The Third Annual Workshop on Globalizing Race Studies: Global Perspectives on Race, Knowledge, and Institutions in the 21st Century

Thursday, 18 February 2016

John Evans Alumni Center
1800 Sheridan Road

12-12.30p  Lunch Served

12.30-2p  Student Panel 1: The Fungibility of Black Life

Moderator: Theodore Foster  (African American Studies)

Graduate Student Panelists:
Tyrone Palmer  (African American Studies)
Casey Goonan  (African American Studies)
Arturo Chang  (Political Science)

Readings:
- Ferreira da Silva, Denise, "To Be Announced," Social Text, 2013

2.15-3.45p  Student Panel 2: Racial Violence & the Neoliberal Racial Order

Moderator: Chad Infante  (English)

Graduate Student Panelists:
Delali Kumavie  (English)
Jared Rodriguez  (African American Studies)
Andrew Thompson  (Political Science)

Readings:
- Dawson, Michael and Francis, Megan Ming, "Black Politics and the Neoliberal Racial Order"

3.45-4p  Coffee Break

4-6p  Public Lectures:

Civil Disobedience, Race & American Exceptionalism

Erin Pineda
Provost’s Postdoctoral Scholar in the Center for the Study of Race, Politics, and Culture, The University of Chicago
Chair: Debra E. Thompson  (African American Studies, NU)

Militarizing Race

David Theo Goldberg
Director, Systemwide University of California Humanities Research Institute and Professor, Comparative Literature and Anthropology, University of California, Irvine.
Chair: Alvin Tillery Jr.  (African American Studies, NU)

Co-sponsors:
- WITS Institute for Social and Economic Research,
- University of California Humanities Research Institute,
- WCAS Department of African American Studies
- Department of Political Science

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Friday, 19 February 2016

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9-9.30a  Opening Remarks & Breakfast

9:30a-12p  Faculty Round Table 1: Black Lives Matter
Chair: Alvin Tillery Jr. (Political Science, Northwestern U.)
Speakers:
Juliet Hooker (Dept. of Government, UT Austin)
Melvin Rogers (Dept. of Political Science, UCLA)
Shatema Threadcraft (Dept of Poli. Sci., Rutgers U.)

12p-1p  Lunch

1-2.30p  Faculty Round Table 2: Rhodes Must Fall & the Future of South African University
Chair: David Theo Goldberg (Director, System-wide U. of California Humanities Research Institute and Professor, Comp. Lit. and Anthropology, UC Irvine)
Speakers:
Achille Mbembe (WITS Institute for Social and Economic Research, Johannesburg, South Africa)

3-4.15p  Public Lecture & 4.15-5.30p  Public Conversation:

Hidden in Plain Sight: Race, Capitalism, and the Neoliberal Racial Order
Michael C. Dawson
Department of Political Science, The University of Chicago

Excerpts from an Unfinished South African Diary
Achille Mbembe
WITS Institute for Social and Economic Research, Johannesburg, South Africa

5.30-7p  Closing Reception
(Harris Hall 108)

Readings:

Readings:
Multiple Authors, “Rhodes and Decolonizing the South African Universities”

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Center for Global Culture and Communication
BUFFETT INSTITUTE FOR GLOBAL STUDIES PRESENT:

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