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*Curriculum Vitae*

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**ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS**

- 2021–present Professor of Political Science, Seattle University (Affiliated Faculty, African and African American Studies, and Women & Gender Studies)
- 2013–2021 Associate Professor of Political Science, Seattle University
- 2016–2019 Director, African and African American Studies Program (formerly Global African Studies) Seattle University
- 2007–2013 Assistant Professor of Political Science, Seattle University
- 2005–2007 Visiting Assistant Professor of Political Science, Seattle University
- 2003–2005 Lecturer, Department of Political Science, Seattle University

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

**EDUCATION**

- J.D. 1999 University of Washington School of Law  
1998 Howard University School of Law (Visiting Student)  
Honors:  
Articles Editor, *Howard Scroll: The Social Justice Law Review*  
Charlotte MacDonald Malone Endowed Scholarship (1995)
- B.A. 1995 Western Washington University, Law and Diversity (with Honors; minor in Business Administration)  
Honors:  
Haskell Memorial Scholarship (1991–1995)  
Minority Achievement Program Scholarship (1991–1995)  
Outstanding Leadership Award (1995)  
U.S. Bank Business Scholarship (1993)

## **PUBLICATIONS:**

### Peer-Reviewed Articles and Chapters

- Intersectionality: From Theory to Practice*, 15 ANN. REV. L. & SOC. SCI. 347 (2019) (co-authored with Hajer 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).
- 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 Cuison 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).

### In Progress

*N.H.I.—No Human Involved* (book project).

THREE-FIFTHS JUSTICE (book project).

## **PUBLIC WRITING**

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).

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

## **GRANTS, FELLOWSHIPS, AND COMPETITIVE WORKSHOPS**

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

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

Seattle University Provost Summer Faculty Fellowship (2015)

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**

Best Paper Award, Western Political Science Association’s POL. GRPS. & IDENTITIES Journal for *Racial Gaslighting* (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 LECTURES AND PRESENTATIONS**

Invited Lecture (with Rose Ernst), “Racial Gaslighting,” College of Saint Benedict & Saint John’s University, St. Joseph, MN (August 23, 2020)

Invited Lecture (with Rose Ernst), “Racial Gaslighting,” University of Minnesota, Minneapolis, MN (October 23, 2020)

Invited 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)

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

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

Invited 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)

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

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

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

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

Invited 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)

Invited 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)

Invited 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)

Invited 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)

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

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

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

Invited Respondent, Warren Read’s “The Lyncher in Me,” Seattle University. Seattle WA (October 2008)

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

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

Invited 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)

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

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

Invited 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**

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

Workshop Participant, “Contemporary Genocide in the United States,” 11<sup>th</sup> 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 Participant, "From Mamie Till to Maria Hamilton: Black Mothers' Quest for Justice," 10<sup>th</sup> 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 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, 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**

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)

## **INSTITUTIONAL, COMMUNITY, AND PROFESSIONAL SERVICE**

### Professional

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

Commissioner, Seattle Civil Service Commission, Seattle, Washington. City Council appointee to the City of Seattle's quasi-judicial three-member Civil Service Commission. Responsibilities include hearing appeals involving the 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–present) (Chair, 1/2015–12/2015; 9/16–12/16; 1/18–12/18)

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

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

Founder and Facilitator, Exhale: Academic Writing Retreats (January 2019–present)

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–present)

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

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–present)

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

## Institutional

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

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–present) (with Rose Ernst).

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

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

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 (2015–2016)

Principal Investigator, Seattle University as a Workplace Longitudinal Faculty and Staff Study for 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

Speechwriter for Maria Hamilton, Hilary 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)

## **BAR MEMBERSHIPS**

State of Washington (1999-present)

United States District Court for the Western District of Washington