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EDUCATION:

Ph.D., History

Morgan State University, 2013

Concentrations: 19th-20th century African-American History, U.S. History, Race Business History

Dissertation: "Cautiously Capitalistic: Black Economic Agency at the Savings Bank of Baltimore, 1850-1900"

Advisor: Lawrence Peskin

Master of Arts, History

North Carolina Central University, 2007

Thesis: "The Origins of the Revolutionary Action Movement, 1961-1964"

Bachelor of Arts, African and African-American Studies

The University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, 2003

TEACHING EXPERIENCE:

Lecturer, *Morgan State University, 2013-Present*

U.S. History I, 1500-1865; U.S. History II, 1865-present

Dissertation Fellow, *James Madison University, 2011-2013*

Introduction to Africana Studies (with Dr. Lamont King)

Teaching Fellow, *Morgan State University, 2010-11*

U.S. History I, 1500-1865

ACADEMIC EMPLOYMENT:

Research Consultant, *Library of Congress*

Researcher on a team responsible for repurposing the Library of Congress' exhibit, the "Civil Rights Act of 1964." Researched newspapers, books, photographs, videos, and online sources. Research centered specifically on black congressmen, and other antebellum events designed to depict a very long Civil Rights Movement. Experienced first-hand the technical process of transforming primary and secondary sources for usage in a museum.

Summer 2014

Graduate Assistant, Morgan State University

Conducted student orientation, responsible for processing prospective student information, disseminating information, such as CFPs and other academic announcements, 2009-2010

Archival Intern, Johns Hopkins University

Diaspora Pathways Archival Access Project (DPAAP). Responsible for preparing and cataloging photographs, newspaper clippings, letters, programs, and typewritten documents located at *The Afro-American Newspapers Archives and Research Center*, 2008- 2010

Research Assistant, Morgan State University

Library research of articles, books, and other literature to assist professors in completing scholarship, 2007-2009

BOOK REVIEWS AND ENCYCLOPEDIA ENTRIES:

Review of Jonathan Scott Holloway, *Jim Crow Wisdom: Memory & Identity in Black America since 1940* (Chapel Hill: The University of North Carolina Press, 2013), *History: Reviews of New Books*, forthcoming, Spring 2016.

Review of Walter Johnson, *River of Dark Dreams: Slavery and Empire in the Cotton Kingdom* (Cambridge: The Belknap Press of Harvard University Press, 2013), *History: Reviews of New Books*, 42, no. 4 (Oct. 2014): 127-128.

Review of Michael B. Boston, *The Business Strategy of Booker T. Washington: Its Development and Implementation* (Gainesville: University Press of Florida, 2010), *The Journal of African-American History* 97, nos. 1-2 (Winter-Spring 2012): 187-189.

Review of Walter C. Rucker, *The River Flows On: Black Resistance, Culture, and Identity Formation in Early America* (Baton Rouge: Louisiana State University Press, 2007), *The Southern Historian* 31 (Spring 2010): 84-86.

"Edmund W. Gordon," in *The Encyclopedia of African American Education*, ed. Kofi Lomotey, Thousand Oaks, CA: Sage Publications, Inc., 2009, 291-293

CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS:

"Seasonal Citizens: the Attempts of African American Depositors at Demonstrating Citizenship, 1850-1865," *Business History Conference and the European Business History Association Joint Meeting*, Miami, Florida, June 2015

"Black Deposits: An Examination of Black Economic Agency at the Savings Bank of Baltimore, 1850-1900," *Brown Bag Research Talk Series, James Madison University*, February 2013

"Henry Jakes: The Caterer Capitalist," *4th Africana Studies Annual Interdisciplinary Conference, James Madison University*, October 2012

"Money as a Palladium: African-Americans at the Savings Bank of Baltimore, 1850-1900," *Association for the Study of African-American Life and History, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania*, September 2012

"Banking and Business in the Black Community in the 1930s," *Business History Conference 2011 Annual Meeting, St. Louis, Missouri*, March-April 2011

"Uncovering the Archives of the Afro-American Newspapers: A Roundtable Discussion," *Association for the Study of African-American Life and History, Raleigh, North Carolina*, October 2010

"Banking as an Ambiguous Undertaking: A Survey of the Nuances, and Victories of 1930's Banking in Black Communities," *Association for the Study of African-American Life and History, Raleigh, North Carolina*, October, 2010

"Slave Ship Attempts at Liberation, Mutinies, and Revolts in the Formation of a Culture of Domination and Resistance During the Creation of New World Slavery," *Association for the Study of African-American Life and History, Cincinnati, Ohio*, October, 2009

"Lifting Hands, Lifting People," *Association for the Study of African-American Life and History, Cincinnati, Ohio*, October, 2009

"Slave Ship Mutinies, Revolts, and Uprisings in the Caribbean: An Introduction to Slave Resistance in the Caribbean," *Mid-Atlantic Phi Alpha Theta Honors Society Conference, Delaware State University, Dover, Delaware*, March, 2009

"Rethinking the I in OUI": Black Francophones' Struggle to Construct an International Black Community," *Association for the Study of African-American Life and History, Birmingham, Alabama*, October, 2008

AWARDS:

Post-Doctoral Travel Grant, *Business History Conference*, June 2015

Dissertation Fellow, *James Madison University*, 2011-2012, 2012-2013

Fellow, *Library Company of Philadelphia*, September-October 2012

Doctoral Colloquium, *Business History Conference*, March 2012

Alfred D. Chandler Jr. Travel Grant, *Business History Conference*, March-April 2011

Henry Belin du Pont Research Fellowship, *Hagley Museum and Library*, August 2010

Alberta Green Memorial Fellowship, *Morgan State University*, April 2009

2nd Place, Phi Alpha Theta Regional Conference, Graduate Essay Contest, *Delaware State University*, Dover, Delaware, March 2009

PROFESSIONAL ASSOCIATIONS:

American Historical Association, *member* (student), 2013, 2014

Association for the Study of African American Life and History (ASALH), *member* (student) 2008-2010, 2012

Business History Conference, *member* (student), 2011, 2012, 2015