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Curriculum Vitae

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ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS

Seattle University

Professor of Political Science, Seattle University (2021–present), Associate Professor (2013–2021), Assistant Professor (2007–2013), Visiting Assistant Professor (2005–2007), Lecturer (2003–2005)

Director, African and African American Studies Program, Seattle University (2016–2019, 2024–present)

Director, Collegium Tenure Track Faculty Development Program, College of Arts & Sciences, Seattle University (2024–present)

Director, Pre-Law Program, Seattle University (2005–2016)

Affiliated Faculty, African and African American Studies (2005–present)

Affiliated Faculty, Seattle University School of Law (2024–present)

Affiliated Faculty, Women, Gender & Sexuality Studies (2005–present)

Courses Taught: Citizenship/Civic Engagement; Constitutional Law; Law, Politics & Society; Law, Politics & Justice; Law & Gender; Race & Law; Racial Capitalism & the Law; International Law

EDUCATION

J.D. 1999 University of Washington School of Law
1998 Howard University School of Law, Visiting Student

B.A. 1995 Western Washington University, Law and Diversity, with Honors

PUBLICATIONS

Peer-Reviewed Articles and Chapters

Racial Gaslighting, in GASLIGHTING (SUNY Press 2025) (eds. Kelly Oliver, Hanna Gunn, and Holly Longair).

Racial Gaslighting, in THE POLITICS OF PROTEST: READINGS ON THE BLACK LIVES MATTER MOVEMENT (Routledge 2022) (eds. Nadia E. Brown, Ray Block Jr., and Christopher Stout) (reprint, co-authored with Rose Ernst).

Intersectionality: From Theory to Practice, 15 ANN. REV. L. & SOC. SCI. 347 (2019) (co-authored with Hajar Al-Faham and Rose Ernst).

Racial Gaslighting, 7 POL. GRPS. & IDENTITIES 761, VOL. 4 (2019) (co-authored with Rose Ernst) (2019 Best Paper Award, Western Political Science Association; first published online in 2017).

Student-Centered Discussion in Racial Justice Courses, 2 RACE & PEDAGOGY J.: TEACHING & LEARNING FOR JUST., VOL. 2 (2017) (co-authored with Rose Ernst).

Apologies, Reparations, and the Continuing Legacy of the European Slave Trade in the United States, 45 J. BLACK STUD. 271, VOL. 4 (2014).

Educating for 'Ethical Ambition': Bell's Impact in the Undergraduate Classroom, 36 SEATTLE U. L. REV. xvi (2013).

Reconciliation or Retreat? How Legislative Resolutions Apologizing for Slavery Promulgate White Supremacy, 42 THE BLACK SCHOLAR 37 (2012).

Preaching to the Apathetic and Uninterested: Teaching Citizenship to Freshmen and Non-Majors, 18 J. FOR CIVIC COMMITMENT 1 (2012) (co-authored with Brian Mello).

Political Blackness: a Sociopolitical Construction, in LOVING IN A POST-RACIAL WORLD: RETHINKING RACE, SEX, AND MARRIAGE (Cambridge University Press, 2012) (eds. Rose Cuisin Villazor and Kevin Maillard).

Racial Spectacles: Promoting a Colorblind Agenda through Direct Democracy, 55 STUD. L. POLS. & SOC. 133–171 (2011) (co-authored with Rose Ernst).

Administrative Law, INT'L ENCYCLOPEDIA SOC. SCI. 22–23 (William A. Darity ed., 2d ed. 2008).

Law Review Articles

Descriptive Representation Matters: The Connection Between Access to Legal Education and Nonwhite Lawyer-Legislators in the United States, 22 BERKELEY LA RAZA L.J. 117 (2012).

Multiracialism and Reparations: The Intersection of the Multiracial Category and Reparations Movements, 29 T. JEFFERSON L. REV. 161 (2007).

Other Publications

THE FIFTH DIMENSION: RACIAL JUSTICE PODCAST, Season 1 (10 Episodes), Substack (August – December 2024).

SPARKING ACADEMIC JOY: WRITING RETREATS FOR SCHOLARS (Alchemy House Press, 2019).

“*Why Black Mothers Live in Fear of the Police.*” The Seattle Times (May 6, 2016).

“*Every Breath is a Blessing.*” South Seattle Emerald (May 30, 2020).

Increasing Diversity in the Legal Profession: A Collaboration, Wash. St. B. News, Sept. 2006, at 33–35 (co-authored with J.K. Donlin).

In Progress

Racial Gaslighting. Edited Volume with Rose Ernst.

The Family Green Book. Book Manuscript.

NHI: No Human Involved. Academic article.

GRANTS, FELLOWSHIPS, AND COMPETITIVE WORKSHOPS

Provost’s Fellow, National Science Foundation, ADVANCE: Organizational Change for Gender Equity in STEM Academic Professions Grant (2022–2025)

Fellow, Black and Indigenous Women, Liberated Leadership, Threshold Philanthropy (2021–2023)

Faculty Development Summer Fellowship, Institute for Catholic Thought and Culture, Seattle University (2019)

Helen R. Whiteley Center Fellow, Friday Harbor, Washington (2011–2019) (each year)

Seattle University Provost Summer Faculty Fellowship (2015)

Environmental Sustainability Wed to Social Justice (with Rose Ernst), Seattle University, (2013)

Interactivity Foundation Grant (with Rose Ernst) (2011)

Early Career Workshop, Law & Society Association, Chicago (2010)

Student Research Faculty Fellowship, Seattle University (2010)

Endowed Mission Fund Grant, Seattle University (2010–2011)

Justice Faculty Fellow, Center for the Study of Justice in Society, Seattle University (2005–2008)

Seattle University Summer Faculty Research Fellowship (2006)

Fellow, Washington State Bar Association Leadership Institute (2004–2005)

AWARDS AND HONORS

Outstanding Service Award, College of Arts & Sciences, Seattle University (2023)

Distinguished Alumna Award, Fairhaven College, Western Washington University (2022)

Best Paper Award for *Racial Gaslighting*, Western Political Science Association's POL. GRPS. & IDENTITIES Journal (2019)

Outstanding Teaching Award, College of Arts & Sciences, Seattle University (2017)

Faculty of the Year “Sankofa Award,” Office of Multicultural Affairs, Seattle University (2012)

Advisor of the Year Award, College of Arts & Sciences, Seattle University (2010)

“Rising Star” Award, *Washington Law & Politics* Magazine (2006)

Charlotte MacDonald Malone Endowed Scholarship, University of Washington School of Law (1995)

INVITED ACADEMIC PRESENTATIONS

Discussant, *Healing Race Portal*, Legacy Museum, Montgomery, AL (March 11-14, 2025). Invited by Resmaa Menakem and rev. angel Kyodo williams.

Seminar Lecture (with Rose Ernst), *Racial Gaslighting*, University of Warwick, Centre for the Study of Women and Gender, Coventry, England (January 15, 2025)

Juneteenth Workshop (with Rose Ernst), *How to Recognize and Respond to Racial Gaslighting*, University of Michigan, Ford School, Center for Racial Justice, Ann Arbor, MI (June 19, 2024)

Speaker & Facilitator, *Exhale: Sparking Academic Joy Workshop and Writing Retreat*, Rutgers University, Newark, NJ (June 12-13, 2024)

Speaker & Facilitator, *Exhale: Sparking Academic Joy Workshop and Writing Retreat*, Portland State University, Portland, OR (June 7, 2024)

Lecture (with Rose Ernst), *Racial Gaslighting*, College of Saint Benedict & Saint John's University, St. Joseph, MN (August 23, 2022)

Lecture, "Racial Gaslighting," University of Minnesota, Minneapolis, MN (October 23, 2020)

Panelist, "The Violence of Hate Speech Against Racial, Gender, and Sexual Populations," American Political Science Association Annual Meeting. San Francisco, CA (September 2020) (Co-Sponsored by Law and Courts, Race, Ethnicity, and Politics (REP), and Gender and Politics sections)

Panelist & Participant, "Roundtable on Legal Remedies for Racial Trauma," UC Berkeley School of Law, Civil Justice Research Institute. Berkeley, CA (January 31, 2020)

Lecture, "No Human Involved: Three-Fifth Justice in the United States," Institute for Catholic Thought and Culture, Seattle University. Seattle, WA (April 17, 2019)

Plenary Presentation, "Trello for Academics," Lutie A. Lytle Workshop for Black Women Law Faculty hosted by Southern Methodist University, College of Law. Dallas, TX (July 13, 2018)

Lecture (with Rose Ernst), "Racial Gaslighting," Critical Race Pedagogy as Praxis Campus Conversation, Seattle University. Seattle, WA (March 8, 2018)

Panelist, "Self-Care for Academics," 11th Annual Lutie A. Lytle Black Women Law Faculty Workshop hosted by University of Michigan Law School. Ann Arbor, MI (July 7, 2017)

Presentation, (with Rose Ernst) "Racial Gaslighting," Seattle University School of Law, Faculty Speaker Series. Seattle, WA (April 18, 2017)

Consultant & Participant, "Boys and Young Men of Color Convening," Robert Wood Johnson Foundation. Cincinnati, OH (August 18-19, 2016)

Commentator, "Policing as if 'All Lives Mattered': Critical and Empirical Approaches to Disrupting the 'Common Sense' of Racialized Police Violence," Commentator on guest speaker Mario Barnes' remarks at Seattle University School of Law. Seattle, WA (October 25, 2016)

Lecture, "International Day of Remembrance of the Victims of Slavery and the Transatlantic Slave Trade," Henry "Hank" McGee Global African Studies Faculty Lecture Series, Seattle University. Seattle, WA (April 2015)

Presentation (with Rose Ernst), "Racial Spectacles in *To Kill a Mockingbird*," Rethinking Harper Lee's "To Kill a Mockingbird" Fifty Years Later: A Critical Race Perspective on Atticus Finch, Tom Robinson and Maycomb County, Alabama Workshop, Seattle University School of Law. Seattle, WA (March 9, 2012)

Lecture (with Rose Ernst), "Racial Spectacles: Promoting a Colorblind Agenda through Direct Democracy," Henry "Hank" McGee Global African Studies Faculty Lecture Series, Seattle University. Seattle, WA (April 2011)

Panelist, "Out of the Ashes." Seattle University School of Law. Seattle, WA (January 2011)

Moderator and Speaker, "Paramount Duty," Center for Educational Equity, Seattle University. Seattle, WA (October 2010)

Speaker, "A View from the Public Sector," Washington State Bar Association Conference. Seattle, WA (April 2009)

Respondent, Warren Read's "The Lyncher in Me," Seattle University. Seattle, WA (October 2008)

Speaker, "Colorism and Reparations," Center for the Study of Justice in Society, Seattle University. Seattle, WA (May 2008)

Panelist, "Passion and Policy: Bridging the Gap," Seattle University. Seattle, WA (April 2008)

Presentation (with Rose Ernst), "Progressive yet Prejudiced: Democracy and Desegregation." *Brown Undone?* The Impact of PICS on Elementary and Secondary Education Conference, Seattle University. Seattle, WA (February 8, 2008)

Speaker, "*Loving v. Virginia*: Forty Years Later." Washington State Bar Association Conference on Diversity. Seattle, WA (June 2007)

Keynote, "It Wasn't Me: Reparations Discourse in the Twenty-First Century," Diversity Scholar in Residence, Allegheny College. Meadville, PA (April 2007)

Speaker, "The Intersection of the Reparations and Multiracial Category Movements," Center for the Study of Justice in Society, Seattle University. Seattle, WA (May 2006)

SELECTED CONFERENCE PAPERS AND PRESENTATIONS

18th Annual Lutie A. Lytle Black Women Law Faculty & Writing Retreat, Duke University School of Law, Durham, NC (June 25-30, 2024)

Paper Presentation, *Racial Gaslighting: Responding With the 5D Framework* (June 29, 2024)

Plenary Panelist, *Building a Diversified Professional Portfolio* (June 29, 2024)

Facilitator, Writing Retreat (June 25-26, 30, 2024)

Workshop, *Racial Gaslighting: Responding With the 5D Framework*, Women of Color in the Academy, Northeastern University, Virtual (May 17, 2024)

Workshop Presentation, “No Human Involved: Three-Fifths Justice in the United States,” 13th Annual Lutie A. Lytle Black Women Law Faculty Workshop, Penn State School of Law. University Park, PA (June 22, 2019)

Workshop Presentation, “Contemporary Genocide in the United States,” 11th Annual Lutie A. Lytle Black Women Law Faculty Workshop, University of Michigan Law School. Ann Arbor, MI (July 7, 2017)

Paper Presentation, “From Mamie Till to Maria Hamilton: Black Mothers’ Quest for Justice,” Black Women and Girls: Producers of Knowledge and Agents of Change Symposium, Providence College. Providence, RI (September 9, 2016)

Workshop Presentation, “From Mamie Till to Maria Hamilton: Black Mothers’ Quest for Justice,” 10th Annual Lutie A. Lytle Black Women Law Faculty Workshop, University of Iowa, College of Law. Iowa City, IA (July 7, 2016)

Workshop Participant, “The Politics of Black Motherhood,” Ninth Annual Lutie A. Lytle Black Women Law Faculty Workshop, Vanderbilt Law School. Nashville, TN (July 10, 2015)

Paper Presentation, “Racial Gaslighting,” American Political Science Association Annual Meeting. Chicago, IL (August 31, 2013) (with Rose Ernst)

Paper Presentation, “Racial Gaslighting,” Critical Ethnic Studies Annual Conference. Chicago, IL (September 21, 2013) (with Rose Ernst)

Paper Presentation, “Diversity Matters: Access to Legal Education and Lawyer-Legislators of Color,” Law and Society Association Annual Conference. Honolulu, HI (June 8, 2012)

Discussant, “Narratives of Threat: Race, Immigration and Law,” Pacific Northwest Political Science Association Conference. Seattle, WA (October 14, 2011)

Paper Presentation, “Political Blackness: Emerging Paradigms in Black-Other Mixed Race Categorization,” Critical Mixed Race Studies Conference. Chicago, IL (November 5, 2010)

Paper Presentation, “Racial Spectacles: The Production of Colorblindness through the Initiative Process,” American Political Science Association Annual Meeting. Washington, D.C. (September 5, 2010) (with Rose Ernst)

Paper Presentation, “Political Blackness: The Construction of Blackness in Brazil, France, South Africa, and the United States,” Annual Meeting of the Law and Society Association. Chicago, IL (May 27, 2010)

Presentation, “Political Blackness: The Construction of Blackness in France and the United States,” Global Thinking Conference: The South in the Frame of the North, the North in the Frame of the South. Seattle, WA (April 23, 2010)

Paper Presentation, “Diversity Matters: The Connection Between Lawyers of Color & Politics,” The Role of Lawyers of Color: Past, Present & Future Conference. Fort Worth, TX (October 9, 2009)

Paper Presentation, “Racial Spectacles: Promoting the Colorblind Agenda through Direct Democracy,” Thirteenth Annual LatCrit Conference: Representation and Republican Governance: Critical Interrogation of Election Systems and the Exercise of the Franchise. Seattle, WA (October 3, 2008) (with Rose Ernst)

Paper Presentation, “Diversity Matters: The Connection Between Race in the Legal Profession and American Democracy,” Law and Society Association Conference. Berlin, Germany (July 2007)

Paper Presentation, “Colorism and Reparations: The Impact of Color Discrimination on the Reparations Movement,” South-North Exchange 2007 LatCrit Conference. Rio De Janeiro, Brazil (May 2007)

Paper Presentation, “Preaching to the Apathetic and Uninterested: Teaching Citizenship to Freshmen and Non-Majors,” America Political Science Association Teaching and Learning Conference in Political Science. Charlotte, NC (February 2007) (with Brian Mello)

Plenary Panel Presentation, “Advising Minority Pre-Law Students,” National Association of Pre-law Advisors Conference. Washington, D.C. (June 2006)

Paper Presentation, “Distribution of Reparations to Multiracial Descendants of Slaves,” National Association of African American Studies and Affiliates Conference. Baton Rouge, LA (February 2006)

PUBLIC LECTURES AND PRESENTATIONS

Invited Keynote Speaker (with Rose Ernst), “How to Recognize and Respond to Racial Gaslighting,” Washington State District Court and Municipal Court Judges Association Annual Conference, Suquamish, WA (forthcoming June 9, 2026)

Invited Speaker (with Rose Ernst), “How to Recognize and Respond to Racial Gaslighting,” Seattle Municipal Court Judicial Conference, Seattle, WA (October 3, 2025)

Invited Speaker, “Racial Gaslighting,” Northwest Harvest, Virtual (November 30, 2022)

Invited Moderator and Presenter, Northwest African American Museum James Baldwin Circle Fellow, Marcus Green, Virtual (January 25, 2022)

Invited Speaker, “Uncounted: The History and Impact of Voter Suppression,” Virtual, Humanities Washington (June 16, 2021)

Invited Speaker (with Rose Ernst), “Racial Gaslighting, 411 Podcast, Virtual (February 12, 2021)

Invited Facilitator and Presenter, Leadership Tomorrow Alumni Workshop: “Reparations,” Seattle, WA (February 21, 2021)

Invited Lecture (with Rose Ernst), “Racial Gaslighting,” Russell Investments, Seattle, WA (November 16, 2020)

Invited Panelist, “No Human Involved,” 2020 Virtual Crime Victim Law Conference (November 14, 2020)

Invited Lecture, “Racial Gaslighting,” Russell Investments Black Associate Resource Group, Seattle, WA (November 9, 2020)

Invited Lecture (with Rose Ernst), “Racial Gaslighting,” Microsoft Global Workplace Group, Seattle, WA (October 5, 2020)

Invited Keynote, “Remaining ‘Woke’ Through a Great Revolution,” The Breakfast Group. Seattle, WA (February 8, 2018)

Invited Panelist, “Righting the Wrongs of Racism,” Crosscut Festival. Seattle, WA (February 3, 2018)

Invited Panelist & Moderator, “Loving v. Virginia: Forty Years Later,” Washington State Minority Bar Association Conference. Seattle, WA (June 2007)

Invited Panel Presentation, “Diversity Pipeline Issues in the Legal Profession,” Washington State Minority Bar Conference. Seattle, WA (June 2006)

Invited Keynote, Women of Color Empowerment Dinner Speaker, Western Washington University. Bellingham, WA (February 2006)

Invited Talk, “Leadership Through Service Learning,” Washington State Bar Association Leadership Institute. Seattle, WA (January 2006)

Invited Talk, Commencement Ceremony Speaker, Western Washington University. Bellingham, WA (2004–2006)

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Founder, Exhale Professional Development & Consulting (January 2019–present)

Commissioner, Seattle Civil Service Commission, Seattle, Washington. City Council appointee to the City of Seattle's quasi-judicial three-member Civil Service Commission. Responsibilities included hearing appeals involving disciplinary actions and alleged violations of the City Charter, Personnel Rules, and the Personnel Ordinance, as well as submitting recommendations to the Mayor and the City Council related to the City's Personnel System (Term: January 2013–February 2022) (Chair, 1/2015–12/2015; 9/16–12/16; 1/18–12/18)

Assistant City Attorney, City of Seattle, City Attorney's Office, Seattle, WA (2004–2005)

Senior Associate, Williams, Kastner & Gibbs, PLLC, Seattle, WA (2002–2004)

Law Clerk, Honorable Monica J. Benton, U.S. Magistrate Judge (W.D. Wash.) (2000–2002)

Associate Attorney, Williams, Kastner & Gibbs, PLLC, Seattle, WA (1999–2000)

PROFESSIONAL, INSTITUTIONAL, AND COMMUNITY SERVICE

Professional

Certified Campus Workshop Facilitator and Coach, National Center for Faculty Development & Diversity (Summer 2019–present)

Manuscript Review and Commentator. Isoke, Zenzele, *To Rape a Butterfly: Black Womanhood and the Afterlife of Childhood Violence*, University of Maryland (July 30, 2024)

Member, American Political Science Association, Law and Courts Diversity Committee (2021–2024)

Faculty Success Program Coach, National Center for Faculty Development & Diversity (NCFDD) (Summer 2018–2024)

Curricula Development and Facilitation, Exhale: Pause & Reset Five-day Academic Writing Retreat, Jekyll Island (January 2019 & January 2020)

Curricula Development and Facilitation, Exhale: Online Writing Retreats (Fridays from 9 am to 1 pm PST via Zoom; January 2019–December 2021)

Curricula Development and Facilitation, Writing Challenge Creator and Facilitator, AcWriMo (Academic Writing Month) (November 2019)

Content Development and Webinar Presenter, “How Trello Can Transform Your Life as an Academic: Using Trello for Scholarly Productivity.” Textbook & Academic Authors Association (March 5, 2019) (with Rose Ernst)

Planning Committee, Lutie A. Lytle Black Women Law Faculty Workshop (2016–2024)

Curriculum Development and Facilitation, “Attorney-Client Privilege in the Public Sector.” Seattle Public Utilities, Seattle, Washington (2005)

Articles Editor, *Howard Scroll: The Social Justice Law Review* (1998)

Institutional

Director, African and African American Studies (2016-2019, 2024–present)

Director, Collegium (2024–present)

Leadership Committee on Intersectionality and Justice, College of Arts & Sciences, Seattle University

Faculty Co-Chair (2022-23)

Committee (2021-2024)

Co-Chair, Strategic Action Committee for Inclusive Academic Excellence, College of Arts & Sciences, Seattle University (2022–present)

Leadership Institute Curriculum and Program Developer, National Science Foundation, ADVANCE: Organizational Change for Gender Equity in STEM Academic Professions Grant (2019–2025)

Curriculum Developer and Facilitator, “Critical Race Pedagogy as Praxis.” Core Faculty Teaching Circle Leader. Co-sponsored by Seattle University Office of Core Curriculum and Office of Diversity and Inclusion (2017–2018) (with Rose Ernst).

Review Board Member, Seattle University Admissions Review Board (2011–2018)

Advisory Board Member, Women Studies Advisory Board, Seattle University (2006–2020)

Panel Presentation, Seattle University College of Arts & Sciences, Intersectionality Committee Pro-Seminar (April 24, 2018)

Curriculum Developer and Chair, Undergraduate Research Fellowship Program. Co-sponsored by the Political Science Department, Women and Gender Studies Program, and Global African Studies Program (now African and African American Studies) (2015–2016)

Principal Investigator, Seattle University as a Workplace Longitudinal Faculty and Staff Study for the Subcommittee of the University Taskforce on Diversity and Inclusive Excellence (2014–2016)

Advisory Board, Center for the Study of Justice in Society, Seattle University (2014–2015)

Director, Pre-law Program, College of Arts and Sciences, Seattle University (2005–2016)

Founder and Chair, Seattle University Undergraduate Fellowship, Mothers for Justice United (2015–2016)

Curriculum Development and Chair, Seattle University School of Law, Korematsu Center Undergraduate Fellowship (2010–2011)

Selection Committee, Student Assistantships Selection Committee (2011)

Board Member, Athletic Advisory Board, Seattle University (2007–2010)

Committee Member, College of Arts & Sciences Dean's Search Committee, Seattle University (2008–2009)

Advisory Board, Global African Studies, Seattle University (2007–2016)

Advisory Committee, Office of Fellowships, Seattle University (2005–2015)

Faculty Advisor, Pre-law Society, Seattle University (2005–2016)

Community

Convening Subject Matter Expert, *Healing Race Portal with Rev. angel Kyodo Williams and Resmaa Menakem*, Montgomery, AL (Invitation Only)(March 11-14, 2025)

Convening Subject Matter Expert, *Gathering by The River: A Relational Repair Convening*, New Orleans, LA (Invitation Only)(November 10-14, 2024)

Racial Gaslighting Webinar Series & CLE, Approved by the Washington State Bar Association (Virtual)

Part I: How to Recognize Racial Gaslighting (March 1, 2024)

Part II: How to Respond to Racial Gaslighting for BIPOC People & Allies (March 15, 2024)

Part III: How to use the STOP IT Framework to Interrupt Racial Gaslighting (April 19, 2024)

Racial Gaslighting On-Demand CLE Series (2024-present)

Panelist, *Legal Minds and Compassionate Hearts: A Fireside Chat on Mental Health Advocacy*, Continuing Legal Education (State Bar of Texas CLE), The Downtown Group, Houston, TX (October 19, 2024)

Speechwriter for Maria Hamilton, Hillary Clinton Presidential Campaign, Mothers of the Movement, Founder of Mothers for Justice United, Democratic National Convention, Philadelphia, PA (2016)

Advisory Board, Children's Defense Fund Freedom School, Rainier Valley, Seattle, WA (2014–2017)

Trustee, Washington State Bar Foundation (2006–2008)

Past-president, Alumni Association Board of Directors, Western Washington University (2006–2008)

President, Alumni Association Board of Directors, Western Washington University (2005–2006)

Member, Washington State Bar Association Diversity Committee (2005–2006)

Advisory Board, Law and Diversity Program, Western Washington University (2004–2006)

Ex-Officio Member, Foundation Board of Directors, Western Washington University (2004–2006)

President's Club Member, Western Washington University (2003–present)

Law & Government Chair, YMCA Black Achievers Program, Seattle, Washington (2002–2003)

Board Member, Alumni Association Board of Directors, Western Washington University (2000–2008)

Loren Miller Bar Association (1999–2008)

Executive Board, Member at Large (2006–2007)

Judicial Evaluation Committee (2002–2005)

Scholarship Dinner Committee (2000–2001)

MEDIA APPEARANCES

Featured, “Renee Good’s shocking death brings Martin Luther King’s words to life,” The Seattle Times, by Naomi Ishisaka (January 19, 2026)

Featured, “The Newsfeed: Seattle U professor talks Trump’s attack on DEI,” Cascade PBS (March 7, 2025)

Featured, “Why Housing Discrimination is Worse Today Than In the 1960s,” Facing Race Series, King 5 News, NBC Affiliate (November 16, 2022)

Quoted, “‘Normal’ Isn’t Good Enough for Returning School Kids,” *South Seattle Emerald*, By Marcus Harrison Green (September 7, 2021)

Featured, “Stay Tuned: Critical Race Theory,” NBC Snapchat News (August 20, 2021)

Invited Guest, “Uncounted: The History and Impact of Voter Suppression,” Humanities Washington (June 16, 2021)

Invited Guest, “Racial Gaslighting,” 411 Podcast, (February 12, 2021)

Featured, “The Hidden Victims of Gaslighting,” BBC Future, by Ria Wolstenholme (November 24, 2020)

Featured, “Racial Gaslighting Made Me Feel Like a Foreigner In My Own Home,” BBC Three, by Tasnim Nazeer (July 20, 2020).

Featured, “How To Recognize If You’re Being Racially Gaslighted,” Mashable, by Siobhan Neela-Stock (June 26, 2020)

Featured, “Home-Schooling Has Become a Powerful Alternative for Some Seattle Families of Color,” The Seattle Times, by Marcus Harrison Green (April 7, 2019)

Invited Guest, “Righting the Wrongs of Racism,” Crosscut Festival (February 3, 2018)

BAR MEMBERSHIPS

State of Washington (1999-present)

United States District Court for the Western District of Washington