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ACADEMIC EXPERIENCE

Current Position	University of Pennsylvania, Professor of Political Science. Teaching areas: American and Afro-American politics and political thought; urban politics, and American political development.
1998-2004	New School for Social Research, Graduate Faculty. Professor of Political Science and Historical Studies.
1997-1998	University of Illinois at Chicago. Professor of African American Studies and Political Science (On leave of absence for 1998/99 and 1999/2000 academic years).
1991-1997	Northwestern University, Professor of Political Science, American Studies and History
1988-1991	Yale University, Professor, Political Science and American Studies and Fellow, Institution for Social and Policy Studies
1986-1988	Yale University, Associate Professor, Political Science and Afro-American Studies
1981-1986	Yale University, Assistant Professor, Political Science and Afro-American Studies
1980	Fall, Emory University, Adjunct Professor, Black Studies Department
1979-1981	Clark College, Instructor, Political Science Department, Research Associate, Southern Center for Studies in Public Policy. (On leave for the 1980-1981 academic year.)

1976-1978 Howard University, Instructor, Department of Political Science

EDUCATION

1971 B.A, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill
Major: Political Science; additional concentration in Sociology

1974 M.A., Atlanta University; Political Science

1981 Ph.D., Atlanta University; Political Science

PUBLICATIONS

Books

2010 *Renewing Black Intellectual History: The Ideological and Material Foundations of African American Thought.* Paradigm Publishers. (co-author with Kenneth W. Warren et al.)

2000 *Class Notes: Posing as Politics and Other Thoughts on the American Scene* New Press. (Named by the *New York Times Book Review* as one of the most notable books of the year)

1999 *Stirrings in the Jug: Black Politics in the Post-Segregation Era.* University of Minnesota Press.

Without Justice for All: The New Liberalism and our Retreat from Racial Equality (editor). Westview Press.

1997 *W.E.B. Du Bois and American Political Thought: Fabianism and the Color Line.* Oxford University Press. (Winner, National Conference of Black Political Scientists' 1998 Outstanding Book Award)

1986 *The Jesse Jackson Phenomenon: The Crisis of Purpose in Afro-American Politics.* Yale University Press. (Nominated for APSA's Ralph J. Bunche Award)

Race, Politics and Culture: Critical Essays on the Radicalism of the 1960s (editor). Greenwood Press. (Nominated for APSA's Ralph J. Bunche Award)

Forthcoming: *When Compromises Come Home to Roost* (Verso, 2017).

This volume examines the bases of tendencies among left-of-center political interest-groups, activists and commentators toward irrational exuberance over Barack Obama's candidacy and inflated expectations from his presidency. The core argument, developed mainly through an account of the political trajectories of the elements of the labor-left alliance in the United States since the end of World War II, is that those inflated assessments and expectations reflect the extent to which the boundaries of left political imagination have become defined by and within the programmatic and ideological limits of neoliberalism.

In Progress: "Culture/Politics: The Present(ism) of Black Studies." Co-authored with Kenneth Warren. This book will be a linked set of critical essays - - some written jointly, some individually -- that take stock of the current state of black studies scholarship and its conceptual foundations. We expect to complete this manuscript by the summer of 2016.

"Disparitarianism: The Limits of Contemporary Racial Inequality Research." Co-authored with Merlin Chowkwanyun. This will be a short book that examines the conceptual foundations, ideological origins, methodological premises and elisions, and the quality and significance of research findings and policy and implications of research focusing on racial disparities in housing, wealth and other economic disparities, health care, and criminal justice. This book should be completed by the end of 2017.

"Making Sense of Race: What It Is, What It Isn't; Why It Matters, Why It Doesn't." This book will lay out for an audience of non-specialists the current consensus among geneticists and biological anthropologists concerning the status of race as a biological category. It follows out the implications of that account to engage critically with practices in contemporary medical and public health research, examining the extent to which those practices continue to presume long-standing folk conceptions of racial difference and legitimize them with the aura of scientificity. Having clarified its biological status, the book lays out an account of the natural history of the race idea in the United States as an historical, sociological and ideological phenomenon. Its key argument is that race as a notion and its

evolution are most effectively understood as rooted in labor and market relations. It ends with a critical discussion of recent literature that attempts to grapple with the political implications of the social constructionist consensus concerning race in the social sciences and humanities.

Articles, Chapters and Review Essays

- 2017 "Revolution as 'National Liberation' and the Origins of Neoliberal Antiracism." *Socialist Register: Rethinking Revolution*, Leo Panitch and Greg Albo, eds.
- 2016 "The Black-Labor-Left Alliance in the Neoliberal Age." *New Labor Forum* 25. Spring.
- "The Post-1965 Trajectory of Race, Class and Urban Politics in the US Reconsidered." *Labor Studies Journal* 41. September.
- 2015 "The Crisis of Labour and the Left in the United States," [with Mark Dudzic] *Socialist Register: Transforming Classes*, Leo Panitch and Greg Albo, eds.
- "The Real Problem with Selma," nonsite.org. January 26. [A condensed and revised version of this article is forthcoming as "The Strange Career of the Voting Rights Act: *Selma* in Fact and Fiction," *New Labor Forum* 24. Spring.]
- "From Jenner to Dolezal: One Trans Good, the Other Not So Much," commondreams.org. June 15.
- "The James Brown Theory of Black Liberation." *Jacobin*. September.
- 2014 "Response to Labor Party Interview," *New Labor Forum* 23. Winter.
- "Nothing Left: The Long, Slow Surrender of American Liberals," *Harper's*. March.

- 2013 "Marx, Race and Neoliberalism." *New Labor Forum* 22. Winter.
- "Django Unchained, or, The Help: How Cultural Politics is Worse than No Politics At All and Why, nonsite.org. February 25.
- 2012 "Race, Class and Crisis: The Discourse of Racial Disparity and its Analytical Discontents," [with Merlin Chowkwanyun] *Socialist Register: The Crisis and the Left*, Leo Panitch, Greg Albo and Vivek Chibber, eds.
- 2011 "Three Tremés" nonsite.org, July 4
- 2010 "Why Labor's Soldiering for the Democrats is a Losing Battle," *New Labor Forum* 19
- 2008 "Where Obamaism Seems to be Going" *Black Agenda Report*, July 15
- 2005 "Making Sense of Race, I: The Ideology of Race, the Biology of Human Variation, and the Problem of Medical and Public Health Research," *The Journal of Race and Policy* 1.
- "The 2004 Election in Perspective: The Myth of 'Cultural Divide' and the Triumph of Neoliberal Ideology," *American Quarterly* 57. March.
- 2004 "The Study of Black Politics & the Practice of Black Politics: Their Historical Relation and Evolution" in *Problems & Methods in the Study of Politics*; Ian Shapiro, Tarek Masoud and Rogers M. Smith, eds. Cambridge University Press.
- "Reinventing the Working Class: A Study in Elite Manipulation", *New Labor Forum* 13 (Fall 2004)
- 2003 "Atlanta University Political Science" *National Political Science Review* 9
- 2002 "Unraveling the Relation of Race and Class in American Politics" and "Rejoinder" in *Political Power and Social Theory* 15
- "America Becoming – What Exactly?: Social Policy Research as the Fruit of Bill Clinton's Race Initiative" *New Politics*. Winter.
- 2001 "Response to Arnesen" *International Labor and Working-Class History*. Fall.
- "A GI Bill for Everybody" *Dissent*. Fall.

- 2000 "Introduction to Oliver C. Cox" in Oliver Cromwell Cox, *Race: A Study in Social Dynamics*. New York: Monthly Review Press.
- 1999 "The New Face of Urban Renewal: The Near North Redevelopment Initiative and the Cabrini-Green Neighborhood" (co-author with Larry Bennett) in Adolph Reed Jr, ed., *Without Justice for All: The New Liberalism and Our Retreat from Racial Equality*.
- 1996 "Socializing Neo-Slavery", *The Nation*. May 6.
- "Romancing Jim Crow: Black Nostalgia for a Segregated Past", *Village Voice*. April 16.
- 1995 "The Scholarship of Backlash", *The Nation*. October 30.
- "Demobilization in the New Black Political Regime" in J. Feagin and M. P. Smith (eds.), *The Bubbling Cauldron*. University of Minnesota Press.
- "The Current Crisis of the Black Intellectual". *Village Voice*. April 11.
- 1994 "Mythologies of 'Cultural Politics' and the Discrete Charm of the Black Petite Bourgeoisie" in M. Lashley and M. Jackson (eds.). *African-Americans and the New Policy Consensus*. Westport, CT: Greenwood.
- "Looking Backward"(review of *The Bell Curve*) *The Nation*. November 28.
- 1992 "The 'Underclass' as Myth and Symbol: The Poverty of Discourse About Poverty," *Radical America* 24. Winter 1991/92.
- "Du Bois's 'Double Consciousness': Race and Gender in Progressive Era American Thought," *Studies in American Political Development* 6 Spring.
- "The Allure of Malcolm X and the Changing Character of Black Politics" in Joe Wood (ed.), *Malcolm X In Our Own Image*. New York: St. Martin's Press
- "Race and Class" (review of Raymond Franklin, *Shadows of Race and Class* and Jacqueline Jones, *The Dispossessed*), *The Nation* 255 November 23.
- 1991 "False Prophet (Louis Farrakhan)," *The Nation* 252 January 21 & 28.

- "The Selling of Shelby Steele," *The Nation* March 4.
- "Race and the Disruption of the New Deal Coalition," *Urban Affairs Quarterly* 27 December.
- "The Assault on Equality: Race, Rights and the New Orthodoxy," special issue of *The Nation* December 9. Co-editor with Julian Bond
- 1988 "The Black Urban Regime: Structural Origins and Constraints," *Comparative Urban and Community Research: An Annual Review* 1 (published simultaneously as *Power, Community, and the City*, ed. Michael Peter Smith; New Brunswick, NJ: Transaction Books)
- "The Liberal Technocrat" (review of W.J. Wilson, *The Truly Disadvantaged*). *The Nation* 246 February 6.
- 1987 "A Critique of Neo-Progressivism in Theorizing about Local Development Policy: A Case from Atlanta," in C.N. Stone and H.T. Sanders (eds.), *The Politics of Urban Development*. Lawrence: University of Kansas Press
- 1986 "Pan-Africanism as Black Liberalism: DuBois and Garvey" in W. Ofuatye-Kodjoe (ed.). *Pan-Africanism: New Directions in Strategy*. Lanham, MD: University Press of America (1986).
- 1985 "W.E.B. DuBois: A Perspective on the Bases of His Political Thought," *Political Theory* 13 Summer.
- "Path to Critical Theory" in Sohnya Sayres, *Social Text Staff* (eds.). *60s Without Apology*, Minneapolis: University of Minnesota Press
- 1984 "W.E.B. Du Bois: A Critical Profile" in Alden Whitman (ed.), *American Reformers*, New York: H.W. Wilson Co.
- "Prophesy Deliverance!: Review Essay." *Telos* Summer.
- 1981 "Narcissistic Politics in Atlanta," *Telos* Summer.
- "Symposium on Intellectuals: Comment," *Telos* Winter 1981/82.
- 1980 "Declining Significance of Race?: A Review Essay," *Telos* (Summer.
- 1979 "Black Particularity Reconsidered," *Telos*. Spring 1979.
- "Toward the Final Solution: A Review Essay," *Telos* Fall.

- 1977 "Current Status of the Black Movement" in A.W. Singham (ed.), *The Non-Aligned Movement in World Politics*, Westport, CT: Lawrence Hill & Company.
- 1976 "Crocodile Tears & Auto-critique of the Bourgeoisie: 'Rollerball' & Rebellion in Mass Culture," *Endarch* 1 Winter.
- 1974 "Scientistic Socialism: Notes on the New, Afro-American Magic Marxism," *Endarch* 1 Fall.
- 1971 "Pan-Africanism: Ideology for Liberation?" *The Black Scholar* (September 1971), reprinted in Hare & Chrisman (eds.), *Pan-Africanism*. New York: Bobbs-Merrill. 1974.
- "Marxism and Nationalism in Afroamerica," *Social Theory and Practice* 1 Fall.

GRANTS AND FELLOWSHIPS

- 2003-4 Mellon Foundation Summer Graduate Seminar Grant, with Kenneth Warren, to conduct seminars for advanced graduate students on the topic "Rethinking African American Literary and Cultural Studies"
- 2002-3 Carnegie Corporation Scholar of Vision, grant for research on project, "Race in American Life: What It Is, What It Isn't/How It Operates, How It Doesn't"
- 1986 National Endowment for the Humanities Grant for Independent Study and Research, for Tenure 1986-1987
- Senior Faculty Fellowship, Yale University, 1986-1987
- 1975-1976 Rockefeller Fellows, Intern. Worked in Department of Budget and Planning and in Mayor's Office, City of Atlanta
- 1972 American Political Science Association Fellowship for Graduate Study
- Ford Foundation Departmental Fellowship for Graduate Study (1972-1975)

UNIVERSITY SERVICE

2006-2008	Member, College of Arts and Sciences Committee on Diversity in Curriculum
1999-2004	Member, Committee on Historical Studies
1996--97	Member, Executive Committee, American Studies Program
1989-91	Member, Executive Committee, American Studies Program
1988-90	Director of Graduate Studies, Department of Political Science
1987-1988 & 1985-1986	Director of Undergraduate Studies, Afro-American Studies Program
1985-1986	Member, Yale College Executive Committee

PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES

2012-	Editorial Board, nonsite
2011-	Editorial Board, <i>Socialist Register</i>
2009-	Editorial Board, <i>New Labor Forum</i>
2008-	Editorial Board, <i>Dialectical Anthropology</i>
2001-4	Editorial Board, <i>Polity</i>
2000- 11	Editorial Board, <i>Centennial Review</i>
	Editorial Board, <i>International Labor and Working-Class History</i>
1998-	Editorial Board, <i>New Political Science</i>
1991 -	Editorial Board, <i>Comparative Urban and Community Research</i>

1988-1991	Executive Council, American Political Science Association
1988-1991	Editorial Board, <i>Urban Affairs Quarterly</i>
1980-1989	Editorial Board, <i>Telos</i>
1975-1978	Executive Council, National Conference of Black Political Scientists
1974-1976	Editorial Board, <i>Endarch</i>

PARTICIPATION AT SCHOLARLY CONFERENCES

2015	<p>Respondent on panel on “Building the Just City: The Contributions of Adolph L. Reed, Jr. to Our Understanding of Race, Class, and Urban Political Economy under Neoliberalism” at the annual meeting of the Urban Affairs Association, April 10.</p> <p>Respondent on panel on “Critical Reflections on Adolph Reed’s ‘Nothing Left’” and discussant on panel on “Gender, Class and Conservatism” at annual meeting of the National Conference of Black Political Scientists, March 19 and 20.</p>
2014	<p>Presented Keynote Address at conference on “New Orleans as Subject,” Tulane University, September 18-20.</p> <p>Presented papers as the plenary speaker and as a panelist on race, culture, and politics at the Second International Historical Research Conference at the State University of Ceará, Fortaleza, Brazil, December 1 and 3.</p> <p>Presented paper on “The Voting Rights Act and Black Electoral Politics” at panel on “From Protest to Politics: Racial Democracy and the Rise of Neoliberal Solutions to Inequality, 1964-2012” at the annual meeting of the Association for the Study of African American Life and History,” September 26.</p>
2013	<p>Presented paper on “The Current Situation of Left Politics in the U.S.” at panel on “From the March on Washington to Tahrir Square and</p>

Beyond: Tactics, Ideology and Social Movements” at the annual meeting of the American Historical Association, January 4.

Keynote speaker at annual meeting of the Southern Labor Studies Association, March 8.

Discussant on a panel on Class, Historicity, and the Study of African American Politics: Preston Smith’s *Racial Democracy in the Black Metropolis: Housing Policy in Postwar Chicago*, annual meeting of the Social Science History Association, November 23.

Presented a paper on "Reflections on Ralph Miliband's 'Socialism and the Myth of the Golden Past'" at a panel on "Registering Class: 50 Years of the Socialist Register" at the annual Rethinking Marxism conference, September 22, 2013

2012 Presented paper at symposium “Elections 2012: Implications for US Workers” sponsored by Murphy Institute, City University of New York, November 16.

2009 Discussant on panel on Postwar Black Political Science, Annual Meeting, National Conference of Black Political Scientists, Houston, TX, March 21.

Paper presenter on panel on “The City in Ruins?: Arguing the Case for the ‘Other America’ in *The Wire*,” Annual Meeting, American Studies Association, Washington, DC, November 6.

Paper presenter on panel on “Where is ‘Audacity’ or ‘Hope’?,” Annual Meeting, American Anthropological Association, Philadelphia, PA December 3.

2008 Respondent on panel on Scholarly Contributions of Adolph Reed Jr. to the Study and Practice of Black Politics, National Conference of Black Politics, Annual Meeting, National Conference of Black Political Scientists, Chicago, IL, March 21.

Presented paper on panel on the Politics of Rebuilding New Orleans, Annual Meeting, Urban Affairs Association, Baltimore, MD April 25.

2006 Participant, roundtable on Black American Political Thought, Annual Meeting, National Conference of Black Political Scientists, Atlanta, GA, March 24.

- 2005 Discussant on panel on "Essentialism's Last Stand: Interrogating Art History's Investment in 'Double Consciousness,'" at College Art Association annual meeting, Atlanta, February 17.
- 2004 Presenter at Mini-course on Globalization and Activism in Higher Education and discussant on panel on political science and political theory at American Political Science Association annual meeting, Chicago, August 30-September 3.
- Discussant at panel on "Race Research in America: Intellectual and Institutional Histories" at Social Science History Association annual meeting, Chicago, November 19.
- Participant on panel on Labor and Politics in 2004, at Cornell University, School of Industrial and Labor Relations "Union Days 2004" Conference, Ithaca, NY, April 13
- Discussant on panel on "Backlash and Insurgency in 1970s Blue-Collar America" at annual meeting of the Organization of American Historians, Boston, MA, March 25-8
- Presented paper on panel on "The Working Class and Conservative Politics" Third annual *How Class Works* Conference, Stony Brook, NY, June 9.
- 2003 Presented paper on "W. E. B. Du Bois and the Evolution of Black Politics in the 20th Century" at symposium on "*The Souls of Black Folk* Reconsidered," University of Wisconsin, Madison, WI, April 7-9
- Presenter in short course on Free Higher Education and presented paper on panel on "One Hundred Years of Dissent in Political Science" at annual meeting of the American Political Science Association, Philadelphia, PA, August 27-31
- Presenter on plenary panel on the Centennial of *The Souls of Black Folk* at annual meeting of the American Studies Association, Hartford, CT, October 16
- Presented paper at symposium on "*The Souls of Black Folk* and the Century of the Color Line" at Williams College, November 7
- Commentator on paper on "Race, Identity, and the New Genomics" at multidisciplinary symposium on "Race and the New Genomics", University of Illinois at Chicago, November 1

Presented paper on panel on "Mack H. Jones and Black Political Science" at annual meeting of the National Conference of Black Political Scientists", Atlanta, GA, March 7 and 8.

Plenary panelist at "How Class Works" conference, State University of New York at Stony Brook, June 5-9.

Discussant on panel on "Neoliberalism and its Discontents" at annual meeting of the Western Political Science Association", Long Beach, CA, March 23 and 24.

2001 Participated on Plenary session at conference on "The Changing Terrain of Race and Ethnicity", University of Illinois at Chicago, Chicago, IL, October 26 and 27.

Panelist on session "The Scholar Activist/The Activist Scholar" at annual meeting of the Social Science History Association, Chicago, November 18.

2000 Discussant on panel on "The Politics of Welfare and Work" and presenter at plenary session on "The New Welfare Policies and Poverty in the U.S." at conference on "Work, Welfare and Politics", sponsored by the Center for the Study of Women in Society and the

Labor Education and Research Center, University of Oregon, Eugene, Oregon.

1999 Discussant on panel on "The Crisis of Labor Liberalism and Urban Politics, 1975-1981" at the annual North American Labor History Conference at Wayne State University, Detroit, Michigan.

Discussant on panel on "African-American Politics and the Meanings of of Equality in the Jim Crow Era" at the annual meeting of the American Historical Association, Washington, D.C.

1998 Participant on Presidential Panel on "Du Bois's Century: Du Bois as Historian and Social Scientist" and "Book Session: Adolph Reed, Jr., *W.E. B. Du Bois and American Political Thought*" at the annual meeting of the Social Science History Association, Chicago, Illinois

- 1997 Participant on Race and Public Policy Roundtable, and discussant on panel on Political Incorporation at the annual meeting of the American Political Science Association, Washington, D.C.
- 1996 Discussant on panel on Confluence of Race, Gender, Social Policy and Poverty at annual meeting of the Social Science History Association, New Orleans, Louisiana.
- 1995 American Political Science Association Annual Meeting, Chicago, Illinois: co-taught a mini-course for the Politics & History group on Race in American Political Development; participant on a roundtable on the left in American politics in the 1990s.
- 1994 Discussant on panel on "The Clinton Administration and the Cities" at the Urban Affairs Association annual meeting in New Orleans.
- Chaired and presented paper on panel on "Myths of Pathology and Problems for Urban Governance" at annual meeting of the National Forum of Black Public Administrators in New Orleans.
- 1993 Presented paper at "Urban Politics in the 1990s" conference at Columbia University.
- 1992 Discussant on panels on "Race and the Democratic Coalition" and "Race and American Political Development" and presenter on "Urban Political Economy Roundtable" at the annual meeting of the American Political Science Association, Chicago, Illinois.
- 1991 Presented paper at Conference on Political Identity in American Thought, Yale University.
- 1988 Presenter, Urban Political Economy Workshop at annual meeting of the American Political Science Association, Washington, D.C.
- 1987 Presented paper on Urban Governance panel and was a participant on roundtables on teaching Political Theory and the present state of critical black politics at the annual meeting of the National Conference of Black Political Scientists, Atlanta, Georgia.

Organized and chaired panel on "Black Power and City Politics" panel at annual meeting of the American Political Science Association, Chicago, Illinois.

1986 Presented paper at symposium on "The Present and Future of Afro-American Politics" at Brown University.

Presented paper on "Urban Political Economy" panel; participant on Urban Political Economy roundtable and roundtable on "The 1984 Jesse Jackson Presidential Candidacy" at annual meeting of the American Political Science Association, Washington, D.C.

1986 Presented paper at symposium on "Philanthropy and Black Higher Education" at Hampton University.

1985 Participant at symposium on 1984 Presidential Election, for the Joint Center for Political Studies, Washington, D.C.

1984 Presented paper on panel on "Black Political Management in the 80s" at annual meeting of National Forum for Black Public Officials, Atlanta, Georgia.

Presented paper on panel on "W.E.B. DuBois and the Heritage of Afro-American Political Thought" at annual meeting of the National Conference of Black Political Scientists, Washington, D.C.

Presented paper on "The Politics of Urban Racial Transition" at International symposium on "Minorities in the United States: Comparative approach to Development" at Borough of Manhattan Community College.

1983 Participant and presenter in symposium on "The Future of Black Politics," Hampshire College, Amherst, Massachusetts.

1982 Organized and chaired panel on "The Collapse of Liberalism and Marxism and the Implications for Afro-American Social Theory" at the annual meeting of the National Conference of Black Political Scientists in New Orleans, Louisiana.

Presented paper and chaired panel on "Reaganism as Ideology and Social Program" at annual meeting of the American Political Science Association in Denver, Colorado.

- 1980 Participant and presenter in National Issues Forum Seminar "Atlanta's Energy Future," sponsored by Georgia Endowment for the Humanities, Dekalb Community College and Clayton Junior College, Atlanta, Georgia.
- Organized and participated in seminars "The Crisis and You: Opportunities for Minority Input to Policymaking" and "The Energy Crisis and You: Opportunities for Minority Conservation," sponsored by Clark College and the U.S. Department of Energy.
- Participant and presenter in Symposium on "Politics and Culture in the Eighties" at Macalester College, St. Paul, Minnesota.
- Participant and presenter in Symposium on "The New Black Elite and the New Class" at Antioch College, Yellow Springs, Ohio.
- 1977 Presented paper on Political Theory panel and Discussant on Philosophy of Science panel at annual meeting of National Conference of Black Political Scientists in Atlanta, Georgia.
- Participant on Political Theory roundtable panel at annual meeting of the Southern Political Science Association in Atlanta, Georgia.
- 1976 Presented paper on Political Theory panel at annual meeting of the Association for the Social and Behavioral Sciences in Washington, D.C.
- Organized and Chaired Philosophy of Science panel at annual meeting of the National Conference of Black Political Scientists in Chicago, Illinois.
- Discussant on Philosophy of the Social Sciences panel at Symposium on the African Mind in the Western World at Rutgers University, New Brunswick, New Jersey.
- 1975 Discussant on Political Economy panel at annual meeting of the Association for the Study of Afro-American Life and History in Atlanta, Georgia.
- 1973 Organized and chaired Theory panel and Discussant on Political Economy panel at annual meeting of the National Conference of Black Political Scientists in New Orleans, Louisiana.

- 1972 Discussant, Political Theory panel at the annual meeting of the National Conference of Black Political Scientists in Atlanta, Georgia.
- 1970 Presented paper on Black Political Theory panel at annual meeting of the Association for the Social and Behavioral Sciences in Tallahassee, Florida.

LECTURES, SPECIAL AWARDS

- 2015 Keynote speaker at Fourth Annual Labor Fest Hawaii conference, Honolulu, HI, September 25
- 2013 Featured International Speaker, at the invitation of the Minister of the Secretariat, at national symposium, broadcast live on Brazilian national television, marking the tenth anniversary of the Brazilian Presidential Secretariat for the Promotion of Racial Equality, March 21.
- 2009 Lectured on “The Case for Free Public Higher Education” at Western Michigan University Social Justice Public Lecture Series, Kalamazoo MI, January 26.
- Presented in Discussion with Prof. Cathy Cohen, “Long Time Coming: Obama and the Politics of Identity” Chicago Center for Contemporary Theory. University of Chicago, February 20.
- Presenter on Opening Plenary, “The Current Crisis: Economic, Political, Environmental, and Cultural Dimensions,” Left Forum, New York, April 17.
- 2008 Lectured at Bard College at Simon’s Rock on *The Souls of Black Folk* Then and Now, October 2.
- Presented on W. E. B. Du Bois and American Political Thought on Race and Class panel at the annual Big Read Festival, St. Louis, MO, October 11.
- Lectured on panel on “American Politics in the Age of Obama: A New Era?,” sponsored by the Ph. D. Program in Political Science, Center for

the Humanities, Ralph Bunche Center for International Studies et al, CUNY Graduate Center, New York, November 21.

2004 Delivered keynote address at Dorothy Perry Thompson Colloquium in African American Studies at Winthrop University, Rock Hill, SC, March 4.

2001 Lectured on "The Politics of Racial Transition in American Cities" at University of Delaware, Urban Affairs Program, October 18.

Presenter at workshop on Reconstruction and Its Aftermath at Summer Conference of the Civil Rights Committee of the Union of Needletrades, Industrial and Textile Employees (UNITE!), AFL-CIO. Baltimore, MD., September 28.

Participated as panelist at symposium on "America Becoming: Racial Trends and Their Consequences for the Nation and New York", CUNY Graduate Center, February 28.

Gordon Sandison Memorial Lecturer, Political Science Department, Western Washington University, Bellingham, WA, May 7-9.

2000 King-Chavez-Parks Visiting Professor, Center for African American Studies, University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, Michigan.

1998/99 John J. McCloy '16 Professor, Amherst College.

1998 Winner, National Conference of Black Political Scientists' Outstanding Book Award for *W. E. B. Du Bois and American Political Thought*

Lectured at Princeton University on "Considerations on the Relation Between the Study and Practice of Black Politics"

1997 Participated in Symposia on Public Intellectuals at Colgate University and the University of Chicago

Lectured at Reed College on Afro-American Cultural Studies

Lectured at Macalester College on Gender in Afro-American Politics

- 1996 Lectured at Wesleyan University Women's Studies symposium on "Gender in Afro-American Political Thought"
- Lectured at University of North Carolina-Chapel Hill on "Gender in the History of Afro-American Political Thought"
- Lectured at George Mason University on "Gender in the History of Afro-American Political Thought"
- 1995 Participated on panels on "The Bell Curve" at Emory University, Bryn Mawr, Chicago State University and the University of Illinois-Chicago
- Lectured at Hampshire College on "What's At Stake in the Affirmative Action Debate"
- 1993 Plenary lecture at conference on Multiculturalism and Education at Bard College.
- 1992 Keynote lecture at annual conference of Mellon minority graduate fellows, Princeton University.
- Lectured at Virginia Commonwealth University and at Notre Dame University on "The Changing Politics of Race in American Politics."
- Lectured and participated in panel at Emory University on "African-Americans and the 1992 Presidential Election."
- 1991 Lectured at Brown University, Empire State College (Buffalo, NY) and the American Politics Workshop, University of Chicago, on "The Changing Politics of Race"
- Lectured at Michigan State University on "Du Bois and Multiculturalism"
- Woodrow Wilson Foundation Distinguished Black Scholar at Spelman College
- 1990 Keynote Address at Western Humanities Conference annual meeting on "Mythologies of 'Cultural Politics' and the Discrete Charm of the Black Petite Bourgeoisie"

- 1989 Woodrow Wilson Foundation Distinguished Black Scholar at Xavier University and Dillard University
- 1989 Lectured at Baruch College, CUNY on "The 'Underclass' and the Welfare State"
- 1988 Lectured at University of California-Berkeley School of Public Policy on "The 'Underclass' and the Welfare State"
- 1987 Lectured at University of Connecticut-Stamford, on W.E.B. DuBois: A Profile"
- Lectured at South Carolina State College on "The Present State of Black Politics"
- Lectured at Southern University-Baton Rouge, on "The Black Urban Regime"
- 1986 Lectured at Purdue University on "The Political Thought of W.E.B. DuBois"
- Lectured at Wesleyan University on "Science and Progress: The Unity of Scholarship and Activism in DuBois"
- 1985 Lectured at the University of Massachusetts-Amherst, on "The Jesse Jackson Phenomenon"
- 1983 Lectured at Sacred Heart University, Bridgeport, CT, on "Black Politics in the 80s"
- 1982 Lectured at NYU on "Color in the Consciousness Industry: Blacks and Film"
- Lectured at Hampton Institute, Hampton, VA on "Technocracy and Corporate Capitalism"
- 1981 Lectured at SUNY-Buffalo on "Reaganism and Racial Retrenchment." Lectured at Adelphi University, New York, NY, on "Reaganism and the Black Elite"

1971 First Prize, *Black Scholar* Essay Contest/Lectured at State University of New York, College at Old Westbury

OTHER EXPERIENCE

2006 Helped organize and participated in the South Carolina Labor Party Ballot Access Campaign, which collected more than 16,500 signatures from South Carolina registered voters to win an official ballot line for the new South Carolina Labor Party.

Elected to the American Association of University Professors' National Council and Executive Committee (re-elected to Executive Committee 2007 and 2008)

2004- Member, American Association of University Professors, Committee on Academic Freedom and Tenure

Consultant, Lighthouse District Planning Commission, Atlantic City, NJ

2002- National Co-Chair, Campaign for Free Public Higher Education

1998- Member, Board of Directors, Public Health Institute, (Board President, 2002-)

1997-98 Expert Witness for plaintiff in *Cabrini-Green Local Advisory Council v. Chicago Housing Authority, et. al.*

1996- Member, Interim National Council, Labor Party

Co-Chair, Education Committee of Chicago Jobs With Justice (1996-98)

Member, Board of Directors, Public Citizen, Inc. (Board President, 2002-)

1995-98 Regular columnist for the *Village Voice*

Co-Chair, Chicago Coalition for New Priorities (1995-98)

- Member, Interim Executive Committee, Labor Party Advocates (1995-96)
- 1995- Member, Board of Directors, Public Citizen, Inc (Board President 2001-present)
- 1992- Regular columnist for *The Progressive*
- Member, Board of Directors, Coalition for New Priorities
- 1987-1989 Advisor, RKB Productions Documentary on Adam Clayton Powell; aired in "American Experience" series on PBS
- 1980-1981 City of Atlanta. Position: Director, Office of Research and Interns, Department of the Mayor, City of Atlanta
- 1978-1979 City of Atlanta. Position: Urban Policy Analyst in Department of Budget & Planning, Bureau of Budget Policy and Evaluation
- 1973 Member, Advisory Board, Low Country Conference on Education, Charleston, South Carolina
- 1970-1972 Foundation for Community Development, Durham, North Carolina. Positions: Field Representative and Venture Analyst/Technical Assistance Coordinator in Community Venture Development Department, and Staff Writer
- 1969-1970 Mbari Cultural Center, a poor people's and military organizing project, Fayetteville, North Carolina. Position: Head Organizer
- 1966-1969 Various student, labor, and community organizing activities