, 10:15 AM - 12:00 PM

Room: Conference 303-304

Chair: Rosa De Jorio, University of North Florida and Joseph Hellweg, Florida State University

Sponsored by: Mande Studies Association

Mande Musicians at Carleton: Archiving Malian Music in Minnesota, from Afar

Cherif Keita, Carleton College

The Song in the Words: The Ethnopoetics of Ivorian Dozo Songs as Political Analysis

Joseph Hellweg, Florida State University

Memory Making, Memory Marketing: Mobile Films, Social Media, and Popular Struggle in Burkina Faso

Sten Hagberg, Uppsala University

Overcoming Spatial Divides: Malian Facebook Accounts as Virtual Heritage Sites of Political Imagination

Rosa de Jorio, University of North Florida

Discussant: Susan Elizabeth Gagliardi, Emory University

VI-F-4 Building Sustainable Futures: Climate Change, Policy, & Urbanism

Friday, 11/18/2022, 10:15 AM - 12:00 PM

Room: Franklin Hall 11

Chair: TBD TBD, TBD

Sponsored by: Carnegie Corporation of New York

Grasses for Change: The hidden significance for Soil Health and Climate Change Mitigation

Bezaye Tessema, Addis Ababa University/Rhodes University

Preparation of Pt₃Ni@TiO₂ Core-Shell Nanoparticles for Durable and Efficient PEM-Fuel Cell for Sustainable Renewable Energy Generation

Pascal Fuseini Nbelayim, University of Ghana

Universities' Ethical and Ecological Responsibility: Innovative institutional practices and engagement of policy actors to reduce climate footprint and promote sustainability

David Ssekamatte, Uganda Management Institute

My Home, My Garden, Our Future: Creating Climate Smart Green Cities

Natasha Mwila, University of Zambia

VI-M-7 Africa-China Engagements, Part Three: Perceptions, Reputations & Patronage – Relations between Africans and Chinese

Friday, 11/18/2022, 10:15 AM - 12:00 PM

Room: Salon L

Chair: Lesley Nicole Braun, University of Basel

Can't buy me love? Understanding African attitudes towards China and the USA

Naunihal Singh, US Naval War College

Chinese Counterfeits in Africa: A Global Economic Historical Perspective

Yanyin Zi, College of Intercultural Communication, Rikkyo University, Japan

Living and working in a Chinese enclave in Cameroon: The workers of a "major structuring projects for emergence"

Gerard Amougou, University of Yaoundé 2 Cameroun and Antoine Kernan, University of Lausanne- Switzerland

Patronage and the logging boss: Sociality and exchange beyond the concessionary regime in Gabon, Central Africa

Wen Zhou, Yale University

Discussant: Yoon Jung Park, Georgetown University

VI-P-10 Conflict, Security, & the State

Friday, 11/18/2022, 10:15 AM - 12:00 PM

Room: Conference 412

Chair: Thomas O'Mealia, Harvard University

Proximity to Violent Events and Subjective Perceptions of Security

Thomas O'Mealia, Patrick Vinck, and Phuong Pham, Harvard University

The Road to Post-war Authoritarianism: Violence and Divergent Regime Trajectories in Uganda and Rwanda

Gerald Barea, York University

Socioeconomic Change and the Drivers of Violence in Southern Madagascar

Richard Marcus, California State University, Long Beach

Pathways of Civilian Cooperation in Boko Haram-controlled Territory in Northeast Nigeria

Antonia Juelich, Harvard Kennedy School & University of Edinburgh

Understanding Variations in State Responses to Security Crisis in the Sahel: Mali, Burkina and Niger

Pierre Englebert, Pomona College and Jessica Piombo, Naval Postgraduate School

VI-Q-4 Roundtable: Current African Filmmaking: A Conversation with the ASA Film Award Committee
Friday, 11/18/2022, 10:15 AM - 12:00 PM

Room: Franklin 4

Chair: Kenneth Harrow, Michigan State University

Jean-Marie Teno, Independent Filmmaker
Allison McGuffie, University of Oregon
Carmela Garritano, Texas A & M University

VI-T-6 Elite Africa, Part II: Political and Economic Elites and Changing Perceptions of Power
Friday, 11/18/2022, 10:15 AM - 12:00 PM
Room: Conference 401-402

Chair: Chiedo Chiedo, Johns Hopkins University

Africa's civil society elites and the transformation of opposition politics
Zachariah Mampilly, Graduate Center/Baruch College, City University of New York

Elite Formation and Recomposition in Africa.

Adebayo Olukoshi, International IDEA

Cecilia Idika-Kalu, University of Massachusetts Lowell

Elites in African business: A new generation of 'big men'

Scott Taylor, Georgetown University

Discussant: Rachel Riedl, Cornell University

VI-O-9 From Caste to Constitutions: How identity categories shape political strategies

Friday, 11/18/2022, 10:15 AM - 12:00 PM

Room: Franklin 1

Chair: Kirk A. Harris, Susquehanna University

Political Effects of Caste in Senegal

Dominika Koter, Colgate University, Leonardo Arriola and Martha Wilfahrt, University of California, Berkeley,

Design Biases in National Constitutions: Who Adjusts?

George K. Keteku, State University of New York - Purchase/Westchester

The Role of Partisanship, Identity, and Incentives in Mobilizing Zambian Citizens

Ellen Lust, University of Gothenburg, Sarah Lockwood, Cambridge University, and Prisca Jöst, University of Konstanz

Assessing the Strategic Motivations of Sub-National Post-Election Petitions in Africa

Nicholas Kerr and Richard Kweitsu, University of Florida

VI-L-7 Imagination, Imperialism, & Internationalism in Literature

Friday, 11/18/2022, 10:15 AM - 12:00 PM

Room: Conference 410

Chair: Stephane Robollin, Rutgers University

Small Magazines and genealogies of African Literature
Christopher Ouma, University of Cape Town

"The Comparative Imagination of Apartheid Censors"

Stéphane Robolin, Rutgers University

The Geography of Financial Imperialism: In Koli Jean Bofane's Congo Inc. as Critique

Kyle Wanberg, New York University

Culture Shock: A Case Study of Works of Returned Peace Corps Volunteers

Emmanuel Yewah, Albion College

Women Writing Niamey : Love, Exclusion and Utopia

Antoinette Tidjani Alou, Université Abdou Moumouni

VI-J-3 Author Meets Critic: Jonathan Roberts on Pluralism as Modern Medicine

Friday, 11/18/2022, 10:15 AM - 12:00 PM

Room: Conference 404

Chair: Oluwatoyin Oduntan, Towson University

Book Title: *Sharing the Burden of Sickness: A History of Healing and Medicine in Accra*

Author: Jonathan Robert, Mount Saint Vincent University, Canada

Rebekah Lee, University of Oxford

Kodjo Senah, University of Ghana

Patrick Manning, University of Pittsburgh

Abena Osseo-Asare, University of Texas at Austin

VI-M-8 Mobility, Space- and Place-Making in Senegambia

Friday, 11/18/2022, 10:15 AM - 12:00 PM

Room: Conference 413

Chair: Madina Thiam, New York University

Murids making place in New York City: The celebrations of Ahmadu Bamba Day in Harlem (July 28)

Cheikh Babou, University of Pennsylvania

The Place of Islam in Senegalese Christian Music: Remembering Julien Jougá's Muslim Hymns

Christine Thu Nhi Dang, New York University

Creating Islamic Space and Place in Southern Senegambia

David Newman Glovsky, Boston University

Online and Offline Place-Making among The Haalpulaar Migrants of the Senegal River Valley

Abdoulaye Kane, University of Florida

VI-K-7 Author Meets Critic: Pedro Monaville, Students of the World: Global 1968 and Decolonization in the Congo

Friday, 11/18/2022, 10:15 AM - 12:00 PM

Room: Conference 403

Chair: Tasha Rijke-Epstein, Vanderbilt University

Book Title: *Students of the World: Global 1968 and Decolonization in the Congo*

Author: Pedro Monaville, New York University-Abu Dhabi

Didier Gondola, Indiana University

Carina Ray, Brandeis University

Andrew Ivaska, Concordia University

Priya Lal, Boston College

VI-S-7 Social Movements, Politics, and the State

Friday, 11/18/2022, 10:15 AM - 12:00 PM

Room: Conference 411

Chair: Adanna Ogbonna-Oluikpe, Louisiana State University

Separatist Movements in South-East Nigeria: Causes and Trends

Victor C. Eze, French Institute for Research in Africa

"Politics Unusual": Electoral Politics and The Rise of People Power in Museveni's Uganda

Luke Melchiorre, Universidad de los Andes

Boundary Crossers: The Transformation of Civil Society elite and democratic consolidation in the Post Transitional dispensation in Kenya
Bonfas Owinga, Clark Atlanta University

Making (Some) Rights Work: The Uneven Boundaries of Social Citizenship in South Africa

Marcus Walton, Boston University

VI-T-7 Sports in Africa I: Sports and African Women

Friday, 11/18/2022, 10:15 AM - 12:00 PM

Room: Franklin 3

Chair: Bose Maposa, Ohio University

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African Ladies on Colonial Grounds: Negotiating Sports Practice in Colonial Ghana

Claire Nicolas, Swiss National Science Foundation

Towards a sustainable sports ecosystem in Africa: the rise of women sports entrepreneurs in Africa.

Denise Kamyuka, Western University, Athletes for Hope and

Violet Jubane, ZIFA Central Region

Exploring physical activity engagement among Black African immigrant women in the United States

Bose Maposa, Ohio University

Women, sports and games in Ancient Egypt

Yves Victor Ngono, Independent Researcher

VI-G-7 Taxation in Africa pt II: Politics of taxation and tax reforms

Friday, 11/18/2022, 10:15 AM - 12:00 PM

Room: Salon K

Chair: Matilde Jeppesen, Aarhus University

Politics of taxation in Africa: Glimpses of state-society reciprocity

Anne Mette Kjær, Aarhus University and Ane Karoline Bak,

DaWS, University of Southern Denmark

Employment Income Tax in Africa: Findings from a New Dataset

Kyle McNabb and Hazel Granger, ODI

The reality of Semi-Autonomy: Zambia Revenue Authority

Matilde Jeppesen, Aarhus University

Monopolists or Mavericks: Tax Relations of Big Business in Fragile Contexts

Gayatri Sahgal, Wolfson College, University of Oxford

Discussants: Catherine Boone, LSE and Lise Rakner, University of Bergen

VI-H-3 Teaching Africa I: Lessons About, By, and For The Continent

Friday, 11/18/2022, 10:15 AM - 12:00 PM

Room: Franklin Hall 12

Chair: Amber Reed and Bailey Brown, Spelman College

The Miseducation of Africa

Saidat Ilo, University of Houston - Victoria

Teaching Africa in Atlanta Public Schools

Amber Reed and Bailey Brown, Spelman College

Metaphors of the Body in the Teaching of African History

Paul Bjerk, Texas Tech University

Decentering Sources of Knowledge through African Fiction

Seulgie Lim, Bates College

Discussant: Monique Scott, Bryn Mawr College

VI-S-6 Roundtable: The Heritage of Walter Rodney

Friday, 11/18/2022, 10:15 AM - 12:00 PM

Room: Franklin 13

Chair: David Johnson, City College, New York

"Rodney and the Working People"

Joseph Engwenyu, Eastern Michigan University

"Rodney and the Question of Revolution"

Michael West, Penn State University

"Rodney and the Guerilla Intellectual"

Patricia Daley, Oxford University

"Rodney, Anti-imperialism, War, and the Tasks of Progressive Intellectuals"

Horace Campbell, Syracuse University

VI-L-6 Roundtable: The Politics of the Archives: From the Print Era to the Digital Age
Friday, 11/18/2022, 10:15 AM - 12:00 PM
Room: Conference 407
Chair: Shola Adenekan, Ghent University

Elisabeth Abena Osei, University of Ghana at Legon
Kwabena Opoku-Agyemang, University of Ghana at Legon
James Yeku, University of Kansas at Lawrence
Amatoritsero Ede, Mount Allison University
Shola Adenekan, Ghent University

VI-N-6 Traditional Music, Transatlantic Connection, & Performance in Senegambia
Friday, 11/18/2022, 10:15 AM - 12:00 PM
Room: Conference 408
Chair: Bina Brody, University of Pennsylvania

Cuban and Salsa Musical Influences in Senegal and the Gambia Between the 1960s and 80s
Babacar Mbaye, Kent State University

Urban identities, rural practices: musical creativity in Senegal's national wrestling
Bina Brody, University of Pennsylvania

Unmaking Casted Folklore: Music Politics the Legacy of Slavery in Contemporary Fouta Tora
Samba Camara, The University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill

The Musical Life of Senegalese Rain Priestess Aline Sitoé Diatta: Creative Music Repatriation as Research Method
Scott Linford, University of Cincinnati

VI-C-8 Women and Gender in Collective Memory and Public History, Part 2
Friday, 11/18/2022, 10:15 AM - 12:00 PM
Room: Conference 306
Chair: Brett Shadle, Virginia Tech

Gendering the Mahdist jibba
Katie Hickerson, University of Chicago

Of Cattle and Kings: Women's public history and the gendering of the historical discipline in Uganda, 1870-present
Caitlin Monroe, University of Northern Colorado

'It will be said that his words are unclean': Rethinking blonipha as a gendered site of marginalization
Raevin Jimenez, University of Michigan

Women Activists in the Anti-Apartheid Struggle: Epistolary Exchange as a Site of History
Kalpana Hiralal, University of KwaZulu-Natal

Discussant: Brett Shadle, Virginia Tech

VII-AN-13 AfricaNow!: Ethiopia and the Horn in Crises
Friday, 11/18/2022, 1:30 PM - 3:15 PM
Room: Conference 409
Chair: Awet T. Weldemichael, Queen's University

Elleni Centime Zeleke, Columbia University
Michael Woldemariam, University of Maryland
Makda Maru, University of Delaware
Lahra Smith, Georgetown University
Alden Young, University of California Los Angeles

VII-A-8 Africa-China Engagements, Part Four: Co-determining Africa-China engagement and performance by local socio-political dynamics
Friday, 11/18/2022, 1:30 PM - 3:15 PM
Room: Salon L
Chair: Kudus Adebayo, University of Witwatersrand

Locating transnational networks in the internationalisation processes of Chinese companies in Africa
Elisa Gambino, London School of Economics

Repertoires of control: Contrasting land rights regimes and performance of Chinese agricultural investment in Tanzania and Zambia
Yuezhou Yang, London School of Economics

African societal agency in the wake of great power competition over Chinese constructed mega-infrastructure projects
Benard Musembi Kilaka, University of Gothenburg and Yuan Wang, Columbia-Harvard China and the World Program

Engaging with South Sudan – Towards new Chinese security paradigms?
Felix Brender, London School of Economics

Discussant: Emmanuel K. Akyeampong, Harvard University

VII-A-9 New Directions in Researching Regional Challenge(r)s and Conceptual Approaches in Africa(n International Relations)
Friday, 11/18/2022, 1:30 PM - 3:15 PM
Room: Conference 403

Chairs: Stephen Magu, Norfolk State University and Alexander Stroh-Steckelberg, Universität Bayreuth

Regional integration and informalities in international judicial appointments to sub-regional courts in Africa
Alexander Stroh-Steckelberg and Diana Kisakye, Universität Bayreuth

Radio Silence or Radioactive Topic? An Analysis of EAC Leaders' Public Discourse
Stephen Magu, Norfolk State University and Alexander Stroh-Steckelberg, Universität Bayreuth

Rethinking Contemporary Insecurity Infrastructure in West Africa: New Approaches to Understanding Boko Haram's Persistence in Nigeria
Olusoji Akomolafe, Norfolk State University

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VII-C-11 African Women's Agency and Empowerment: Critical Perspectives, Part II

Friday, 11/18/2022, 1:30 PM - 3:15 PM

Room: Conference 414-415

Chair: Jessica Ott, Johns Hopkins University

Why Participate? The development of women's political agency in Mali and Burkina Faso

Cathryn Johnson, University of Louisville

"God will give me my rights": the intersection of rights-based and religious subjectivities in Zanzibari women's property negotiations

Jessica Ott, Johns Hopkins University

Exhausting Edges: Tacking paths into uncertain futures at a Burkina Faso market

Sarah-Jane Phelan, University of Sussex

How women's emancipation is perceived and appropriated locally: Definitions, representations, and projections of women's autonomy
Sita Zougouri, Tanager International & U. of Ouagadougou
and Jean-Marie Zongo, Tanager International & University of Lisala

Discussant: Wendy Wilson-Fall, Lafayette College

VII-Q-6 Archives, Collections, and Digital Media as Collaborative Possibilities: Linking Global South and North in an Era of Urban Expansion and Political Insecurity, Part II

Friday, 11/18/2022, 1:30 PM - 3:15 PM

Room: Conference 303-304

Chair: Rosa De Jorio, University of North Florida and Joseph Hellweg, Florida State University

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Online Communities as a source of Fula identity

Dougoukolo Alpha Omar Ba Konaré, Independent Scholar

"Mapping Senufo: Process, Collaboration, and Generous Thinking"
Susan Elizabeth Gagliardi, Emory University

Mande Visual Resources and the National Museum of Mali

Joseye Tienro, Musée National du Mali, Bamako

Mande Visual Resources Digital Repatriation Project (RRVM)

Barbara E. Frank, Stony Brook University

Discussant: Mary Jo Arnoldi, Smithsonian Institution

VII-M-9 "Preventing"/"Deterring" African Migration: a focus on local actors and reception

Friday, 11/18/2022, 1:30 PM - 3:15 PM

Room: Franklin 13

Chair: Vivian Chenxue Lu, Fordham University

"You can make it here!": Producing Europe's mobile borders in the New Gambia.

Martin Aucoin, Boston University

Migration/ Anti-migration discourse on the streets of Lomé, Togo
Lelugnim Tokinai, Duke University

Pushing the EU's border south through the outsourcing of expertise and technologies of control

Nisrin Elamin, Bryn Mawr College

A 'new Black Atlantic'? West African itineraries in Latin America

Pedro Roa Ortega, Independent researcher, Mexico

Discussant: Aïssatou Mbodj-Pouye, Centre national de la recherche scientifique, France

VII-P-11 Assessing Systems of Justice

Friday, 11/18/2022, 1:30 PM - 3:15 PM

Room: Conference 412

Chair: Dior Konate, South Carolina State University

Parallel Justice System Among West African Muslims in Germany
Fulera Issaka-Toure, University of Ghana, Legon/University of Bayreuth, Germany

Participation in Justice and Social Relations in Bangui: What justice system is more favorable to social relations?

Alain Serge Magbe, Echelle - Appui au Développement,
Simplice Passi Beassoum, Echelle - Appui au Développement, and Marina Clarisse Yidong, Université de Bangui

Transitional Justice Interviews and Reflections: Perspectives of Women Survivors of the Rwandan Genocide Against the Tutsi on Reparation and Repair

Noam Schimmel, University of California, Berkeley

Conceptualizing and Contextualizing Capital Punishment in Colonial Senegal

Dior Konate, South Carolina State University

VII-E-6 Author Meets Critic: Decolonizing Heritage -

Discussion of the new book by Ferdinand de Jong

Friday, 11/18/2022, 1:30 PM - 3:15 PM

Room: Franklin 2

Chair: Adeline Masquelier, Tulane University

Book Title: *Decolonizing Heritage: Time to Repair in Senegal*

Author: Ferdinand de Jong, University of East Anglia

Cheikh Anta Babou, University of Pennsylvania

Joshua Cohen, The City College of New York

Elizabeth Foster, Tufts University

Ciraj Rassool, University of the Western Cape

VII-N-7 Francophone African and Afro-descendant Documentary Aesthetics: The Central Contribution of Women Filmmakers

Friday, 11/18/2022, 1:30 PM - 3:15 PM

Room: Conference 408

Chairs: Odile Cazenave, Boston University and Patricia-Pia Célérier, Vassar College

Women behind the camera: Osvalde Lewat and Aïssa Maïga between personal and political commitment

DANIELA RICCI, PARIS NANTERRE

Tunics, bellies, stitches of pain: the sensory cinematic aesthetic of Fabienne Kanor in Le Corps de L'histoire (2020)

ANNY DOMINIQUE CURTIUS, THE UNIVERSITY OF IOWA

"Documenting the Self: Alice Diop et Amandine Gay"

PATRICIA-PIA CÉLÉRIER, VASSAR COLLEGE

Isabelle Boni-Claverie's Trop Noire pour être française ? and Aïssa Maïga's Regard Noir: When Writing and Filming Meet

ODILE CAZENAVE, BOSTON UNIVERSITY

VII-Q-7 Fuji: An African Popular Culture

Friday, 11/18/2022, 1:30 PM - 3:15 PM

Room: Salon K

Chair: Rosemary Popoola, University of Wisconsin-Madison

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Between Ayinla and Barrister: Conflicting Notions of Superstardom in Fuji and Apala

Festus Adedayo, Independent Scholar

"Musicians Should Avoid Partisan Politics": Sikiru Ayinde Barrister and Political Fuji, 1980-2010

Saheed Aderinto, Western Carolina University

Protection of Creative Rights in Nigeria: A Case Study of Fuji

Oludayo Bamgbose, Ajayi Crowther University

Negotiating Body, Sex, and Self-fashioning in Fuji Performance

Stephen Boluwaduro, University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee

Discussant: Jesse Shipley, Dartmouth College

VII-C-12 Gender, Justice, and Judging in Africa

Friday, 11/18/2022, 1:30 PM - 3:15 PM

Room: Conference 405

Chair: Susanna Wing, Haverford College

Gender and Judging Across Africa: A case of old wine in new skins, or new wine in old skins?

J. Jarpa Dawuni, Howard University

Justice and the Gendered Politics of Belonging in the African French Union

Emily Burrill, University of Virginia

Women Seeking Justice in Benin: Claims-making in lower courts

Susanna Wing, Haverford College

Discussant: Alice Kang, University of Nebraska

VII-M-10 Geopolitics of Mobility

Friday, 11/18/2022, 1:30 PM - 3:15 PM

Room: Conference 410

Chair: Lisa Gilman, George Mason University

"We Are All Human": Arts and Diplomacy in Malawi's Dzaleka Refugee Camp

Lisa Gilman, George Mason University

Little Lobsters: Tracing the Chinese Crayfish Trade in Kenya

Amanda Kaminsky, University of Michigan

Examining Anti-Immigrant Sentiment in African Countries

Faith Khumalo, Pennsylvania State University

From Abobo to Barumbu: Transnational Social (Dis-) Integration of Bambara-Speaking migrants in the African cities of Abidjan, Cote d'Ivoire and Kinshasa, DR Congo

Sublimé Mabiala, Converge International Ministries/The University of Edinburgh

VII-M-11 Immigration Inequalities: global perspectives on host country treatment of African and non-African immigrants, 2014-2022

Friday, 11/18/2022, 1:30 PM - 3:15 PM

Room: Conference 305

Chair: Timothy Scarnecchia, Kent State University

Sponsored by: Association of Concerned Africa Scholars

Africans at The Border

Teresa Barnes, University of Illinois Urbana-Champaign

Migration to Italy: the comparative situations of African and Ukrainian refugees and migrants in Bologna, Italy

Timothy Scarnecchia, Kent State University

Asylum seekers from Africa into Commonwealth Nations: the limits of hospitality

Katherine Luongo, Northeastern University

VII-G-8 Intersecting Infrastructure and Development: Reflections on Systems and Services Part 1: Digital Infrastructure and Innovation

Friday, 11/18/2022, 1:30 PM - 3:15 PM

Room: Conference 407

Chair: Akanmu Adebayo, Kennesaw State University

Africa-wide Digital Infrastructure Vision

Solomon Negash, Kennesaw State University

Young Women's Perceptions on Place and Mental Health across Three Urban Slums in Kampala, Uganda: Capturing Creativity and Challenges Using PhotoVoice

Monica Swahn, Kennesaw State University and Charles Ssemugabo, Makerere University, Uganda

Art, Heritage and Blockchain: The Possibilities and Challenges of NFTs for African Culture Sectors

Jessica Stephenson, Kennesaw State University

Discussants: Monica Swahn, Kennesaw State University and Rogers Kasirye, Uganda Youth Development Center, Kampala

VII-I-4 Making Race in and out of West Africa

Friday, 11/18/2022, 1:30 PM - 3:15 PM

Room: Conference 401-402

Chair: Celina de Sá, University of Texas at Austin and Gana Ndiaye, Boston University

Desertification Counter mappings: Black Internationalism, Environmentalism, and Anticipating Terror
Brittany Meché, Williams College

Emerging Racisms and Differences resulting from Stalled Trans-Saharan Migration
Ampson Hagan, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill

The mythical Ottoman Heritage: Race, patrilineal descent and transnational capital in the Sabel
Ezgi Güner, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign

Art, Activism, and Competing Visions of Progress in Women's Organizations in Dakar
Celina de Sá, University of Texas at Austin

Discussants: Emilie Diouf, Brandeis University and Gana Ndiaye, Boston University

VII-K-8 Author Meets Critic: Mauro Nobili, Sultan,

Caliph, and the Renewer of the Faith

Friday, 11/18/2022, 1:30 PM - 3:15 PM

Room: Franklin 1

Chair:: Madina Thiam, University of California, Los Angeles

Sponsored by: Islam in Africa Studies Group

Book Title: *Sultan, Caliph, and the Renewer of the Faith: Ahmad Lobbo, the Tārikh al-fattāsh and the Making of an Islamic State in West Africa*

Author: Mauro Nobili, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign

Jeremy Dell, University of Edinburgh
Bruce Hall, University of California, Berkeley
Abdulbasit Kassim, Rice University
Ann McDougall, University of Alberta

VII-K-10 Mobilities, Expertise and Governance in South

African History: New Approaches

Friday, 11/18/2022, 1:30 PM - 3:15 PM

Room: Conference 306

Chair: Shireen Hassim, Carleton University

Indirect rule "in Stereo": Parochial Empire and Navigator Subjects between Natal and Portbandar, 1880-1909
Themba Waetjen, University of Johannesburg
Goolam Vahed, University of Kwazulu-Natal

Apartheid's Leviathan: On Electricity and Democratic Change
Faeza Ballim, University of Johannesburg

How the NRC's recruiting fortunes changed: From perennial shortages to surplus recruits, c. 1956-1969
Lungelo Ndzimande, University of Johannesburg/ Princeton

Family Planning and Population Control in Post-Colonial Africa-Experts without Borders

Natasha Erlank, University of Johannesburg

VII-T-10 Mobility and Belonging in Central Africa and Its Diasporas

Friday, 11/18/2022, 1:30 PM - 3:15 PM

Room: Conference 307

Chair: Nicole Eggers, University of Tennessee-Knoxville
Sponsored by: Central African Studies Association

The Quest for Survival, Cohesion, and Voice for the Muslim Minority in DR Congo
Ashley Leinweber, Missouri State University

Congo in Tennessee: A Case Study of Religion and Refugee Community
Nicole Eggers, University of Tennessee-Knoxville

Chibinda Ilunga: From Central African Caravan Routes to Exile in Portugal
David Gordon, Bowdoin College

The Political Language of Marronage: Toward an Intellectual History of the Atlantic in Terms of Africa
Kathryn M de Luna, Georgetown University

Discussant: Roger Alfani, Seton Hall University

VII-K-9 New directions in the history of health and medicine in Africa

Friday, 11/18/2022, 1:30 PM - 3:15 PM

Room: Conference 411

Chair: Sarah Runcie, Muhlenberg College

Doctors of Decolonization: Cameroon, France, and Post-Colonial Medicine
Sarah Runcie, Muhlenberg College

Delivering in Hospital: Comparing Childbirth Trends in Urban and Rural Uganda, c. 1921-1979
Kathleen Vongsathorn, Southern Illinois University
Edwardsville

Bubonic Plague and the Colonial Origins of Segregation in Nairobi, 1895-1914.

Catherine Odari, Spelman College

VII-L-8 Sensing the City: Theorizing global indigeneity in African literary urban spaces

Friday, 11/18/2022, 1:30 PM - 3:15 PM

Room: Conference 404

Chairs: Ato Quayson, Stanford University and Utitofon Inyang, University of California - Riverside

"The Geometries of Space in African Literature"
Ato Quayson, Stanford University

"Speaking in Plain Si(te)ght: Teju Cole, Chimamanda Adichie and the Indigenous Interstices of Afro-Diasporic Literature"
Utitofon Inyang, University of California - Riverside

Warri No Dey Carry Last: Re-reading Urban Niger Delta
Comfort Azubuko-Udah, University of Toronto

Beyond the Coast: Addis Ababa as Oceanic Cosmopolis
Kelsey McFaul, University of California - Santa Cruz

VII-T-8 Sports in Africa II: Africa in the Boxing Ring
Friday, 11/18/2022, 1:30 PM - 3:15 PM

Room: Franklin 3

Chair: Leo Hopkinson, University of Durham

Sponsored by: Sports Africa

Boxing and Empire in Southern Africa
Abraham Tapiwa Seda, University of Minnesota Twin Cities,
University of Virginia

Kenya's Forgotten Heroes: Philip Waring, the Hit Squad, & Boxing in Post-Colonial Kenya
Dawson McCall, Loyola University, New Orleans

Death of a Coach – Movement, Boxing and Belonging in Accra, Ghana
Leo Hopkinson, Department of Anthropology, University of Durham, UK

VII-H-4 Teaching Africa II: Lessons By, For, and About the Continent

Friday, 11/18/2022, 1:30 PM - 3:15 PM

Room: Franklin Hall 12

Chair: Amber Reed and Bailey Brown, Spelman College

Teaching Africa's Visual Rhetorics
Elias Adanu, University of Texas - El Paso

"Should we cancel Hegel?" Students' Reflections on Decolonizing an Introduction to African Studies Course
Leslie Gross-Wyrtzen and Enoch Osei Koduah, Yale University

Experiences from Teaching African Studies at a Private African University
Emmanuel Nuesiri, African Leadership University

Decolonizing Anthropology: Teaching Cultural Diversity through African Literature and Music
Mary B. Sundal, Washburn University

Discussant: Amber Reed, Spelman College

VII-F-5 Understanding Climate Change in Urban and Rural Africa: Historical and Contemporary Challenges

Friday, 11/18/2022, 1:30 PM - 3:15 PM

Room: Franklin 4

Chair: Rebecca Wall, Loyola Marymount University

Resettlement and Climate Change Adaptation in Rwanda: The Case of Rweru Model Green Village
Lisa Dale, Columbia University / University of Rwanda

The Limits of the 'Threat Multiplier' Theory: Terrorism and the Climate Crisis on the African Continent
Xafsa Ciise, University of California - Santa Cruz

The impact of climate change on forced migration and population dynamic in Central Sabel
Phuong Pham, Harvard Humanitarian Initiative and Patrick Vinck Dramane Yacouba Diallo, Harvard TH Chan School of Public Health

Figurations of Post-Colonial Ecological Issues in Ayi Kwei Armah's Two Thousand Seasons
Amma Gyaama Kuma, University of Ghana

Discussant: Rebecca Wall, Loyola Marymount University

VII-T-9 Roundtable: Who Cares About Your Research & Expertise? Continuing the Conversation About Making Your Scholarship Impactful

Friday, 11/18/2022, 1:30 PM - 3:15 PM

Room: Franklin Hall 11

Chair: Elsa Wiehe, Boston University

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Agnes Leslie, University of Florida
Brenda Randolph, Howard University
Shane Carter, University of California, Berkeley

VII-S-8 Youth in Africa: Contemporary Challenges and Change

Friday, 11/18/2022, 1:30 PM - 3:15 PM

Room: Conference 413

Chair: Chelsea Cutright, Centre College

Yoruba Youth in Past and Modern History
Ezinwanyi Adam, Babcock University

The Antithesis of 'Business as Usual': Youth and Volunteering in Dar es Salaam, Tanzania
Chelsea Cutright, Centre College

Winds of Change: youth and sustainable development
Bright Nkrumah, Center for Human Rights, University of the Free State

From 'hustling' to 'kuomoka': Interrogation the politics of youth emancipation from economic precarity in urban Kenya
Moses Osiro, Masinde Muliro University of Science and Technology

Session VIII

VIII-AN-14 AfricaNow!: Outside Africa / Outside the West: Visions and Prospects for Building "African Studies" in the Gulf

Friday, 11/18/2022, 3:45 PM - 5:30 PM

Room: Conference 408

Chair: Salah Hassan, The Africa Institute

Jean Allman, The Africa Institute
Elizabeth Giorgis, The Africa Institute
Naminata Diabate, Cornell University/The Africa Institute
Ahmad Sikainga, Ohio State University
Robert Vinson, University of Virginia

VIII-AN-15 AfricaNow!: Music, Animation, and the Post-Pandemic Life of Digital African Poetry

Friday, 11/18/2022, 3:45 PM - 5:30 PM

Room: Conference 409

Chair: Susanna Sacks, Howard University

Amatoritsero Ede, Mount Allison University
Tosin Gbogbi, Marquette University
Michael Oshindoro, University of Wisconsin - Madison

VIII-C-14 Author Meets Critic: Book Salon: Afropolitan Projects: Redefining Blackness, Sexualities, and Culture from Houston to Accra

Friday, 11/18/2022, 3:45 PM - 5:30 PM

Room: Conference 401-402

Chair: Jocelyn Frelser, Texas A&M University

Sponsored by: Queer African Studies Association

Book Title: *Afropolitan Projects: Redefining Blackness, Sexualities, and Culture from Houston to Accra*

Author: Anima Adjepong, University of Cincinnati

Xavier Livermon, University of California, Santa Cruz
Ronke Oke, Pennsylvania Academy of Fine Arts
Adwoa Opong, Chapman University

VIII-K-13 Conditions of Imaginability: Memory, Revolution, and Space in African Utopias

Friday, 11/18/2022, 3:45 PM - 5:30 PM

Room: Franklin 1

Chair: Fabian Krautwald, Princeton University

Cradle of Liberation? Memories of South African Exile from Postcolonial Tanzania

Yasmina Martin, Yale University

Absent Bodies and Black Mourning: Apartheid and the Land Question

Thembelani Mbatha, Princeton University

Utopia and Memory in Modern Herero Religious Thought
Fabian Krautwald, Princeton University

Discussant: Ato Quayson, Stanford University

VIII-O-10 Roundtable: Change and Continuities in the 2022 August Kenyan Elections

Friday, 11/18/2022, 3:45 PM - 5:30 PM

Room: Franklin Hall 12

Chair: Duncan Omanga, Social Science Research Council

Muema Wambua, United States International University
John Mwangi, St Paul's University
Moses Osiro, Masinde Muliro University
Linnet Hamasi, Kenyatta University

Njoki Wamai, United States International University

VIII-T-11 Cities of the Future: Mapping Africa's Place in History

Friday, 11/18/2022, 3:45 PM - 5:30 PM

Room: Salon L

Chair: Iyunolu Osagie, Penn State

Pathways to Sustainable and Resilient Urban Futures along the East African Coast

Esther Obonyo, Penn State

"Eko Atlantic" in the Nigerian Imaginary

Iyunolu Osagie, Penn State

The Challenges and Thrill of Building Sustainable Cities in Africa
Sylvester Osagie, Penn State

Discussant: Iyunolu Osagie, Penn State

VIII-T-13 Roundtable: Publish that Article: Meet the Editors

Friday, 11/18/2022, 3:45 PM - 5:30 PM

Room: Salon G

Chairs: Nana Akua Anyidoho, University of Ghana and
Cajetan Iheka, Yale University

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VIII-O-11 Author Meets Critic: Democratic Backsliding in Africa? Autocratization, Resilience, and Contention

Friday, 11/18/2022, 3:45 PM - 5:30 PM

Room: Conference 303-304

Chairs: Lise Rakner, University of Bergen/Chr. Michelsen
Institute and Nicolas van de Walle, Cornell University

Book Title: *Democratic Backsliding in Africa? Autocratization, Resilience, and Contention*

Authors: Leo Arriola, University of California Berkeley and
Nicolas van de Walle, Cornell University

Ellen Lust, University of Gothenburg

VIII-G-11 Extractivism, Politics, & Corporate Interest

Friday, 11/18/2022, 3:45 PM - 5:30 PM

Room: Conference 412

Chair: Alecia Ndlovu, University of Cape Town

Social Innovation Framework for CSR models in Africa: COVID 19 Case study

Wycliffe Nduga Ouma, University of the Witwatersrand and
Kgathliso Vanessa Goitsemolimo, Wits Business School

Political institutions and development in sub-Saharan Africa's resource-rich economies

Alecia Ndlovu, University of Cape Town

A nation within a state and competition for Uganda's oil wealth: A political settlements analysis.

Shingirai Taodzera, University of California, Davis

VIII-P-12 Governance and Armed Groups

Friday, 11/18/2022, 3:45 PM - 5:30 PM

Room: Conference 305

Chair: Christopher Day, College of Charleston

Security Alignment in Nigeria: Government Responses to Boko Haram
Jemima Ackah-Arthur, London School of Economics

Warriors and Statesmen: The Challenge of Controlling Armies After Rebel Victory

Sean Paul Ashley, Harvard University

Support, Toleration, and Repression: Incumbent Responses to Dissident Armed Groups in Nigeria and Kenya

Megan Turnbull, University of Georgia

Discussant: Zachariah Mampilly, Marxe School of Public and International Affairs, CUNY

VIII-G-9 Intersecting Infrastructure and Development:

Reflections on Systems and Services Part 2: Regional, Global, and Educational Influences

Friday, 11/18/2022, 3:45 PM - 5:30 PM

Room: Conference 407

Chair: Jessica Stephenson, Kennesaw State University

Challenges of Cooperative African Infrastructure Development: The Case of the Grand Ethiopian Renaissance Dam (GERD) and Nile Waters Management

Nurudeen Akinyemi, Kennesaw State University

Perspectives on the True Cost of China's Investment in African Infrastructure

Akanmu Adebayo, Kennesaw State University

The Disconnect between Early Childhood Preparatory Programs and Teaching Qualifications in the Nigerian School System

Ikechukwu Ukeje, Kennesaw State University

Challenges and Lessons Learned from U.S. and Moroccan Women's Leadership Virtual Exchange

Daniel Paracka and Seneca Vaught, Kennesaw State University

Discussant: Solomon Negash, Kennesaw State University

VIII-K-12 Land and Population on the Sierra Leone Peninsula in the Eighteenth and Nineteenth Centuries

Friday, 11/18/2022, 3:45 PM - 5:30 PM

Room: Conference 403

Chair: Nemata A. Blyden, George Washington University

Temne Land and Population on the Sierra Leone Peninsula in the Late Eighteenth and Early Nineteenth Centuries

Suzanne Schwarz, University of Worcester

Spatial Negotiations in the Colony of Sierra Leone in the Mid-Nineteenth Century

Megane Coulon, University of Worcester

Inside of the Households: A Macro Picture of the Local Distribution of Liberated African Children through Analysis of the Apprenticeship System in Sierra Leone (1808-1864)

Erika Melek Delgado, King's College London

Discussant: Paul E. Lovejoy, York University, Toronto

VIII-K-11 Language, Education, and Change in Transformative Times

Friday, 11/18/2022, 3:45 PM - 5:30 PM

Room: Conference 411

Chair: Patricia Clark, Westminster College

Turbulent Times: Education and Religion in Eighteenth-Century Morocco

Madia Thomson, Independent Scholar (Berlitz Corporation)

"Muziki ya Petat": Swahili's role and reception in urban Zaire during the AFDL's march to Kinshasa – 1996-1997

Joshua Castillo, Boston University

Literacy in Apartheid South Africa

Patricia G. Clark, Westminster College

VIII-S-11 Author Meets Critic: Laughing at Power: Humor and Politics in the Social Media Age

Friday, 11/18/2022, 3:45 PM - 5:30 PM

Room: Conference 405

Chair: Florence Madenga, University of Pennsylvania

Book Title: *The Politics of Laughter in the Social Media Age: Perspectives from the Global South*

Authors: Mbongeni Msimanga, University of Johannesburg, Shepherd Mpofu, University of Limpopo, and Sisanda Nkoala, Cape Peninsula University of Technology

Florence Madenga, University of Pennsylvania

Trust Matsilele, Cape Peninsula University of Technology

VIII-T-12 Roundtable: Listening, Teaching, Publishing and Research Collections: Librarians as Leaders and Educators Working for Equity and Advocacy Within African Studies

Friday, 11/18/2022, 3:45 PM - 5:30 PM

Room: Conference 410

Chairs: Deborah LaFond, University at Albany (SUNY) and Joanneke Elliott, UNC-Chapel Hill

Sponsored by: Africana Librarians Council

Laura Martin, University of Wisconsin Madison

Betty Wambui, SUNT Oneonta

Reggie RAJUL, Capetown, South Africa

VIII-J-4 Medicine, Health, and Wellness in Nigerian History

Friday, 11/18/2022, 3:45 PM - 5:30 PM

Room: Conference 414-415

Chair: Samuel Daly, Duke University

Sponsored by: Lagos Studies Association

African Agency and Western Biomedicine: Isaac Oluwole and the Evolution of Public Health in Post-World War II Nigeria
Bidemi Balogun, Graduate Institute of International and Development Studies

The Rockefeller Foundation and Yaba Laboratory Research, 1925 - 1957

Victor Olaoye, Graduate Institute of International and Development Studies

Local Agencies, Maternal Health, and Midwifery Services in Colonial Ibadan, 1940 to 1960

Folaranmi Olorunnibe, Rhodes University

Food as Medicine: Human and Animal Malnutrition in Colonial Nigeria

Oluwaseun Williams, Graduate Institute of International and Development Studies

Discussant: Helen Tilley, Northwestern University

VIII-N-8 Music and Everyday Life in the African Metropolis: Creativity, Media, Political Economy, Part I
Friday, 11/18/2022, 3:45 PM - 5:30 PM

Room: Franklin 4

Chair: Brendan Kibbee, City University of New York

"Music in the Second Person": Praise and Political Economy in Dakar
Brendan Kibbee, The Graduate Center, CUNY

Music as a tool of bridging the geographical in-betweenness between urban cities and upcountry villages in Kenya

Edwin Tallam, Moi University

'Urban Sacred Sounds': Gospel music and everyday street culture in Lagos, Nigeria

Samuel Ajose, University of Ibadan, Nigeria

VIII-L-9 New Directions in African Cultural Studies: Re/inventions of African Traditions and Pasts
Friday, 11/18/2022, 3:45 PM - 5:30 PM

Room: Conference 404

Chair: Cullen Goldblatt, SUNY Binghamton

"The Moffie Manuscripts": A Queer Investigation into the Roots of Cape Town's Royals

Cullen Goldblatt, SUNY Binghamton

Maimouna and Mary: Gendered Holiness in the Murid Visual Tradition

Ivy Mills, University of California, Berkeley

Colonial Predecessors to the "African Epic" Debate: Belgian Congo and Rwanda

Jonathon Repinecz, George Mason University

Discussant: Fatoumata Seck, Stanford University

VIII-S-1 Speaking to Others, Speaking for Themselves: African Activists' Use of Radio and Print in the 1950s-70s

Friday, 11/18/2022, 3:45 PM - 5:30 PM

Room: Conference 404

Chair: Matthew Swagler, Williams College

Finding a Voice on Radio Cairo: Anticolonial Broadcast and Surveillance in Late Colonial Uganda

Florence Brisset-Foucault, University of Paris 1, Panthéon-Sorbonne

The Press: The First Social and Political Arena for the Development of Pan-African Relations Between Ghana and (Belgian) Congo, 1957-1962.

Elisabeth Dikizeko, Université Paris1 Panthéon-Sorbonne

The Global Revolution in Print: Dipanda and the Deprovincialization of Congolese Political Life

Matthew Swagler, Connecticut College

Doctors, School Curriculum, and the 1973 Pan-African Games: Guinean Exiles and Questioning the "Modern" State in Guinea

John Straussberger, Florida Gulf Coast University

Discussant: Ellen Centime Zeleke, Columbia University

VIII-S-9 Non-violent Resistance to Excessive Force by the State in sub-Sahara Africa

Friday, 11/18/2022, 3:45 PM - 5:30 PM

Room: Salon K

Chair: Robert Press, California State University/Long Beach

Voices of Youth Activists Against Police Extrajudicial Killings in Kenya: Moving Beyond Structural Arguments in Social Movements

Robert Press, University of Southern Mississippi

The Cost of Resisting Excessive Force by the State: Investigating the ENDSARS Protest in Nigeria

Ogechi Maylieta Aabaniwu, French Institute for Research in Africa

Sit At Home or Perish: The Igbo People's Reaction to State Violence
Adanna Ogbonna-Oluikpe, Louisiana State University

VIII-R-5 Religion and Place-making in the Domestic Diasporas of Senegambia

Friday, 11/18/2022, 3:45 PM - 5:30 PM

Room: Conference 307

Chairs: Emily Jenan Riley, El Colegio de México and Margaret Rowley, Boston University

Sponsored by: Senegambia Studies Group

Diola Religion in the City

Robert Baum, Dartmouth College

The Layène Community of Ziguinchor: Religious Minority in a Time of Conflict

Emily Jenan Riley, El Colegio de México

Divine Beings: Senegal's Layène Sufi Community and the Ocean

Margaret Rowley, Boston University

VIII-Q-8 Author Meets Critic: Space and Time in African Cinema and Cine-scapes, Vlad Dima, Meaning-Less-Ness: Time, Rhythm, and the Undead in Postcolonial Cinema

Friday, 11/18/2022, 3:45 PM - 5:30 PM

Room: Franklin 3

Chairs: Kenneth Harrow, Michigan State University and Vlad Dima, University of Wisconsin

Book Title: *Space and Time in African Cinema and Cine-scapes; Meaning-Less-Ness*

Authors: Kenneth Harrow, Michigan State University
Vlad Dima, University of Wisconsin

Odile Cazenave, Boston University
Kenneth Harrow, Michigan State University
Carmela Garritano, Texas A&M University
Akinwumi Adesokan, Indiana University
Connor Ryan, University of Bristol

VIII-S-10 The Cameroon Anglophone Political Crisis in Historical Perspective

Friday, 11/18/2022, 3:45 PM - 5:30 PM

Room: Franklin 2

Chair: Jude Jude, Regis University

Sponsored by: North American Association of Scholars of Cameroon (NAASC)

The Post-WW1 Anglo-French Partition of Cameroon and the Subsequent British Policies in the British Cameroons as Prelude to the Cameroon Anglophone Problem

George Njung, University of the Witwatersrand

Mobility, Checkpoints, and the Historical Imagination of Anglophone Nationalism in Cameroon

Rogers Orock, University of the Witwatersrand

Problematising the intelligentsia in the Anglophone Cameroon freedom Struggle

Womai Song, Earlham College

Ambazonian Youths on the Move: Wasted Talent, Mobility and Creativity in times of War

Bridget Teboh, University of Massachusetts-Dartmouth

Discussant: Elias Bongmba, Rice University

VIII-G-10 Roundtable: The Plight of Nigerian Women in the Nigerian Political System

Friday, 11/18/2022, 3:45 PM - 5:30 PM

Room: Franklin 13

Chairs: Chika Okoye, Rowan University and Cyril Obi, SSRC

Sponsored by: Nigerian Studies Association

Sussie Okoro, University of Maryland Baltimore County
Hadiza Abdulrahman, Bishop Grosseteste University, UK
Rita Offiaeli, Quinnipiac University
Titilope Ajayi, SSRC

II-K-2 Author Meets Critic: Wealth, Land and Property in Angola: A History of Dispossession, Slavery and Inequality

Friday: 11/18/2022, 3:45 PM - 5:30 PM

Room: Conference 413

Chair: Ana Lucia Araujo, Howard University

Sponsored by: African Studies Review

Book Title: *Wealth, Land and Property in Angola: A History of Dispossession, Slavery and Inequality*

Author: Mariana Candido, Emory University

Roquinaldo Ferreira, University of Pennsylvania
Marissa Moorman, University of Wisconsin Madison

VIII-C-13 Roundtable: Reproductive Rights After the End of Roe: Implications for the Africanist Community

Friday, 11/18/2022, 3:45 PM - 5:30 PM

Room: Franklin Hall 11

Susanne Klausen, Penn State University
Lynn Thomas, University of Washington
Siri Suh, Brandeis University

VIII-M-12 Young people and the experiences and promises of migration in Africa

Friday, 11/18/2022, 3:45 PM - 5:30 PM

Room: Conference 306

Chair: Elizabeth Ferris, Georgetown University

Domestic labour and immigration into the republic of Djibouti by young Ethiopians and Somalis

Amina Said Chire, University of Djibouti

The Role of Eritrean University Students in Ethiopia in Advocacy and Migration Management

Jennifer Riggan, Arcadia University

Migration Trajectories of child migrants from Southern Ethiopia destined to South Africa

Meron Zeleke, Addis Ababa University

Ambition and sorrow: the ambivalences of migration among young Ethiopian mothers

Lauren Carruth, American University and Lahra Smith, Georgetown University

Discussant: Alemmaya Mulugeta, Georgetown University

Session IX

IX-AN-16 AfricaNow!: A "Hustler" wins Kenya's 2022 Presidential Elections: Meaning and Implications for Africa

Saturday, 11/19/2022, 8:00 AM - 9:45 AM

Room: Conference 408

Group Presentation Chair: Womai Song, Earlham College

Breezie Gibson, Earlham College
Onyinye Ihezukwu, Earlham College

George Njung, Baylor University
Yaro Loveline, University of Buca, Cameroon

IX-AN-17 AfricaNow!: Exiles in/and Nation: Space, Gender, Exile and Algeria in Nabil Fares and Taos Amrouche
Saturday, 11/19/2022, 8:00 AM - 9:45 AM
Room: Conference 409

Lourdes Patricia Iñiguez Torres, B. Universidad de Guadalajara

IX-A-10 The African-Pacific: Historical and Contemporary Approaches
Saturday, 11/19/2022, 8:00 AM - 9:45 AM
Room: Conference 307
Chair: Amsale Alemu, Harvard University

African Nationalism, Socialist Internationalism, and Discourses of China-Tanzanian Solidarity, 1960-1966
Ruodi Duan, Harvard University

Ethiopian Imperial and Counter-Imperial Project(ion)s in Japan and Indochina
Amsale Alemu, Harvard University

Erotics for the Easterly: African-Asian Women's Literature at the Zimbabwe International Book Fair
Tadiwa Madenga, Harvard University

Discussant: Yasmina Martin, Yale University

IX-B-3 Transformations in Africa's Diasporas
Saturday, 11/19/2022, 8:00 AM - 9:45 AM
Room: Conference 405
Chair: Krystal Strong, University of Pennsylvania

'We, on the other side': Black Internationalism in the Lusophone World, 1950s-1980s
C. Darius Gordon, University of California, Berkeley

Moscow Africans: Sociocultural Transformations at Transition from the Soviet Union to the Russian Federation
Dmitry Bondarenko, Institute for African Studies

Heritage Tourism, Diaspora Repatriation, Pan-Africanism, and Africa's Development
Jeremiah Dibua, Morgan State University, Baltimore, MD

IX-C-16 Roundtable: When Women Speak Part I: A film about Ghanaian Women's activism
Saturday, 11/19/2022, 8:00 AM - 9:45 AM
Room: Salon L
Chair: Mary Osirim, Bryn Mawr College

Akosua Adomako Ampofo, University of Ghana
Akosua Darkwah, University of Ghana
Nana Akua Anyidoho, University of Ghana
Kate Skinner, Birmingham University
Aseye Tamakloe, University of Ghana

IX-C-15 African Women's Agency and Empowerment: Critical Perspectives, Part III
Saturday, 11/19/2022, 8:00 AM - 9:45 AM
Room: Conference 414-415
Chair: Phyllis Kyei Mensah, Miami University of Ohio

The Agency of Political Widowhood: The Nigerian Military Widows Association in Perspective
Fisayo Ajala, Stellenbosch University

Crafting Future Memories: Reflections on a Female Carpentry Training Project in Lagos
Bukola Aluko-Kpotie, SOAS University of London

"Etu to a, esi barima bo": Un-gendering Culture, Nuancing Notions of Feminist Agency and Empowerment
Phyllis Kyei Mensah, Miami University of Ohio

Preventing and Defending against Witchcraft Accusation in Cities and Small Towns in the Northern Region of Ghana, 1998-2015
Monica Tetzlaff, Indiana University-South Bend

Discussant: Susanna Wing, Haverford College

IX-S-12 Black Women's Transnational and Local Activism in Mid-Twentieth Century Ghana, the United States, Togo, and South Africa
Saturday, 11/19/2022, 8:00 AM - 9:45 AM
Room: Conference 404
Chairs: Katie Carline, Michigan State University and Catherine Higgs, University of British Columbia

Togolese Women Merchants and the Transnational Politics of Decolonization
Marius Kothor, Yale University

A Pan-African Intersection Rediscovered: Christine Johnson, Kwame Nkrumah, and Malcolm X
Michael West, Pennsylvania State University

Sewing the Revival Tents: Black Women's Church Organizations and the Public Duties of Home-Making in a South African City, 1952-1963
Katie Carline, Michigan State University

'I don't think they regarded us as people': Black Women in Early Apartheid South Africa and the Catholic Sisterhood
Catherine Higgs, University of British Columbia

Discussant: Judith Byfield, Cornell University

IX-G-12 China in Africa's Development Landscapes
Saturday, 11/19/2022, 8:00 AM - 9:45 AM
Room: Franklin 13
Chair: Sabella Abidde, Alabama State University

Spillover Effects of Chinese Investments in Angola and Mozambique: Implications for Agenda 2063 Aspiration One
Susan Cossa, University of Denver

Exporting Chinese Labor Regime and Space to Africa: A Case Study on the Chinese State-owned Enterprise Contractors and Their Construction Compounds in Africa
Cheng Chen, University of Virginia

The Lure of Development: Documenting the social, economic and environmental cost of a Chinese fishmeal plant to local fisherman in the Gambia
Tara Mock, The University of Alabama

IX-O-12 Closing the Gap Between Voters and Government: Social media, Brokers, & the Voting public
Saturday, 11/19/2022, 8:00 AM - 9:45 AM
Room: Conference 412
Chair: Nicholas Kerr, University of Florida

What Makes Brokers Effective? Voter Persuasion in a Weak Democracy
Lisa Mueller, Macalester College and Moumouni Goungoubane, Université Abdou-Moumouni (Niger)

New media and new dimensions of participatory politics in Africa: An analysis of user responses to Uganda's 2021 presidential campaign messages on Facebook
Barbara Bashabe, University of Massachusetts - Lowell

Political Engagement during Democratic Backsliding: Evidence from Zambia
Erin Hern, Syracuse University

Electoral Turnover, Party Realignment, and Local Factional Rivalry in Senegal
Marie Gagné, Concordia University

Eroding the Partisan Partition? A cross-national examination of pandemic mistrust
Carl LeVan, American University

IX-T-16 Elite Africa, Part III: Gender, Ritual and Knowledge Production as Sources of Power
Saturday, 11/19/2022, 8:00 AM - 9:45 AM
Room: Conference 401-402
Chair: David Schoenbrun, Northwestern University

Elite Ritual: Buganda Queen-mothership, Historical Imaging, and Imagination in the 20th-Century.
Nakanyike Musisi, University of Toronto

Elite knowledge/Knowledge Elites in Africa: Political Ecology of Expertise
Sean Hawkins, University of Toronto

Gender and the making of new elites in South Africa
Shireen Hassim, Carleton University

IX-T-14 (Wo)men Theorising and Rising: Targeting Africa's Youth Through Community-Focused Research
Saturday, 11/19/2022, 8:00 AM - 9:45 AM
Room: Franklin Hall 12

Chair: Hadiza Kere Abdulrahman, Bishop Grosseteste and Haddy Njie, North Carolina State University

Relational Ethics as more than just words: The 'Adopt an Almajiri School' Initiative
Hadiza Kere Abdulrahman, Bishop Grosseteste University

From Research to Praxis: The Indigenization of GIRL POWER in The Gambia
Haddy Njie, North Carolina State University

Doing A PhD in Africa: Reflections on how informal PhD support networks contribute to/engage the praxis-to-theory nexus
Titi Ajayi, University of Ghana

Jongé as a Source of Senegalese Women's Knowledge Production
ASTOU FALL GUEYE, University of Wisconsin

Discussant: Hadiza Kere Abdulrahman, Bishop Grosseteste University

IX-N-9 Music and Everyday Life in the African Metropolis: Creativity, Media, Political Economy, Part II
Saturday, 11/19/2022, 8:00 AM - 9:45 AM
Room: Franklin 4
Chair: Brendan Kibbee, City University of New York

'Fúji lóni'gboro (Fúji owns the streets)': Street Musicking and the Political Economy of Everyday Life in Lagos
Oladele Ayorinde, University of the Witwatersrand, Johannesburg

The creative life of hymns (difela) in Gauteng: A decolonial appraisal
Kgomo Moshugi, University of the Witwatersrand

MUSIC AS AN EMERGING VOICE IN SCIENTIFIC HEALTH COMMUNICATION DURING COVID.
Caren Jerop, Alupe University College, Kenya

IX-P-13 Roundtable: Muslim Societies and Peacebuilding in Africa
Saturday, 11/19/2022, 8:00 AM - 9:45 AM
Room: Conference 305
Chair: Mbaye Lo, Duke University

Bryan Rusch, Duke University
Wendy Wilson-Fall, Lafayette College
Hamdy Hassan, Zayed University
Muhammed Haron, University of Stellenbosch

IX-Q-9 Narratives of Place: Creativity, Mobility, and the Changing Times in African Literature and Cinema
Saturday, 11/19/2022, 8:00 AM - 9:45 AM
Room: Conference 410
Chair: Olusegun Soetan, Pennsylvania State University

The Transformative Spaces of Kivu Ruboroboza's Father's Day
Mary Ellen Higgins, Pennsylvania State University, Greater Allegheny

Allegories of Place: Contrasting Uses of Location in Early Nigerian Cinema
Akin Adesokan, Indiana University, Bloomington

Inventing Dystopia: Narrative of Place and Trauma in Kunle Afolayan's October 1
Olusegun Soetan and Iyunolu Osagie, Pennsylvania State University

Toponymy as Tool for Othering in African Communities
Gabriel Ayoola, University of Michigan

IX-K-15 Roundtable: New Feminist Histories of Gender and Mobility in 20th Century Africa
Saturday, 11/19/2022, 8:00 AM - 9:45 AM
Room: Conference 303-304
Chair: Meghan Healy-Clancy, Bridgewater State University

Madina Thiam, Drexel University
Dawne Curry, University of Nebraska
Athambile Masola, University of Cape Town
Jill Kelly, Southern Methodist University
Meghan Healy-Clancy, Bridgewater State University

IX-T-17 New Horizons in Knowledge Production: Part I
Saturday, 11/19/2022, 8:00 AM - 9:45 AM
Room: Franklin 1
Chair: Seulgie Lim, Bates College
Sponsored by: Emerging Scholars Network

Neo-Colonialists in Tandem with local elites: Kaveena by Boubacar Boris Diop
Brigid Enchill, University of Kansas

Re-imagining the Nigeria-Biafra War using Academic and Creative Research Practices
Jumoke Verissimo, University of Alberta

Interdisciplinary and cross-disciplinary mobilities in exploring the security-development nexus in prevention and countering of violent extremism in Kenya
Moses Osiro, Masinde Muliro University of Science and Technology

New insights into the transatlantic slave trade through the Kingdom of Appolonia
Eric Kesse, Michigan State University

IX-K-14 New perspectives on modernization, infrastructure and social change in colonial and postcolonial Africa
Saturday, 11/19/2022, 8:00 AM - 9:45 AM
Room: Conference 411
Chair: Nate Plageman, Wake Forest University

"The Politics of Sociability: Sekondi's Optimism Club and the Making of an Urban Public, c. 1925-1940"
Nate Plageman, Wake Forest University

Towards a social cultural history of civil aviation in Africa
Baz Lecocq, Humboldt University of Berlin and Dmitri van den Bersselaar, Leipzig University

Decolonization and the African City: The Case of Lagos, Nigeria
Halimat Somotan, Carnegie Mellon University

Galvanizing a Nation: Zambian Border Insecurity and the Sabotage of Luangwa Bridge
Michael Panzer, Marist College

IX-L-2 Peripheral Cross-Fertilizations, Part I
Saturday, 11/19/2022, 8:00 AM - 9:45 AM
Room: Conference 407
Chair: Michèle Kenfack, Independent Scholar

A Semanto-sociolinguistic Approach to Negation in Jamaican Creole
Tris Faulkner, Kalamazoo College

Jean-Joseph Rabearivelo's "World Republic of Letters"
Manfa Sanogo, Kalamazoo College

Congo in the Caribbean: examining the polysemy of Congo through the lens of cross-Atlantic thinking
Alexis Finet, Vanderbilt University

IX-K-16 Roundtable: Publishing in the Journal of West African History
Saturday, 11/19/2022, 8:00 AM - 9:45 AM
Room: Conference 306
Chair: Nwando Achebe, Michigan State University and Trevor Getz, San Francisco State University

Ndubueze Mbah, SUNY at Buffalo
Saheed Aderinto, Western Carolina University
Harry Nii Koney Odamtten, Santa Clara University
Vincent Hiribarren, Kings College London
Mark Deets, The American University in Cairo

IX-T-15 Sports in Africa III: Sports struggles in History
Saturday, 11/19/2022, 8:00 AM - 9:45 AM
Room: Franklin 3
Chair: Michelle Sikes, Penn State University
Sponsored by: Sports Africa

Israel-South Africa sports ties in the Apartheid era
Itamar Dubinsky, Ben-Gurion University of the Negev, Israel.
Fields and Dreams: Black Competitive Cycling in Kimberley, South Africa (1925-60)
Todd H Leedy, University of Florida

Sporting Semantics: Language, Print Media, and the Olympics in Kenyan History
Michelle Sikes and Marika Hall, Penn State University

Re-Emergence of Pan-African Sport
Hannah Borenstein, Duke University.

IX-G-13 Taxation in Africa pt III: International taxation and tax justice

Saturday, 11/19/2022, 8:00 AM - 9:45 AM

Room: Salon K

Chair: Anne Mette Kjær, Aarhus University

Contradictions in the South Africa-Democratic Republic of Congo Double Tax Treaty and the United Nations Model Tax Convention: A link between taxing rights and foreign direct investment?

Simon Rakei, University of Cape Town

OECD Pillar 2 proposal and its incidences - challenges for Africa

Sabrine Marsit, Africa Middle East, IBFD

The Politics of African Country Participation in the OECD IF on BEPS

Chenai Mukumba, Tax Justice Network Africa and Thuloni Shongwe, African Tax Administration Forum

Politics, Revenue Bargaining and Uganda's Petroleum Sector Regulation and Taxation Legislation

Dan Ngabirano, School of Law Makerere University

Discussant: Daniel Mulé, Oxfam America

IX-F-6 The Sustainability Transitions Debate: A Panel Discussion on Requisite Reforms and Innovations for Africa

Saturday, 11/19/2022, 8:00 AM - 9:45 AM

Room: Conference 413

Ojijo Odhiambo, UNDP

George Odera Outa, Technical University of Kenya

IX-L-10 Traces of Internationalism

Saturday, 11/19/2022, 8:00 AM - 9:45 AM

Room: Conference 403

Chairs: Sarah Quesada, Duke University and Fatoumata Seck, Stanford University

Cold War Transatlanticisms: A South-South Literary History Between Latinx Cuba and Angola

Sarah Quesada, Duke University

Lyrical Combat: Youth Counterculture, Internationalist Solidarity and the Long 1960s in Senegal

Fatoumata Seck, Stanford University

Keeping Vigil: Leftist Solidarities after 1965 across West Africa and Southeast Asia

Annette Damayanti Lienau, Harvard University

Discussant: Souleymane Bachir Diagne, Columbia University

IX-J-5 Women's Role & Representation in Health, Healing, & Disability

Saturday, 11/19/2022, 8:00 AM - 9:45 AM

Room: Franklin Hall 11

Chair: Nana Osei Quarshie, Yale University

Sponsored by: Carnegie Corporation of New York

Lived experiences of migrating informal caregivers in a tertiary health facility in southwest Nigeria

Kudus Adebayo, University of Ibadan

Enhancing digital technology to address Maternal Mortality in Uganda

Sawuya Nakijoba, University of Cape Town

Enhancing women participation in health and wellness in different communities in Uganda

Jane Namukobe, Makerere University

"I thought I belonged, but I was abandoned to myself": Marginalised belonging and the ensuing decline in well-being among divorced Ethiopian female migrants in South Africa

Henrietta Nyamnjoh, University of Cape Town

IX-M-13 Roundtable: Writing Histories of Mobility and Refuge(e) Seeking

Saturday, 11/19/2022, 8:00 AM - 9:45 AM

Room: Franklin 2

Chair: David Glovsky, Boston University

Sponsored by: Lusophone African Studies Organization

Nicholas Nyachega, University of Minnesota

Jill Rosenthal, Hunter College, CUNY

Joanna Tague, Denison University

Session X

X-AN-18 AfricaNow!: Remembering Margaret Jean Hay

Saturday, 11/19/2022, 10:15 AM - 12:00 PM

Room: Franklin 3

Chair: TBD TBD, TBD

Sponsored by: ASA Women's Caucus

X-AN-19 AfricaNow!: HIRAK: Tension and Resistance of a democratic movement in Algeria post-Bouteflika

Saturday, 11/19/2022, 10:15 AM - 12:00 PM

Room: Conference 408

Lourdes Patricia Iñiguez Torres, Universidad de Guadalajara

X-AN-20 AfricaNow!: Will Recent Restrictions on Reproductive Rights in the United States Impact Africa?

Saturday, 11/19/2022, 10:15 AM - 12:00 PM

Room: Conference 409

Helen Bond, Howard University

X-A-11 Roundtable: Natural resources exploitation, social instability, and ecological disaster in Central Africa

Saturday, 11/19/2022, 10:15 AM - 12:00 PM

Room: Conference 401-402

Chair: Jean-Michel Mabeko-Tali, Howard University

Sponsored by: Central African Studies Association

Charles Tshimanga-Kashama, University of Nevada Reno

Tiffany Camille Wheatland, Howard University

Elijah Zehyoue, Howard University

X-T-19 African Studies Keywords: Panel I
Saturday, 11/19/2022, 10:15 AM - 12:00 PM

Room: Franklin Hall 11

Chair: Rhiannon Stephens, Columbia University and
Rosemary Jolly, Penn State

Sponsored by: African Studies Review

African Studies Keyword: Museum

Ana Lucia Araujo, Howard University

African Studies Keyword: Food Security

William Moseley, Macalester College

African Studies Keyword: Documentary

Rachel Gabara, University of Georgia

African Studies Keyword: Vodou

Douglas Falen, Agnes Scott College and Sela Kodjo Adjei,
National Film and Television Institute, Ghana

Discussant: Abel Chikanda, University of Kansas/McMaster
University

**X-T-18 African Urbanities: Mobility, Creativity, &
Challenges**

Saturday, 11/19/2022, 10:15 AM - 12:00 PM

Room: Conference 405

Chair: Jose Cossa, Pennsylvania State University

Sponsored by: Local Arrangements Committee

*Global African Perspectives on Citizenship, Spaces and Places,
Coloniality, Technology, Spirituality, Onto-epistemology, Systems of
Law*

Sela Adjei and Femi Omere, AI4Afrika

*Global African Perspectives on Citizenship, Spaces and Places,
Coloniality, Technology, Spirituality, Onto-epistemology, Systems of
Law*

Rebecca Bayeck, Utah State University

Discussants: Jasmine Blanks Jones, UPenn and Tawanda
Chabikwa Chabikwa, University of Texas at El Paso

**X-M-14 Africans Migration: [Un]Welcome African
immigrants to Asia**

Saturday, 11/19/2022, 10:15 AM - 12:00 PM

Room: Conference 413

Chair: Austin Uzama, Tatiana International Research
Company Ltd./University of British Columbia

*Student Mobility in the Global South: African Students, Precarity and
Strategies of Survival in Bengaluru, India*
Shambhavi Bhushan, University of Florida

African immigrants in East Asia

Austin Uzama, Tatiana International Research Ltd

*Invisible Transnational Enclaves: African Immigrants and Their Space
Making in Chinese Cities*

Cheng CHEN, University of Virginia

Discussants: Cheng Chen, University of Virginia and
Shambhavi Bhushan, University of Florida

**X-C-18 Art and Expressive Culture in 21st Century
Nigeria**

Saturday, 11/19/2022, 10:15 AM - 12:00 PM

Room: Franklin 4

Chair: Susan Rosenfeld, University of California-Los Angeles

Sponsored by: Lagos Studies Association

*Is Might Always Right? An Analysis of the Restitution Ceremony at
Return of Okukor Benin Artefact in Cambridge 2021*

Chibuzor Azubuike, Kansas State University

*Tunde Kelani's Opomulero Aesthetics in the context of Nigerian
Cinema*

Babatunde Onikoyi, University of Regina

*Beyond Meaning: On Slangifying, Styling, and African Youth
Languages*

Tosin Gbogi, Marquette University

*"He is Not My Pastor": Celebrity spirituality, Pentecostalism &
Public Gaze in Nigeria*

Rosemary Popoola, University of Wisconsin-Madison

Discussant: Oliver Coates, University of Cambridge

**X-D-4 From Reform to Restorative Justice: Decolonial
African Feminist Perspectives Addressing Higher
Education, Faculty Mentoring and Reproductive
Sovereignty**

Saturday, 11/19/2022, 10:15 AM - 12:00 PM

Room: Franklin 13

Chairs: Assata Zerai, University of New Mexico and Reitu
Mabokela, University of Illinois at Urbana Champaign

*Addressing Academic Woundedness among Black Women Faculty
through a Feminist Decoloniality as Care Toolkit*

Stephanie McIver, University of New Mexico

*Student experiences of (non) participation in student protest: a decolonial
feminist approach*

Ronelle Carolissen, Stellenbosch University

*Feminist Decoloniality as Care (FEMDAC): A New Vision for
Promoting Equity and Inclusion in Academic Mentoring Programs*
Assata Zerai, University of New Mexico

*Piloting dynamic health justice partnerships in Uganda: Integrating legal
services in rural health care facilities.*

Elsa Zawedde, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign

Discussant: Relebohile Moletsane, University of KwaZulu-
Natal

X-G-15 Roundtable: Indigenous Youth Perspectives on Employment and Entrepreneurship in Africa Part I
Saturday, 11/19/2022, 10:15 AM - 12:00 PM
Room: Franklin 2
Chairs: Samuel Ojo Oloruntoba, Carleton University and Rick Colborne, Carleton University

Vincent Effebeh, Delta State University
John Mary Kanyamurwa, Kyamboro University
Ambrose Kessy, The University of Dodoma
Lefitiwe Zondo, University of South Africa
Duolo Nyandoro, Moi University Kenya

X-L-11 Mobility, Urbanity, & Narration
Saturday, 11/19/2022, 10:15 AM - 12:00 PM
Room: Conference 403
Chair: Joya Uraizee, Saint Louis University

“Cre‘oral’ization”: orality, the French language, and African immigrant urbanity in Achille Ngoye’s Ballet noir à château-rouge
Blair Watson, Santa Clara University

Young Refugees: Migration and Mobility in Bassof & DeLuca’s “Lost Girl Found”
Joya Uraizee, Saint Louis University

Urban Entanglement: Nollywood and Networked Narration
Connor Ryan, University of Bristol

National housecleaning: domestic servants, newness, and cockroaches in The Apartment in Bab el-Louk
Nada Ayad, The Cooper Union

Writing Douala and Elsewhere: Mapping Regional Mobilities in Max Lobe’s Loin de Douala (2018) and Hemley Boum’s Les jours viennent et passent (2019)
Marion Tricoire, Grinnell College

X-K-17 Organizing One’s Thoughts: Creating Categories from the Baraza to the OAU
Saturday, 11/19/2022, 10:15 AM - 12:00 PM
Room: Conference 306
Chair: Morgan Robinson, Mississippi State University

Rethinking Refuge: The Organization of African Unity’s framing of refugees in the 1960s
Marcia Schenck, Potsdam University

Creating “Africa” at UNESCO: the 1961 Conference on the Development of Education in Africa
Elisa Prosperetti, National Institute of Education, Singapore

Constructing the “youthful creator of the New Society” – State discourse and the making of a Juventude in post-independence Mozambique
Johanna Wetzel, University of Oxford

Hearing Voices: Mozambique and the Politics of Voç Africana
Zachary Kagan-Guthrie, University of Mississippi

Discussant: Morgan Robinson, Mississippi State University

X-E-8 People as Infrastructure Revisited: Recent Perspectives from South Africa
Saturday, 11/19/2022, 10:15 AM - 12:00 PM
Room: Conference 412
Chairs: Jessica Dickson, Florida Atlantic University and Renugan Raidoo, Harvard University

Producing the Film City: Filmworkers as Studio Infrastructure in Cape Town
Jessica Dickson, Florida Atlantic University

Arterial Stops: Automating South African blood service labor and laboratory Infrastructures
Emily Avera, Colgate University

Counterinsurgent citizenship: On the improvisation of elite worldmaking
Renugan Raidoo, Harvard University

Discussant: Claudia Gastrow, University of Johannesburg

X-L-3 Peripheral Cross-Fertilizations, Part II
Saturday, 11/19/2022, 10:15 AM - 12:00 PM
Room: Conference 407
Chair: Manfa Sanogo, Kalamazoo College

In Praise of Blackness: (Self)-Exploration, Roots, and Legacy
Michèle Kenfack, Independent Scholar

Sport and migrations : (post)colonial routes, shattered hopes, and impermeable borders in Francophone comics and novels
Murielle Djomatchoua Tiako, Princeton University

Marronnage Famadihana in Chamoiseau’s L’esclave vieil homme et le molosse
Franck H. Andrianarivo, American University Paris

X-S-13 Pursuing Pleasure amid Challenge: Lessons from East Africa
Saturday, 11/19/2022, 10:15 AM - 12:00 PM
Room: Conference 410
Chair: Beth Ann Williams, Florida State University

“Full of joy and singing”: rest and pleasure in the lives of rural Tanzanian women
Beth Ann Williams, Florida State University

The Joy of a good gossip: Talk, pleasure and community building among women on the Swahili coast
Elisabeth McMahon, Tulane University

Joy in the Lives of Kenyan Girl Athletes
Dawson McCall, Loyola University, New Orleans

The Leisure of Old Age in Africa
Charles Ambler, The University of Texas at El Paso

X-E-7 Remaking East African Cities through Fixity and Flux
Saturday, 11/19/2022, 10:15 AM - 12:00 PM

Room: Conference 305

Chairs: Bettina Ng'weno, University of California, Davis and Joella Bitter, Independent Scholar (2021-22 ACLS Fellow)

Driving Anyhowly in the City that Used to be Nairobi
Bettina Ng'weno, University of California, Davis

Kampala, Iraq: Labor Externalization and the Urban Afterlife of War
Jacob Doherty, University of Edinburgh

"We are Not at War, but We are Not at Peace": Urban Remaking through the Alternative Infrastructure of Small-Scale Money Transfer in Bentin and Malakal, South Sudan
Christian Doll, North Carolina State University and Gai Makiew Gai, South Sudan Integrated Development Organization

The City Gulugulu Became: Exploring Audible Pasts in the Present
Joella Bitter, Independent Scholar (2021-22 ACLS Scholar)

Discussant: Emily Callaci, University of Wisconsin Madison

X-O-13 Representation and Exclusion

Saturday, 11/19/2022, 10:15 AM - 12:00 PM

Room: Conference 303-304

Chair: Safia Farole, Portland State University

Empowered Locally, Excluded Nationally: Reexamining the Ability of Decentralization to Reduce Ethnic Groups' Grievances
Narrelle Gilchrist, Princeton University

Of 'Yellow Girls' and Banana Leaves: Women and the Removal of Executive Term Limits in Uganda
Amanda Edgell, The University of Alabama

Erasure and Resistance: Ontological Insecurity and the Rwandan Batwa
Austin Schutz, The University of Alabama

Somewhere Over the Rainbow: Examining LGBT Rights Advancements and Candidate Elections in Southern Africa
Mircea Lazar, Michigan State University

Discussants: Alice Kang, University of Nebraska-Lincoln and Amanda Edgell, The University of Alabama

X-B-4 Roundtable: Research and Pan-African Returns: Intergenerational Reflections of Diasporan Scholars Working in Africa

Saturday, 11/19/2022, 10:15 AM - 12:00 PM

Room: Conference 414-415

Chairs: Krystal Strong, University of Pennsylvania and Reginold Royston, University of Wisconsin-Madison

Carolyn A. Brown, Rutgers University
Yolanda Covington-Ward, University of Pittsburgh
Xavier Livermon, University of California, Santa Cruz
Benjamin Talton, Howard University

X-I-5 Sudan's 2018/2019 Uprising and its Aftermath: Movement-Building, Knowledge-Production, and A Feminist Politics of Care

Saturday, 11/19/2022, 10:15 AM - 12:00 PM

Room: Conference 411

Chair: Horace Campbell, Syracuse University

Sitat Al-Shai (Women Street Vendors) in Sudan: Informality, Resistance, Organizing, and Politics of Care
Nada Ali, University of Massachusetts Boston

Friendships, Networks, and Embedded Power in and During Sudan's Revolution
Mai Azzam, University of Bayreuth

Grassroots Mobilization in Africa: The 2018 Sudanese Uprising
Mahder Serekerberhan, University of Syracuse

Women Farmers and Food Sovereignty in Sudan's South Kordofan
Naglaa Abdulwahid, Farmer and Gender Advisor and Nada Ali, U Mass Boston

X-G-14 Taxation in Africa pt IV: Historical and contemporary taxation in Sierra Leone

Saturday, 11/19/2022, 10:15 AM - 12:00 PM

Room: Salon K

Chair: Vanessa van den Boogaard, University of Toronto/ICTD

The Gendered Impacts of Municipal Taxes for Funding and Financing Urban Infrastructure
Astrid Haas, University of Toronto

So that they might tax themselves": Taxation, taxpayers, and representation in Freetown, 1890s-1930s
Laura Channing, LSE

Home and Away: The Legacy of British Colonialism in the Evolution of the Sierra Leonean Property Tax System
Sripriya Srivatsa, St Catharine's College, University of Cambridge/ICTD

Labour, tax, and development in Sierra Leone: Shifting norms around labour taxes from the colonial era to today
Vanessa van den Boogaard, University of Toronto/ICTD

Discussants: Susan Shepler, American University and Ismail Rashid, Vassar College

X-H-5 Teaching Africa III: Lessons By, For, and About the Continent

Saturday, 11/19/2022, 10:15 AM - 12:00 PM

Room: Franklin Hall 12

Chair: Amber Reed, Spelman College and Bailey Brown, Spelman College

"Our Grandmothers and Grandfathers Were Knowledgeable People. Their Eyes Were Open." Reflections on Developing Curriculum in Support of School Learning in Ghana

Ann Stahl and Allison Balabuch, University of Victoria - British Columbia

Teaching indigenous African sociocultural systems in classroom as an effective approach to making Africa and Africans understood
Amanuel Beyin, University of Louisville and Michael Takafor Ndemanu, Ball State University

Teaching Gender and Sexuality in African History
Elizabeth Williams, University of Kentucky

The Academic Discourse of Africa in African and African in Diaspora Studies (Black Studies)
Jackline Kirungi, University of Wisconsin - Milwaukee

Discussant: Alden Young, University of California - Los Angeles

X-E-9 Roundtable: The Modernity of Witchcraft (first published as *La Sorecelerie en Afrique: La Viande des Autres*): Twenty-Five Years Later
Saturday, 11/19/2022, 10:15 AM - 12:00 PM
Room: Conference 404
Chairs: Achille Mbembe, University of the Witwatersrand and Katrien Pype, KU Leuven

Adeline Masquelier, Tulane University
Wale Adebani, University of Pennsylvania
Robert Blunt, Lafayette College
Adam Ashforth, University of Michigan
Rogers Oroko, University of the Witwatersrand

X-Q-10 Urban Africa and the Covid-19 pandemic
Saturday, 11/19/2022, 10:15 AM - 12:00 PM
Room: Franklin 1
Chair: Douglas Mpondi, Metropolitan State University of Denver

Resilience; surviving Covid-19 in urban Africa
Ismael Muringi, Nova Southeastern University

The Winter of Discontent: Socio-political Activism, COVID, and the Urban Youth of Southern Africa
Shingi Mavima, University of Toledo

The Impact of Covid-19 on Traveling Urban Musicians in Zimbabwe
Praise Zenenga, University of Arizona

The Covid-19 pandemic, social media, and urbanites in Zimbabwe
Douglas Mpondi, Metropolitan State University of Denver

X-C-17 Roundtable: When Women Speak Part II: A film about Ghanaian Women's activism
Saturday, 11/19/2022, 10:15 AM - 12:00 PM
Room: Salon L
Chair: Mary Osirim, Bryn Mawr College

Akosua Adomako Ampofo, University of Ghana
Akosua Darkwah, University of Ghana
Nana Akua Anyidoho, University of Ghana

Kate Skinner, Birmingham University

X-Q-11 Author Meets Critic: Worlding Postcolonial Sexualities: Publics, Counterpublics, Human Rights
Saturday, 11/19/2022, 10:15 AM - 12:00 PM
Room: Conference 307
Chair: Carli Coetzee, Oxford University
Book Title: *Worlding Postcolonial Sexualities: Publics, Counterpublics, Human Rights*
Author: Kanika Batra, Texas Tech University

Gcobani Qambela, University of Johannesburg
Ashley Currier, University of Cincinnati
April Sizemore-Barber, GeorgeTown University

Session XI

XI-AN-21 AfricaNow!: Repatriation, Restitution, Reparations: New Agreements and Exhibitions of African "Collections" in European Cultural Institutions
Saturday, 11/19/2022, 1:30 PM - 3:15 PM
Room: Conference 407

Zoé Samudzi, Rhode Island School of Design
Merve Fejzula, University of Missouri

XI-AN-22) AfricaNow!: The Wrinkled Faces of the Sahel
Saturday, 11/19/2022, 1:30 PM - 3:15 PM
Room: Conference 408

Fatoumata Adelle BARRY, Johns Hopkins University
Bloomberg School of Public Health

XI-AN-23 AfricaNow!: A Big Blindspot in US Africa Policy: Developments in Ethiopia's Broader South
Saturday, 11/19/2022, 1:30 PM - 3:15 PM
Room: Conference 409
Chair: Bonnie Holcomb, The George Washington University, ICPS

Asebe Regassa, University of Zurich, Switzerland
Kebene Wodajo, University of St. Gallen (HSG), Switzerland
Etana Habte Dinka, James Madison University

XI-G-17 Change and Continuity in Kenya's Urban and Political Landscape
Saturday, 11/19/2022, 1:30 PM - 3:15 PM
Room: Conference 404
Chair: Mickie Koster, University of Texas

Kenya Under the Kenyattas: A Dialectical Perspective
Wanjala Nasong'o, Rhodes College

Urbanization and The History of Matatu Transportation in Nairobi
Mickie Mwanzia Koster, University of Texas, Tyler, Texas

Toponymy: Some insights into politics of recent Street Naming in Nairobi
John Kamau, University of Toronto

State Degeneration, Devolution, and Urban Decay in Kenya
Michael Mwenda Kithinji, University of Central Arkansas

Discussants: Nicholas Githuku, York College, CUNY and
Godriver Odhiambo, Le Moyne College

XI-A-12 Chinese Grand Strategy and the China-Taiwan Nexus

Saturday, 11/19/2022, 1:30 PM - 3:15 PM

Room: Conference 305

Chair: Singumbe Muyebe, University of Denver

China, Taiwan, and the Struggle for Diplomatic Recognition in Africa
Sabella Abidde, Alabama State University

After Dollar Diplomacy: Africa-Taiwan Relations from Below during the Africa-China Moment
Derek Sheridan, Academia Sinica

Under Dragon Claws: Africa's Development Aspirations and Chinese Grand Strategy in the World System
Susan Cossa and Singumbe Muyebe, University of Denver

XI-L-12 Disturbing Gazes and Synesthetic Discomfort in sub-Saharan Africa

Saturday, 11/19/2022, 1:30 PM - 3:15 PM

Room: Conference 403

Chair: Maude Havenne, Georgetown University

Zango and the Death of Dreams: A grotesque Reading of Abubakar Ibrahim's Dreams and Assorted Nightmares
Theresah Addai-Mununkum, University of Cape Coast

Neo-Colonialists in Tandem with local elites: Revelations through the quest of an unrelenting mother, Kaveena by Boubacar Boris Diop
Brigid Enchill, University of Kansas

Pious Blasphemy and Disturbing Humor in Nàgò-Yorùbá Moviemaking
Brian C. Smithson, University of Virginia

From Bad Manners in the Belgian Colony to a Postcolonial Aesthetic of Disgust
Maude Havenne, Georgetown University

XI-H-6 Dreaming, Struggling, and Thriving: Analyses of Educational Improvements and Costs

Saturday, 11/19/2022, 1:30 PM - 3:15 PM

Room: Conference 307

Chair: Margarita Rose, King's College

Making the Dream a Reality in Women and Girl-Child Education: The Story of Starebe Girls Centre and School, Kenya
Peter Ojiambo, University of Kansas

Credit and Education in a Crisis: SACCOs and Costs of COVID-19 for Schools in Uganda
MARGARITA ROSE, King's College

By the Numbers and from Their Own Voices: Identifying and Understanding Pathways to Student Thriving at a Public University in Benin.

Oumarou Abdoulaye Balarabe, Ohio University

New Media, Language and the Study of African Literature in Post-Covid 19 Era: Challenges and Prospects

Nnenna Lucy Chiemeka, Babcock University and Ezinwanyi Adam, Babcock University

XI-C-21 Feminist Decoloniality as Care (FEMDAC): Black Women's Narratives of Resistance in the U.S. and South Africa

Saturday, 11/19/2022, 1:30 PM - 3:15 PM

Room: Conference 410

Chairs: Assata Zerai, University of New Mexico and
Relebohile Moletsane, University of KwaZulu-Natal

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Comply or be cast out". Academic Bullying in the Corporate University
Saajidha Sader, University of KwaZulu-Natal

"Narratives of Resistance from the Academy": Academic woundedness, violence, and inhumanity in higher education
Teresa Y. Neely, University of New Mexico

"No Honor Amongst Thieves: Academe answers Damascus": The seamless production of woundedness in Black women
Evangelina Q. Oates, Westchester Community College

Arts-based research and collaborative curating: dialogical spaces of care and feminist decoloniality
Ingrid Bamberg, University of KwaZulu-Natal

Discussant: Ronelle Carolissen, Stellenbosch University

XI-K-19 Roundtable: Freetown@230: Rethinking the "Province of Freedom"

Saturday, 11/19/2022, 1:30 PM - 3:15 PM

Chair: Sylvia Macauley, California State University-Northridge

Gibril Cole, Louisiana State University
Ismail Rashid, Vassar College
Ibrahim Abdullah, Fourah Bay College, University of Sierra Leone
Joseph Bangura, Delaware State University
Nemata Blyden, George Washington University

XI-D-5 ICT and PAN AFRICANISM

Saturday, 11/19/2022, 1:30 PM - 3:15 PM

Room: Conference 413

Chair: Pondi Jean-Emmanuel, ICT University, Cameroon

The Role of ICT in the realization of the Pan African Vision
Ayeni Foluso, ICT University, Cameroon

ICT, Democratization and Decentralization in Africa

XI-T-20 African Studies Keywords: Panel II

Saturday, 11/19/2022, 1:30 PM - 3:15 PM

Room: Franklin Hall 11

Chairs: Ghirmai Negash, University of Ohio and Dawne Curry and University of Nebraska Lincoln

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African Studies Keyword: Inequality

Lauren Jarvis, University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill

African Studies Keyword: Justice

Wallace Teska, Stanford University

African Studies Keyword: Umbuso/Rule

Sanele kaNtshingana, University of Cape Town

African Studies Keyword: Human

Jia Hui Lee, Haverford College

Discussant: Ana Lucia Araujo, Howard University

Ndah Grimbald, ICT University, Cameroon

Digital Transformation, Youth Employment and AU's Agenda 2063

Alain Vilard Ndi Isoh, ICT UNiversity, Cameroon

Discussant: Victor Mbarika, ICT University, Cameroon

XI-G-16 Roundtable: Indigenous Youth Perspectives on Employment and Entrepreneurship in Africa Part II

Saturday. 11/19/2022, 1:30 PM - 3:15 PM

Room: Franklin 2

Chairs: Samuel Ojo Oloruntoba, Carleton University and Innocent Moyo, University of Zululand

Philip Okolo, Niger Delta University

Kiale Nyiayaana, University of Port Harcourt

Dulo Nyaoro, Moi University

Ismael Iwara, Carleton University and University of KwaZulu-Natal

Horman Chitonge, University of Cape Town

XI-T-22 Intimate Technologies in Central Africa

Saturday, 11/19/2022, 1:30 PM - 3:15 PM

Room: Franklin 3

Chair: Katrien Pye, KU Leuven

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App Design and the Reconfiguration of Intimate Lifeworlds in Kinsbasa

Katrien Pye, KU Leuven

Experimental vaccines and inequality in western DRC

Lys Alcayna-Stevens, KU Leuven

'Distance is not a barrier': Intimacy and the creation of spiritual community through online services

Josiah Taru, University of Pretoria

Discussant: Wale Adebani, University of Pennsylvania

XI-N-10 Music and Mobility: National and TransAfrican Relationships

Saturday, 11/19/2022, 1:30 PM - 3:15 PM

Room: Conference 414-415

Chairs: Ruth Opara, Syracuse University and Maya Cunningham, University of Massachusetts, Amherst

Locating African American Secular Music Traditions in Ethio Jazz
Dexter Story, UCLA

The Musical Mothering of the Nation in/as Urban Spaces
Ruth Opara, Syracuse University

Freedom Mothers: The Revolutionary Jazz, Transnational Kinship and Indigenous Africana Womanisms of Miriam Makeba, Nina Simone and Winnie Mandela

Maya Cunningham, University of Massachusetts, Amherst

Considering Relationships Between Afrofuturism and African Futurism
Warrick Moses, Syracuse University

XI-T-21 New Horizons in Knowledge Production: Part II

Saturday, 11/19/2022, 1:30 PM - 3:15 PM

Room: Franklin 1

Chair: Andrew Heffernan, University of Ottawa

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"Barking up the wrong tree": Informal African indigenous plant nurseries in the Great Limpopo Transfrontier Park, c.1990 to present
Bryan Kauma, Stellenbosch University

A Spirited Pharmacopeia: Unsettling the Boundaries Between Science and Technology Studies and Religious Studies in African History
Breeanna Elliott, Yale University

Student Mobility in the Global South: African Students, Precarity and Strategies of Survival in Bengaluru, India
Shambhavi Bhushan, University of Florida

Research with African Adolescents: Critical Epistemologies and Methodological Considerations.

Kuukuwa Manful, SOAS University of London

XI-K-18 New Questions in the History of Gender

Saturday, 11/19/2022, 1:30 PM - 3:15 PM

Room: Conference 411

Chair: Ben Twagira, Williams College

The Fate of Gugunhana's wives (1895-1911)
Gerhard Seibert, Lisbon University Institute

Chaos, Possibility, and Foreclosure for Women's Futures in Revolutionary Rwanda
Georgia Brunner, Emory University

Mercantile Masculinity: Gendering Trans-Atlantic Exchanges in Nineteenth Century Old Calabar

Victoria Nachreiner, University at Buffalo

XI-Q-12 Roundtable: Sarah Maldoror Cinema Tricontinental

Saturday, 11/19/2022, 1:30 PM - 3:15 PM

Room: Conference 405

Annouchka de Andrade, Association “Friends of Sarah Maldoror and Mario de Andrade” and Amiens International Film Festival

XI-E-10 Social Interventions, Materialities, & Technologies in Contemporary Africa

Saturday, 11/19/2022, 1:30 PM - 3:15 PM

Room: Conference 412

Chair: Austin Bryan, Northwestern University

State Narratives on Genocide, Contemporary Art, and Investment in Rwanda's Economy of Hope

Austin Bryan, Northwestern University

Medical Materialities and Care in Zambia's Health Technology Landscape

Min'enhle Ncube, University of Cape Town

What do we know about resilience in the homeless population? A study of Baltimore USA and Lagos State, Nigeria

Rakiya Mamman, Morgan State University and National Open Uni, Saadatu U. Baba, Kaduna State University, and Tunde Bakare Aremu, National Open University of Nigeria

Modelling CSO Operational Decisions During Crisis: Case study of COVID-19 Pandemic

Senyo Cudjoe and Wycliffe Nduga Ouma, Wits Business School

XI-S-14 Roundtable: The DR Congolese Youth: Mobility, Creativity, and Challenges

Saturday, 11/19/2022, 1:30 PM - 3:15 PM

Room: Franklin Hall 12

Chairs: Kasongo Kapanga, University of Richmond and Muadi Mukenge, UNC-Chapel Hill

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Kasereka Kasomo, Claremont Graduate University
Ngwarsungu Chiwengo, Creighton University
Aliko Songolo, University of Wisconsin-Madison
Roger Alfani

XI-L-13 Transitions in African Migration Narratives

Saturday, 11/19/2022, 1:30 PM - 3:15 PM

Room: Conference 306

Chair: Omoyemi Ajisebutu, Northwestern University

African E-fraud Fiction and the Literary Economy of Migration
Daniel Chukwuemeka, University of Bristol, UK/Macquarie University

Neoliberalism and the Complexities of Global Black Solidarity: A Reading of Contemporary African Migratory Narratives
Kayode Odumboni, The Ohio State University

Witnessing from the Black Mediterranean: Vulnerability and Refugeeism in the Travelers

Theophilus Okunlola, University of Wisconsin-Madison

Fabricated Identities: Cultural and Historical Reimaginings of Nigerian Identity in Roye Okoye's Malika: Warrior Queen

Michael Oshindoro, University of Wisconsin-Madison

Discussant: Tosin Gbogi, Marquette University

XI-E-11 Urban Enclaving Futures, Part I

Saturday, 11/19/2022, 1:30 PM - 3:15 PM

Room: Franklin 4

Chair: Bjoern Enge Bertelsen, University of Bergen

Living the dream? Aspirations, detachment, and differentiated outcomes of living in a private city

Ragnhild Overå, University of Bergen and Austin Ablo, University of Ghana, Legon

Nested Enclaves: De-Risking and Making Usable Space in Urban Africa

Claudia Gastrow, University of Johannesburg

“Finally, we are on google maps”: The experiences, excitements, and uncertainties of residents outside the gate.

Edwige Enam Yawa Yekple, University of Bergen

Para Viver Bem: Distinction from Above and Below

Sandra Cristina Félix Manuel, Kaleidoscopio

Jason Sumich, University of Essex

Discussant: Renugan Raidoo, Harvard University

XI-C-19 Women, Gender and Political Power in African Societies

Saturday, 11/19/2022, 1:30 PM - 3:15 PM

Room: Franklin 13

Chair: Daniel Iweze, University of Benin, Benin-city, Nigeria

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The Omu Institution Among the Anioma People of Nigeria

Nwaokocha Odigwe, University of Benin

Strata of Female Exercise of Power in Coastal Igbo Societies: An Historical Analysis

Okonkwo Uche, University of Nigeria

‘Our Voice is Our Daily Power’: Umuada Women Institutions in Igbo Nsukka and Igala Areas of Nigeria

Abah Danladi, Kogi State University, Anyigba, Nigeria

Exploring the Contributions of Joan Onyemaechi Mrakpor to Politics and Governance in Nigeria

Daniel Iweze, University of Benin, Benin City, Nigeria

Discussant: Odigwe Nwaokocha, University of Benin

XI-C-20 Roundtable: Writing African Feminist Subjectivities

Saturday, 11/19/2022, 1:30 PM - 3:15 PM

Room: Conference 401-402

Chair: Maha Marouan, Pennsylvania State University,
African Feminist Initiative

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Alicia Decker, The Pennsylvania State University
Gabeba Baderoon, The Pennsylvania State University
Zinhle ka'Nobuhlaluse ka'Nobuhlaluse, The Pennsylvania
State University

Session XII

**XII-AN-24 AfricaNow!: Mitigating Alcohol Harm in
West and East Africa: Advancing the WHO SAFER
Priorities by Engaging Stakeholders**
Saturday, 11/19/2022, 3:45 PM - 5:30 PM
Room: Conference 408

Monica Swahn, Kennesaw State University

**XII-AN-25 AfricaNow!: Understanding the Ethnic
tensions in 2020s Ethiopia, Lessons from the 19th
century**
Saturday, 11/19/2022, 3:45 PM - 5:30 PM
Room: Conference 409

Brian Yates, Saint Joseph's University

**XII-A-15 Roundtable: Fulbright U.S. Scholar Program:
Alumni Experiences in Sub Saharan Africa**
Saturday, 11/19/2022, 3:45 PM - 5:30 PM
Room: Conference 306
Chair: Julie Taylor, International Institute of Education

James Cudworth, University of Alabama
Guenet Abraham, University of Maryland Baltimore County

**XII-C-23 Roundtable: African Women's Agency,
Activism, & Leadership**
Saturday, 11/19/2022, 3:45 PM - 5:30 PM
Room: Franklin Hall 11
Chairs: Aderonke Adesanya, James Madison University and
MojubaOlu Olufunke Okome, Brooklyn College
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Abiola Akiyode-Afolabi, University of Lagos, WARDOC,
University
Gretchen Bauer, University of Delaware
H.E. Isata Kabia, VoW Africa and Former Member of
Parliament/Minister (Sierra Leone)
Akosua Adomako Ampofo, University of Ghana
Lydia Umar, Gender Awareness Trust
Joy Ezeilo, University of Nigeria

XII-M-15 Belonging in a Time of Urban Transformation
Saturday, 11/19/2022, 3:45 PM - 5:30 PM
Room: Conference 403
Chair: Ebenezer Addo, Ashesi University

*Death, migration and belonging: A Historical study of Burial Societies
amongst Zimbabwean migrants in South Africa*
Themban Dube, Stellenbosch University

*Housing provision and urban regeneration in post-apartheid South
Africa: Challenges and Successes*
Sifiso Ndlovu, University of Johannesburg

*From Classroom Churches to Mega Churches: An Interpretivist
Analysis of the Growth of Urban Ethnic Presbyterian Churches in the
Accra Metropolis*
Ebenezer Addo, Ashesi University

*Challenges and Prospects of Migration: Implications for socioeconomic
development in Nigeria*
Lugard Sadoh, University of Benin

**XII-F-8 Building Sustainable Spaces through
Environmental Justice**
Saturday, 11/19/2022, 3:45 PM - 5:30 PM
Room: Conference 407
Chair: Jacqueline Klopp, Columbia Climate School

*The Modernity of Energy: Local Fuels and Sustainability in
Postcolonial Senegal*
John Cropper, College of Charleston

*Beyond Bans: A Political Economy of Used Vehicle-dependency in
Ghana*
Festival Boateng and Jacqueline Klopp, Columbia Climate
School

*"Problem Has Changed Name": Electric Power, Citizenship, and the
State in Nigeria"*
Daniel Smith, Brown University

*Promoting Sustainable land management in a multi-stakeholder
environment: whose knowledge counts? Who is learning?*
Angela Manjichi, Instituto Superior Politécnico de manica

*African Futurism and Diaspora Aspirations in Sustainability
Planning and Smart City Design*
Christopher Graham, University of Massachusetts Boston

**XII-O-14 Divvying up Power Among Political Elites:
Looking Inside Regimes and the Struggle over Inclusion**
Saturday, 11/19/2022, 3:45 PM - 5:30 PM
Room: Conference 308
Chair: Josef Woldense, University of Minnesota

*Books, Goods, or Guns? The Origins of Political Elite Power in
Contemporary Africa*
Joan Ricart-Huguet, Yale University; Loyola University
Maryland

*Pushing First Families Out: Democracy, Parties, and Exclusion or
Inclusion of the Founding Families*
Kimberly Shella, Southern Illinois University Carbondale

Institutionalizing Authoritarian Resilience in Ethiopia: The EPRDF's Regionalized Central Party Committee System

Leonardo Arriola, UC Berkeley, Terrence Lyons, George Mason University, and Josef Woldense, University of Minnesota

Wolves in Wolves' Clothing: The Role of Uganda's Military in Uganda's Parliament

Christopher Day, College of Charleston, and Gerald Bareebe, York University

Reigning in the Rebels: Civil-Military Relations in Post-Conflict Côte d'Ivoire

Jeremy Speight, University of Alaska Fairbanks, Philip Martin, George Mason University, Giulia Piccolino, Loughborough University

XII-M-16 Exploring the Mobility of Bodies and Concepts in African Literature and Social Media

Production: Penn State Graduate Student Panel

Saturday, 11/19/2022, 3:45 PM - 5:30 PM

Room: Conference 305

Chair: Irene Momanyi, Pennsylvania State University

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Kofi Awoonor's Poetic Transformation of Symbolic Maoism

Qiyu Chen, Pennsylvania State University

From I to We: Of boats and expressions of solidarity in narratives of transnational clandestine migration

Marina Dikosso, Pennsylvania State University

Satirizing Waithood: How Young Kenyans in Nairobi are Redefining Adulthood through Social Media

Amy Mjema Omolo, Penn State University

"Fix The Country": The Role of Social Media in Nation-building in Ghana

Kwasi N. Ketchore, Penn State University

Discussant: Irene Momanyi, Pennsylvania State University

XII-K-21 Kenya in the Age of Moi

Saturday, 11/19/2022, 3:45 PM - 5:30 PM

Room: Conference 410

Chair: Muey Saetern, University of California, Merced and Kara Moskowitz, University of Missouri–St. Louis

'A Company for the Wananchi'? Uchumi Supermarkets, Neoliberalism, and Urban Impoverishment in the Age of Moi

Kara Moskowitz, University of Missouri–St. Louis

"Swag ya Chai": The Promotion of Tea Consumption and Culture in Postcolonial Kenya, 1977-1990

Muey Saetern, University of California--Merced

Curriculum change in Kenya: Lessons Learnt

Pamela Wadende, Kisii University

In Search of Mboya: Understanding Ethnicity and Democracy under Moi through Oral Histories of the East African Airlift, 1959-1963

Debora Rogo, University of Notre Dame

Discussant: Paul Ocobock, University of Notre Dame

XII-K-20 New perspectives on slavery, resistance, and incarceration in African History

Saturday, 11/19/2022, 3:45 PM - 5:30 PM

Room: Conference 413

Chair: Katherine Bruce-Lockhart, University of Waterloo

Gift Cards: Slaves as Presents in the Asian Trade

Tsega Etefa, Colgate University

The Atlantic Slave Trade and the Cycle of Resistance along the Gambia River in the 18th century

Michael Tuck, Northeastern Illinois University

Incarceration after Independence: Prisons, Detention, and Politics in Postcolonial Uganda

Katherine Bruce-Lockhart, University of Waterloo

XII-N-12 Oppositional Music, Performance and Technology in Contemporary West Africa

Saturday, 11/19/2022, 3:45 PM - 5:30 PM

Room: Conference 307

Chair: Simon Adetona Akindes, University of Wisconsin-Parkside

Fela's Afrobeat in South America: Creating disruptive spaces for new political identities and solidarities

Simon Adetona Akindes, University of Wisconsin-Parkside

Radio Clubs to WhatsApp: Listening for the Ideal Nomadic Subject in Niger

Eric J. Schmidt, Boston University

Jelili Atiku: Performing Atonement

Dotun Ayobade, Northwestern University

Youth « folk » music as a resistance to globalization: the case of the Kunde group in Cameroon

Suzie TELEP, University of Pennsylvania (USA) & INALCO (France)

XII-A-13 Politics and the Society in Colonial and Postcolonial Nigeria

Saturday, 11/19/2022, 3:45 PM - 5:30 PM

Room: Franklin 3

Chair: Ndubueze Mbah, University at Buffalo

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West African representations of South Asia during World War Two

Oliver Coates, University of Cambridge

The Nigerian Urban Cities: Memories of the June 12, 1993 General Elections

Pelumi Folajimi, Louisiana State University

Cooperative Societies and Modernity in Colonial Nigeria, 1934 -1960
Waliu Ismaila, West Virginia University

Reforming the Unreformable?: Historical Perspectives on Electricity Privatization in Nigeria, 1909-1985
Adewumi Adebayo, York University

Discussant: Tara Hollies, Macalester College

XII-N-11 Popular Engagements with Citizenship
Saturday, 11/19/2022, 3:45 PM - 5:30 PM
Room: Franklin 1
Chair: Phyllis Taoua, University of Arizona
Sponsored by: African Literature Association

I Am Afraid Of What I Am Saying But I Will Say It: Hip Life Songs of A-Plus and the Promotion of Citizenship in Ghana
De-Valera Botchway and Eric Osei Prempeh, University of Cape Coast

The Conceptualization of Citizenship in Lyrics and Spoken Word in Senegal
Muideen Owakorede Ibitowa, University of Arizona

King of Boys and the Logic of Un/Belonging: Area Boys, Citizenship, and the Nigerian State
Matthew H. Brown, University of Madison-Wisconsin

Smokey Bambara and the Art of Citizenship in Burkina Faso
Phyllis Taoua, University of Arizona

XII-G-18 Precarity, Inequality, & the Urban-Rural Divide
Saturday, 11/19/2022, 3:45 PM - 5:30 PM
Room: Conference 412
Chair: Singumbe Muyeba, University of Denver

Property Ownership and Poverty Among the Poor in Post-conflict Luanda
Singumbe Muyeba, University of Denver

Measuring Poverty in Rural Tanzania: A Conceptual, Methodological and Empirical Evaluation
Howard Stein, University of Michigan, Kelly Askew, University of Michigan, and Faustin Maganga, St. John's University of Tanzania

Old Naledi and Phakalane Estate in Gaborone: Two tales of a city in Botswana
Bayo Ijagbemi, University of Arizona

XII-C-22 Roundtable: Queer African Studies in Motion
Saturday, 11/19/2022, 3:45 PM - 5:30 PM
Room: Franklin 13
Chair: Lindsey Green-Simms, American University and April Sizemore-Barber, Georgetown University
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Cullen Goldblatt, SUNY Binghamton
Brenna Munro, University of Miami

Gibson Ncube, Stellenbosch University
Kerry Manzo, SUNY Purchase

XII-D-6 Reclaiming Heritage: Knowledge, Toponymy, & Identity Formation
Saturday, 11/19/2022, 3:45 PM - 5:30 PM
Room: Conference 414-415
Chair: Touria Khannous, Louisiana State University

Moussa Kamara & The Majority of the Pseudo-Jihadists
Mbaye Lo, Duke University

Revisiting Pre-colonial and Colonial Toponymy of West Africa: A Quest for an Intellectual Bridge to Save the Indigenous Scholarly Manuscripts
Umar Sheikh Tahir, Columbia University

Does (Ethnic) Federalism Mitigate or Exacerbate Conflict? The Case of Ethiopia
Mohammed Dejen Assen, Addis Ababa University

Transatlantic "Racelessness": The Cuban-Angolan Racial Politics During "Factionalism" (Angola, 1977)
Rafael Cesar, Princeton University

Critical Race Studies in the Middle East
Touria Khannous, Louisiana State University

XII-A-14 Roundtable: Rethinking Power Dynamics in Global Systems: African Agency & Shifting Power Dynamics in International Relations
Saturday, 11/19/2022, 3:45 PM - 5:30 PM
Room: Conference 404
Chair: Susanna Campbell, American University

Yolande Bouka, Queen's University
David Mwambari, King's College London
Emmanuel Balogun, Skidmore College
'Dapo Oyewole, Dignity Collective
Abrehet Gebremedhin, American University

XII-H-7 Schools as Sites of Class and Status Struggles
Saturday, 11/19/2022, 3:45 PM - 5:30 PM
Room: Franklin 2
Chair: Crain Soudien, Nelson Mandela University

Building Classes: Secondary Schools and Sociopolitical Stratification in Ghana.
Kuukuwa Manful, SOAS, University of London

Navigating 'town and gown' – spatial perceptions of university students in post-apartheid South Africa
Veera Tagliabue, University of Birmingham, UK

The Changing Dynamics of Race, Class and Gender in the South African University
Crain Soudien, Nelson Mandela University

Excavations: A Fanonian analysis of Nigeria's struggle for history education

Rhoda Nanre Nafziger, McGill University

XII-L-14 Senegalese Letters

Saturday, 11/19/2022, 3:45 PM - 5:30 PM

Room: Conference 405

Chair: Hugo Désiré Benjamin Bujon, Emory University

Neo-Colonialists in Tandem with local elites: Revelations through the quest of an unrelenting mother, Kaveena by Boubacar Boris Diop
Brigid Enchill, University of Kansas

Recovering Dakar: the transmission of youth in Aller et Retour of Ken Bugul
Hugo Bujon, Emory University

The Secret of Literature: Mohamed Mbougar Sarr's La plus secrète mémoire des hommes
Devin Bryson, Illinois College

Felvine Sarr's Mobile African Diaspora: Re-imagining Cities and Continents in African Meditations, The Taste of the Last Few Meters, and The Places My Dreams Inhabit
Van Kelly, University of Kansas

XII-S-16 Social movements in a changing Africa: trends and challenges

Saturday, 11/19/2022, 3:45 PM - 5:30 PM

Room: Conference 401-402

Chair: Jason Stearns, Simon Fraser University

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Africa's Left Deficit: Explaining the Decline of Oppositional Parties and the Rise of Popular Movements
Zachariah Mampilly, City University of New York

"Cooptation" and Financial Resource Mobilization in Francophone Africa: A Case Study of the Y'en a maré Movement
Bamba Ndiaye, Cornell University

Social movements on the African continent: Trends and misconceptions
Jason Stearns, Simon Fraser University

Discussant: Fred Bauma, Lutte pour le changement (LUCHA)

XII-P-14 Strategies in Peacebuilding

Saturday, 11/19/2022, 3:45 PM - 5:30 PM

Room: Conference 411

Chair: Abdiasis Issa, Balsillie School of International Affairs

People, places and peacebuilding: what role could 'zones d'attraction' play in the DRC's new territorial strategy?
Nicholas Long, Nick Long

Gender Role, Social Cohesion and Engagement in peacebuilding in the Central African Republic: Differences among women in urban and rural areas.
Mychelle Balthazard, Harvard Humanitarian Initiative

Peacebuilding on Normative Ground

Stephen Esquith, Michigan State University

Partnership Peacebuilding in Africa: Assessing the UN and AU's Inter-Organizational Partnership for Peace and Security
Abdiasis Issa, Balsillie School of International Affairs

XII-F-7 Roundtable: The Environmental Humanities of Extraction in Africa: Poetics and Politics of Exploitation

Saturday, 11/19/2022, 3:45 PM - 5:30 PM

Room: Franklin Hall 12

Chair: James Ogude and Tafadzwa Mushonga, University of Pretoria

Dismas Masolo, University of Louisville, Kentucky
George Outa, Technical University of Kenya
Ayodeji Agdepi, University of Wisconsin-Madison

XII-S-15 The Language, Logics, and Labor of Resistance

Saturday, 11/19/2022, 3:45 PM - 5:30 PM

Room: Conference 303-304

Chair: Abel Djassi Amado, Simmons University

FELA AND HUMAN RIGHTS IN AFRICA: MUSIC AS A WEAPON OF RESISTANCE
AKINOLA IBIDAPO-OBE, Department of Public Law,
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The functions of proverbs in Amílcar Cabral's political discourse
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Cultivating desirable homes in the affluent northern suburbs of Johannesburg, South Africa
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