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Curriculum Vitae

The University of Texas at Austin
Departments of Anthropology and African and African Diaspora Studies

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Education

Ph.D., Anthropology 2013
The University of Texas at Austin
Dissertation Title: *White Lies: The White Epistemology of Race and Blackness in a White Upper Class School* (successfully defended April 11, 2013)

Master of Arts, Computational and Applied Mathematics 2006
Rice University
MA Thesis: *The Evolution of Applications Quest: Computing Diversity in University Admissions*

Master of Arts, Social Sciences with a concentration in Anthropology 2005
The University of Chicago
MA Thesis: *The CPS Racial/Ethnic Survey: An Analysis of Race on the Southside of Chicago*

Bachelor of Science, Mathematics 2003
The University of Texas at Austin

External Fellowships and Honors

Ford Foundation Dissertation Fellowship Alternate 2011

Ford Foundation Predoctoral Fellowship 2007-2010

Internal Fellowships and Honors

David Bruton Fellowship, The University of Texas at Austin 2007-2009

Graduate Recruitment Fellowship, The University of Texas at Austin 2006-2007

University Gift Scholarship Award, The University of Chicago 2004

Alliances for Graduate Education and the Professoriate Fellowship, Rice University 2003

National Society of Collegiate Scholars, The University of Texas at Austin 2000

Presentations

Bad Solutions, Babbydaddies, and Black Achievement: Exploring Resistance, Achievement and Black Masculinity in American Schools (submitted panel)
The American Anthropology Association Conference, Chicago, Illinois (Panel Organizer) 2013

- It Actually is “A Black Thing” and a White Thing: White Epistemological Constructions of Black Male Exceptionalism* (submitted paper)
The American Anthropological Association Conference, Chicago, Illinois (Paper) 2013
- White Redemptive Curricula and the Diluting of Black Oppression in Texas Textbooks*
The American Ethnological Society Conference, New York, New York (Paper) 2012
- Studying “Up” and Out of the Canon: Shifting the Ethnographic Gaze from Black Bodies to White Bodies and White Racial Epistemologies in a White Middle Class High School*
The American Anthropology Association Conference, Montreal, Canada (Paper) 2011
- Where is Whiteness in the Liberal Critique of Multicultural Education?: How Conceptualizations of Blackness inform White Student Identity.*
The American Anthropology Association Conference, Washington, DC (Paper) 2007
- Activism and Curriculum: Where is Whiteness in the Liberal Critique of Multiculturalism?*
The University of Texas at Austin Abriendo Brecha Conference, Austin, Texas (Paper) 2007
- The CPS Racial/Ethnic Survey: An Analysis of Race on the Southside of Chicago*
Bearing Witness: Students of Color as Scholars, Activists, and Truth-tellers. The 16th Annual Students of Color Rackham, Ann Arbor, Michigan (Paper) 2006
- Applications Quest: Computing Diversity in University Admissions*
Alliances for Graduate Education and the Professoriate Annual Banquet, Houston, Texas (Poster) 2005
- Exploring the TI-83 Calculator: Approximating Transcendental Functions*
T³ Texas Instruments National Teacher’s Conference, New Orleans, Louisiana (Paper) 2003

Organization Affiliations and Appointments

American Anthropology Association, Member

Council on Anthropology and Education, Chair of the African Diaspora Education Committee

Teaching Interests

Critical Whiteness Studies, Anthropology of Education, Critical Race Theory, Racial Formation, Black Philosophical Thought, Cultural Studies in Education, Multicultural Education, Social Studies Education

Teaching Experience

Teaching Assistant, Classics, The University of Texas at Austin 2013
Course: *Sexuality, Politics, and Human Rights*

Teaching Assistant, Anthropology, The University of Texas at Austin 2012
Course: *The Anthropology of Race and Ethnicity*

Teaching Assistant, Anthropology, The University of Texas at Austin 2012
Course: *Introduction to Cultural Anthropology*

Teaching Assistant, Anthropology, The University of Texas at Austin 2011
Course: *The Anthropology of Race and Ethnicity*

Adjunct Faculty, Houston Community College System 2007-2013
Course: *Fundamental Mathematics II, Intermediate Algebra, College Algebra*

Other Relevant Employment

Mathematics and Social Science Tutor, Four Points Tutoring 2012

Technical Editor, Alliances for Graduate Education and the Professoriate, Rice University 2011

Peer Reviewer, Anthropology and Education Quarterly Journal 2007-2008

Mathematics Tutor, Houston Community College System 2004-2009

References

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