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EDUCATION

2018 Ph.D., History, Rutgers University. New Brunswick, New Jersey.
2011 B.A., History, Drew University. Madison, New Jersey

PROFESSIONAL APPOINTMENTS

2023- Assistant Professor, Loyola University Maryland, Baltimore, MD.
2021-2023 Assistant Professor, Binghamton University, State University of New York, Binghamton, NY.
2019-2021 Presidential Diversity Postdoctoral Fellow, Binghamton University, State University of New York, Binghamton, NY.
2018-2019 Postdoctoral Associate, Scarlet & Black Project, Rutgers University-New Brunswick, New Brunswick, NJ.

PUBLICATIONS

Edited Volumes

Co-Editor, *Scarlet and Black, Vol. Three: Making Black Lives Matter at Rutgers, 1945-2020* (New Brunswick: Rutgers University Press, 2021).

Refereed Journal Articles

“Becoming ‘a force for desegregation’: The Girl Scouts and Civil Rights in the Nation’s Capital,” *Washington History* 29: 2 (Fall 2017).

Book Chapters

Co-Author, “Profiles in Courage: Breaking the Color Line at Douglass,” in *Scarlet and Black, Vol. Two: Constructing Race and Gender at Rutgers, 1865-1945* (New Brunswick: Rutgers University Press, 2020).
Co-Author, “Old Money: Rutgers University and the Political Economy of Slavery in New Jersey” and “‘I Hereby Bequeath...’: Excavating the Enslaved from the Wills of the Early Leaders of Queen’s College,” in *Scarlet and Black: Slavery and Dispossession in Rutgers History* (New Brunswick: Rutgers University Press, 2016).

Encyclopedia Entries

“Black Girlhood in Twentieth Century America,” *Oxford Research Encyclopedia of American History* (2021).

Book Reviews

Review, *The Global History of Black Girlhood* edited by Corinne T. Field and LaKisha Michelle Simmons, *Journal of the History of Childhood and Youth* (Forthcoming 2023).
Review, *Jim Crow Capital: Women and Black Freedom Struggles in Washington, D.C., 1920-1945* by Mary-Elizabeth Murphy, *The Historian* (2020).
Review, *Black Girlhood in the Nineteenth Century* by Nazera Sadiq Wright, *Michigan Historical Review*, Vol. 43, No. 1 (Spring 2017).
Review, *Crescent City Girls: The Lives of Young Black Women in Segregated New Orleans* by LaKisha Michelle Simmons, *H-Women*, February 2016.

Web-Based Publications

“Making the Most of Your Postdoc” (2022), *Clio and the Contemporary*
“Douglass Firsts: Emma Andrews and Evelyn Sermons” (2020), *Scarlet & Black Digital Archive*
“Douglass Research: Finding Veronica Henriksen” (2020), *Scarlet & Black Digital Archive*

GRANTS AND FELLOWSHIPS

2022 Presidential Diversity Research Grant, Binghamton University
2018 Professional Development Fund Award, Rutgers University
2017 Professional Development Fund Award, Rutgers University
2016 Albert J. Beveridge Grant, American Historical Association
2014 Mellon/Moorland Travel-to-Collections Grant, Moorland-Spingarn Research Center, Howard University, Washington, D.C.
2012-2013 Summer Research Grant, Rutgers School of Arts and Sciences Andrew W. Mellon Foundation.
2010 Leavell-Oberg Research Fellowship, Drew University Department of History

COURSES TAUGHT

Binghamton University, State University of New York

African American Women’s History
Race and Childhood in America
Swipe Right: History of Modern U.S. Dating Culture
African American History since 1877
Global Black Girlhoods
African Americans in Modern America (Grad Seminar)
Modern American Civilization

Rutgers University-New Brunswick

History of Race and Sex in America (Instructor of Record)
Childhood in America (Teaching Assistant)
History and the News (Hybrid Course) (Teaching Assistant)
Development of the U.S. I (Teaching Assistant)

RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

2016-2018 Graduate Assistant, Rutgers Center for Race and Ethnicity, Rutgers University-New Brunswick

2016-2018 Research Committee for Slavery and the Disenfranchised at Rutgers
 2014-2015 Research Assistant, Douglass Greenberg, Blacks on the Banks
 2013-2014 Graduate Assistant, IEEE History Center, Rutgers University – New Brunswick
 2009 Intern, The Amistad Commission, The State of New Jersey Department of Ed.

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE & SERVICE

2021-2023 Facilitator, Anne Moody Workshop for Scholars
 2021 Manuscript Proposal Review, *A Return to the African Girl: (Re)Defining African Girlhood Studies*
 2020 Consultant, “Rights and Rituals: The Making of African American Debutante Culture,” California African American Museum
 2016-2018 Peer Mentor, GradFund, Rutgers University-New Brunswick
 2016 Consultant, “JACK&JILL,” BRICLab, Brooklyn, NY
 2015-2016 Judge, New Jersey History Day State Competition, Rutgers University-New Brunswick and Princeton University
 2013 Minority Student Recruitment Committee, Rutgers University Department of History
 2012-2013 Coordinating Committee, Warren G. Susman Graduate Student Conference

CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS

2023 “A Celebration of Black Girlhood: Rethinking the Black Debutante Ball,” Association for the Study of African American Life and History,” Jacksonville, FL
 2021 “Rutgers Experience in Studying Slavery and the Development of the Scarlet and Black Project,” In the Wake of Slavery and Dispossession: Emory, Racism, and the Journey towards Restorative Justice, Emory University, Atlanta, GA
 2020 “The National Council of Negro Women’s International Debutante Cotillion and the Making of Teenage Global Citizens,” Berkshire Conference of Women’s Historians, Baltimore, MD (CONFERENCE CANCELED)
 2020 “‘Boy Dates Girl’ African American Girls and Dating Education at the Phyllis Wheatley YWCA, 1944-1956,” Western Association of Women’s Historians, Costa Mesa, CA (CONFERENCE CANCELED)
 2020 “‘The most auspicious event ever attempted’: The National Council of Negro Women’s International Debutante Cotillion and a Global Vision of Civil Rights, 1960-1965,” The Lemon Project Spring Symposium, Williamsburg, VA (CONFERENCE CANCELED)
 2019 “Black Girl Ambassadors: Race, Cold War Cultural Diplomacy, and the Girl Scouts in Washington, D.C.,” Society for the History of Childhood and Youth, Biennial Meeting, Sydney, Australia
 2018 “‘I Hereby Bequeath...’: Excavating the Enslaved from the Wills of the Early Leaders of Queen’s College,” Rutgers University, New Brunswick, NJ
 2018 “Scarlet and Black: Remembrance and Systemic Repair at Rutgers University,” Universities Studying Slavery Symposium, Tougaloo College, Tougaloo, MS
 2018 “African American and Nonwhite Firsts at Douglass College,” Douglass Centennial Celebration, Douglass Residential College, New Brunswick, NJ

- 2018 “Beyond the Frontlines: Age, Gender, and Seeking Alternative Spaces of Civil Rights Girlhood,” Organization of American Historians, Sacramento, CA
- 2018 “Findings of the Scarlet and Black Douglass Group,” Associate Alumnae of Douglass College, New Brunswick, NJ
- 2017 “‘Those girls seem to be faster than we are’: Black Girls Negotiating and Policing Sexuality in 1930s Washington, D.C.,” Berkshire Conference on the History of Women, Genders, and Sexualities, Berkshire Conference of Women’s Historians, Hofstra University, Hempstead, NY
- 2016 “Black Girl Ambassadors: Cold War Civil Rights and the Girl Scout Council of the Nation’s Capital,” Organization of American Historians, Providence, RI
- 2016 “A High School Girl Goes to Washington!: Black Girlhood, Democracy, and Civil Rights at the 1960 National Association of Colored Girls Citizenship Institute for Future Leaders,” American Historical Association, Atlanta, GA
- 2015 “‘A well-talked-about affair’: Black Debutantes and the Cotillion in the *Washington Afro-American*,” Society for the History of Childhood and Youth, Vancouver, BC
- 2015 Roundtable on Black Girlhood, Rutgers Center for Race and Ethnicity, New Brunswick, NJ
- 2015 “Depression-Era Washington, D.C. and the Origins of Black Girls’ Organizations,” Graduate Forum, Rutgers Center for Race and Ethnicity, New Brunswick, NJ
- 2014 Panel Organizer, “Becoming a ‘force for desegregation’: Washington, D.C. Girl Scouts and the Desegregation of Girl Scout Camps,” Association for the Study of African American Life and History, Memphis, TN
- 2014 Roundtable on the State of Black Studies in New Jersey, Amistad Statewide Summit, The Amistad Commission, New Brunswick, NJ
- 2012 “Womanhood, Integration, and Democracy: The National Council of Negro Women International Debutante Cotillion, 1960-1965,” Association for the Study of African American Life and History, Pittsburgh, PA
- 2012 Commentator, “Erased, Disguised, Ventriloquized: Uncovering the Subject Voice,” Warren G. Susman Graduate Student Conference, New Brunswick, NJ

INVITED PRESENTATIONS

- 2021 Panelist, “In Conversation: Taylor-Bythewood Porter, Miya C. Carey, and Lynne Hobbs,” California African American Museum
- 2021 Guest Speaker, “A Force for Desegregation?: The Girl Scouts and the Civil Rights Movement in Washington, D.C.,” Trinity Memorial Episcopal Church, Binghamton, NY.
- 2021 Guest Speaker, “Bigger than a Trefoil: Black Women, Girl Scouting, and the Civil Rights Movement,” Introduction to African American Studies, University of California-Riverside
- 2020 Guest Speaker, “Black Girlhood as a Category of Analysis,” Intimate Histories, Wesleyan University

MEDIA APPEARANCES

- 2020 Guest, “Policing Play,” *DAME* Magazine, The Gatekeepers Podcast, Ep. 2, <https://megaphone.link/LAV5296071229>.

2019 Guest, "Presenting the Debutante Ball," 1A,
<https://www.npr.org/2019/11/13/778952200/presenting-the-debutante-ball>

MEMBERSHIPS AND AFFILIATIONS

American Historical Association
Association for the Study of African American Life and History
Coordinating Council for Women in History
Historical Society of Washington, D.C.
Organization of American Historians
Society for the History of Childhood and Youth