

Curriculum Vitae

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EDUCATION

Doctor of Philosophy: American History, Rutgers University, New Brunswick, New Jersey.
Secondary field: African American History. October 2012
Dissertation advisor: Dr. Mia Bay
Dissertation committee members: Dr. Ann Fabian, Dr. Brian Purnell and Dr. Beryl Satter

Bachelor of Arts: History. Rutgers University, New Brunswick, New Jersey, May 2004.

PROFESSIONAL APPOINTMENTS

Assistant Teaching Professor: Rutgers University, New Brunswick, New Jersey, Department of Labor Studies and Employment Relations, July 2020-present
Teaching Instructor: Rutgers University, New Brunswick, New Jersey, Department of Labor Studies and Employment Relations, September 2016-June 2020
Lecturer: Towson University, Department of History, August 2015-June 2016

PUBLICATIONS

“Redeeming the Tenement and Understanding Technological Change in the Home,” review essay in *The Journal of Urban History*. Published online 8 Feb 2023.
doi.org/10.1177/00961442231151735

The Harlem Uprising: Segregation and Inequality in Postwar New York City. New York: Columbia University Press, October 2021

“Decline in an Era of Triumph: Black Workers in 1960s New York City,” *Labor History* 61:5-6, 486-502. Published online 12 Oct 2020. doi.org/10.1080/0023656X.2020.1830956

“How the Police Benevolent Association Became a Political Force.” Gotham: A Blog for Scholars of New York City History. Published online 10 Dec 2020. gothamcenter.org/blog/how-the-police-benevolent-association-became-a-political-force

“Review of Kidada E. Williams’ *They Left Great Marks on Me: African American Testimonies of Racial Violence from Emancipation to World War I*,” *The Journal of Social History*, 2014. DOI 10.1093/jsh/shu062

MANUSCRIPTS CONDITIONALLY ACCEPTED, UNDERGOING REVISION

“Beyond Physical Violence: Destructive Policing in 1960s Harlem,” *Journal of Urban History*. Second draft submitted and currently under review.

AREAS OF SPECIALIZATION

Twentieth century U.S., African American and urban history

OP-EDS

“Eric Adams vs. the NYPD” *Slate*, 24 January, 2022, slate.com/news-and-politics/2022/01/the-biggest-obstacle-to-eric-adams-plans-for-the-nypd.html

“Historically, Black Distrust of Police is about More than Acts of Violence” *History News Network*, 7 November, 2021, historynewsnetwork.org/article/181688

“Do You Believe Black New Yorkers Now?” *New York Daily News*, June 5, 2020, nydailynews.com/opinion/ny-oped-do-you-believe-black-new-yorkers-now-20200606-j2ngizxwrnb2vfrkfgptawvii-story.html

“Black and Latino Communities Will Be Hit the Hardest during the COVID-19 Pandemic. Here’s Why” *Star Ledger*, March 29, 2020, nj.com/opinion/2020/03/black-and-latino-communities-will-be-hit-the-hardest-during-the-covid-19-pandemic-heres-why.html

MEDIA APPEARANCES

“The Unexpected Revival of America’s Trade Unions” *Financial Times*, December 13, 2023 ft.com/content/72917cda-5eea-41f5-bd9b-19436269344e

“What Is behind the Seeming Increase in Labor Disputes across the Country?” *News 12 New Jersey*, August 8, 2023, newjersey.news12.com/deep-dive-what-is-behind-the-seemingly-increase-in-labor-disputes-across-the-country

“The New Normal?’ In NJ, Higher Inflation May Be Here to Stay, Economists Say.” *NorthJersey.com*, July 19, 2022 northjersey.com/story/news/business/2022/07/19/nj-inflation-higher-prices-here-to-say-economists-say/65376485007/

“A History of Racism Explains Why So Many Poor N.J. Residents Don’t Get Welfare, Report Says.” *NJ.com*, August 7, 2021 nj.com/politics/2021/08/a-history-of-racism-explains-why-so-many-poor-nj-residents-dont-get-welfare-report-says.html

“Violent Crime in US Returns to Forefront of Political Agenda.” *Financial Times*, June 26, 2021, ft.com/content/47dc86d9-78d0-439b-a00e-b4d93c12a555

“7 Hard and Crucial Lessons of Covid-19.” *Elemental*, March 31, 2021, elemental.medium.com/7-hard-and-crucial-lessons-of-covid-19-8e5e71feaa6f

“312K in NJ Could Lose Unemployment This Month without CARES ACT Deal.” *NJ Biz*, December 3, 2020, njbiz.com/312k-nj-lose-unemployment-month-without-cares-act-deal

“These N.J. Towns Were Hit Hardest by the Pandemic. See How Yours Fared,” *NJ.com*, September 20, 2020, nj.com/coronavirus/2020/09/these-nj-towns-were-hit-hardest-by-the-pandemic-see-how-yours-fared.html

“Waking up Starving: The Human Cost of Jobless-benefit Delays”, *LinkedIn News*, August 12, 2020, linkedin.com/pulse/waking-up-starving-human-cost-jobless-benefit-delays-joseph-milord

- “New Jobless Claims Nearly Double in Garden State amid COVID-19 Rebound,” NJ Biz, July 9, 2020, njbiz.com/new-jobless-claims-nearly-double-garden-state-amid-covid-19-rebound/
- “‘They Don’t Belong’: Calls Grow to Oust Police from US Labor Movement,” *The Guardian*, June 11, 2020, theguardian.com/us-news/2020/jun/11/police-unions-american-labor-movement-protest
- “America at War with Itself,” *Capital*, June 4, 2020 capital.bg/politika_i_ikonomika/sviat/2020/06/04/4075101_amerika_vuv_voina_sus_seb_e_si/
- “Minority Communities Hit Hardest by COVID-19,” NJTV News, June 4, 2020, njtvonline.org/news/video/minority-communities-hit-hardest-by-covid-19/
- “America’s Inequalities Burst into the Open,” *Financial Times*, June 1, 2020, ft.com/content/d69cda08-81fc-4e42-a3c3-3526b74de04f
- “New Jersey’s Weekly Jobless Claims Are Declining, but That May Not Mean What It Seems to Mean,” NJ Biz, June 1, 2020, njbiz.com/determining-causation-nj-unemployment-claims/
- “A Stark Look at Covid-19 and Racial Disparities,” Elemental, May 14, 2020, elemental.medium.com/a-stark-look-at-covid-19-and-racial-disparities-5737e56dbe2b
- “Coronavirus Update: Unemployment Spikes, but Markets Roar on Reopening Hopes,” Yahoo Finance, May 8, 2020, finance.yahoo.com/news/coronavirus-update-unemployment-spikes-but-markets-roar-on-reopening-hopes-205459521.html
- “The Month We Fell off a Cliff,” Axios, May 8, 2020, axios.com/unemployment-us-coronavirus-lockdown-81e7f0d4-a07a-4f6d-9285-2bb1089fa4ae.html
- “Coronavirus NJ: Why Are ‘People Surprised That this is Happening’ to Minorities?” *Asbury Park Press*, May 6, 2020, app.com/story/news/local/emergencies/2020/05/06/coronavirus-nj-covid-19-blacks-latinos/3056546001
- “What Needs to Happen before Your Boss Can Make You Return to Work”, Mashable, April 23, 2020, mashable.com/article/coronavirus-return-to-work-safe/
- “Ask the Experts: States with the Biggest Increases in Unemployment Due to Coronavirus,” WalletHub, April 9, 2020, wallethub.com/edu/states-with-the-biggest-increase-in-unemployment-due-to-coronavirus/72730/#expert=christopher-hayes
- “New York’s ‘Night of Birmingham Horror’ Sparked a Summer of Riots,” National Public Radio, July 18, 2014, npr.org/blogs/codeswitch/2014/07/18/330108773/new-yorks-night-of-birmingham-horror-sparked-a-summer-of-riots

AWARDS, GRANTS AND HONORS

Rutgers University, Institutional Conference Travel Award, 2012

Rutgers University, Departmental Conference Travel Award, 2012

Rutgers University Center for Historical Analysis Graduate Fellow, Alternate, 2010-2011

Rutgers University, Mellon Small Summer Grant Award, 2010

Rutgers University, Doctoral Fellowship, 2005-2006, 2008-2009

ACADEMIC SERVICE AND ACTIVITIES

Manuscript reviewer: Journal of American History, September 2023-current

Manuscript reviewer: Journal of African American History, October 2022-current

Secretary-Treasurer: Rutgers New Brunswick AAUP-AFT, July 2022-current

Program Committee member: Labor and Working-Class History Association 2023 annual meeting, June 2022-May 2023

Faculty Diversity Advocate: Rutgers School of Management and Labor Relations, October 2021-current

Diversity, Equity and Inclusion Committee member: Rutgers School of Management and Labor Relations, September 2021-current

Executive Committee member: Rutgers New Brunswick AAUP-AFT, October 2020-July 2022

Faculty Compensation Program Committee member: Rutgers University Department of Labor Studies and Employment Relations, January-March 2020

Supervising Honors College student project: Spring 2020

Undergraduate Honors Advisor: Rutgers University Department of Labor Studies and Employment Relations, June 2019-current

Governance and Strategy Committee member: Rutgers University Department of Labor Studies and Employment Relations, April 2019-current

Substitute instructor for faculty member on paternity leave: four courses, Fall 2016, Spring 2017, Spring 2020

Rutgers Day departmental volunteer: 2017, 2018, 2019 (canceled in 2020 and 2021)

Graduate advising: 2016-present

Graduate Academic Assessment Committee member: Rutgers University Department of Labor Studies and Employment Relations, November 2017-current

Rutgers Against Hunger Adopt-a-family: donated in 2016, 2017, 2018, 2019, 2020, 2021

Rutgers Unite Half Marathon: ran as part of SMLR Team LeGrand, 2017

History Writing Instructor: Rutgers University Department of History, September 2013-May 2015

Assistant Coordinator: Public History Internship Program, Rutgers University Department of History, New Brunswick, New Jersey, September 2012-May 2015

Research Assistant to the Director: Rutgers University Center for Race and Ethnicity, New Brunswick, New Jersey, September 2011-August 2012

COURSES TAUGHT

Department of Labor Studies and Employment Relations, Rutgers University

Labor and Employment History (master's seminar), Spring 2024

Labor and Work in the US before 1877, Spring 2015, 2017-2024; Summer 2015-2023; Fall 2016-2023

Labor and Work in the US from 1880 to 1945, Fall 2016-2022; Spring 2017-2019, 2021-2023

Introduction to Labor and Employment, Fall 2016

Department of History, Towson University

History of the US since the Civil War, Fall 2015; Spring 2016

The City in American History, Fall 2015; Spring 2016

Department of History, William Paterson University

History of the Civil Rights Movement, Spring 2013, 2014

American Slavery, Fall 2013

Department of History, Rutgers University

Development of the US I; Spring 2015

Development of the US II, Fall 2014; Summer 2015, 2016

The Long Civil Rights Movement, Summer 2011

Internship in Public History, Fall 2012-Spring 2015

ACADEMIC CONFERENCES & INVITED LECTURES

Most of these are available to read at www.rutgers.academia.edu/ChristopherHayes

Labor and Working-Class History Association Annual Meeting; Panel Title: "A Racial Reckoning in Industrial Relations," Chair and Commentator, New Brunswick, New Jersey, May 2023

Conversations in Black Freedom Studies; Panel Title: "Black New York," The Schomburg Center for Research in Black Culture, New York, New York, February 2022
blackfreedomstudies.org/events/spring-2022/black-new-york

Urban History Association Biennial Conference; Paper Title: "Remembering Economic Rights as a Core Component of Civil Rights," Detroit, Michigan, October 2020 – accepted, conference canceled

Labor and Working-Class History Association Annual Meeting; Paper Title: "Maintaining Jim Crow Craft Unionism in the Civil Rights Era: Showdown at Hunts Point Terminal Market," Durham, North Carolina, June 2019

Urban History Association Biennial Conference; Paper Title: "'This union won't work with nonunion men' - Keeping Construction White in 1960s New York City," Columbia, South Carolina, October 2018

Labor and Working-Class History Association Annual Meeting; Paper Title: "Police Power as Political Power – the 1966 New York City Civilian Complaint Review Board Referendum," Seattle, Washington, June 2017

Conversations in Black Freedom Studies; Panel Title: “The Long Fight against New York’s Police Brutality,” The Schomburg Center for Research in Black Culture, New York, New York, May 2017

livestream.com/schomburgcenter/events/7267116

New Jersey History Forum; Panel Title: “Social History,” Chair and Commentator, Morristown, New Jersey, November 2016

Urban History Association Biennial Conference; Paper Title: “Thoughts on Operation Open City and the First, Second and Third Reconstructions,” Chicago, Illinois, October 2016

American Historical Association Annual Meeting; Paper Title: “HANA and Heroin: Alternative Approaches to Drug Abuse in 1960s Harlem,” New York, New York, January 2015

Organization of American Historians Annual Meeting; Paper Title: “Internal Migration and the Rise of Black Radicalism in Postwar New York City,” Atlanta, Georgia, April 2014

The Red Mill Museum; Presentation Title: "Civil Rights in the Promised Land: Struggles for Racial Equality in New York and New Jersey," Clinton, New Jersey, February 2014

Social Science History Association Annual Meeting; Paper Title: “The Economics of Segregation in Postwar New York City,” Chicago, Illinois, November 2013

Social Science History Association Annual Meeting; Panel Title: “Legacies and Predecessors of the Civil Rights Movement,” Discussant, Chicago, Illinois, November 2013

Educating Harlem: Histories of Learning and Schooling in an American Community; Paper Title: “Linking Postwar Educational and Residential Segregation in Central Harlem,” New York, New York, October 2013

Urban History Association Biennial Conference; Paper Title: “Using Place to Control Race: New York City in the Postwar Period,” New York, New York, October 2012

Social Science History Association Annual Meeting; Paper Title: “Hitting the Smiling Wall: Postwar Civil Rights in New York City,” Boston, Massachusetts, November 2011

Social Science History Association Annual Meeting; Panel Title: “Race in the Cities,” Discussant, Boston, Massachusetts, November 2011

Warren I. Susman Conference; Paper Title: “Black New Yorkers, White New Yorkers and the Civilian Review Board Struggle of the Mid-1960s,” New Brunswick, New Jersey, March 2011

RESEARCH INTERESTS

Urban history, including housing, employment and education

African American history

Race in American society

Civil rights

Policing

Drug policy

Poverty