

7th Annual Conference of the Graduate Association for African-American History

Registration, Reception (both at Holiday Inn) and Keynote (Fogelman Executive Center) on Wednesday, September 28, 2005

Conference Sessions on Thursday and Friday, September 29-30, 2005 (Holiday Inn)

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| Thursday morning | Session 1 | 8:30-9:45 | The Many Roles and Images of Women in the Southern Black Community | Audubon Room | Dr. Margaret Caffrey | Gloria R. Boyd |
| | | | The African-American Community Pre- and Post-Slavery | Lamar Room | Dr. Beverly Bond | Marlin C. Barber Crystal A. deGregory |
| | Session 2 | 9:45-11:00 | Radical African Americans During the Civil Rights Era | Audubon Room | Dr. Selika Ducksworth-Lawton | Annelieke Dirks Samuel L. Brenner |
| | | | Red, Black and White – Relationships Between African Americans, Indians and Whites During the Colonial Era | Lamar Room | Dr. Arwin Smallwood | Armanthia Duncan Letoshia Foster |
| Lunch | | 11:15-12:45 | Introductions, announcements Janann Sherman, Chair Department of History The University of Memphis | Tennessee Ball Room | Dr. Ralph Faudree Dr. Henry Kurtz Dr. Arwin Smallwood Reginald Ellis | |
| Thursday afternoon | Session 3 | 1:00-2:15 | African Americans Removing the Veil in South Carolina: Race, Religion and School Desegregation | Lamar Room | Dr. Abel Bartley | Lawson Clary James MacBride |
| | | | The Evolution of Black Education in the Jim Crow Era | Audubon Room | Dr. Charles W. Crawford | Mary Wilkins Crystal R. Sanders |
| | | | The Formation of the Free Black Community in the South, During and Following the Civil War | Overton Room | Dr. Robert Gudmestad | Felice F. Knight Karen Bell |
| | Session 4 | 2:30-3:45 | Cooperation and Resistance: The Coming of Integration in the American South | Lamar Room | Dr. Janann Sherman | Blake A. Ellis William J. Patty |
| | | | Infrastructure and the Making and Survival of the Black Urban Community | Audubon Room | Dr. Aram Goudsouzian | Jessica Ruckheim Eric M. Hardy |
| Session 5 | 4:00-5:00 | <u>Round Table Discussion</u> : The Increasing Number of Black Females in Southern Prisons OPEN TO EVERYONE | Overton Room | | | |

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| Friday Morning | Session 6 | 8:30-9:45 | Black Business Leaders and Commerce in Southern Communities | Lamar Room | Dr. David Jackson | Jonathan Hutchins Shennette Garrett |
| | | | The Impact of Urban Renewal on Southern Black Communities | Audubon Room | Dr. Richard Pierce | Alyssa Ribeiro Ivy Holliman |
| | Session 7 | 9:45-11:00 | No Opportunity for Blacks: Success Through Migration | Lamar Room | Dr. Charles Ross | Maryjean Wall Lori A. Woods |
| | | | A Forgotten Past: The History of African Americans and Indians in Southern Communities | Audubon Room | Dr. Barry Gasper | Thomas Young Anthony E. Dixon |
| LUNCH | | 11:15-12:45 | 'Memphis Eight' Best Paper Award Beverly Bunch-Lyon, presenter | Tennessee Ball Room | | |
| Friday afternoon | Session 8 | 1:00-2:15 | Expressing Blackness in College: African American Sororities and Fraternities on Southern White and Black College Campuses | Lamar Room | Dr. Alton Hornsby | Zachary Howser Alexandra Pajak |
| | | | African Americans in West Africa: The Struggle for Purpose and Place | Audubon Room | Dr. Dennis Laumann | Brian E. McNeil |
| | Session 9 | 2:30-4:00 | We Ain't All Just Baptist: The Role of Other Religions in the Shaping of the Black Community in the South | Lamar Room | Dr. Gary Edwards | Sharon L. Bynum Stephen P. Barber |
| | | | African American Civil War Veterans and Their Compensation | Audubon Room | Dr. Douglas Cupples | Michael E. Lynch |

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