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Areas of Specialization Critical Philosophy of Race
Social Epistemology
Political Philosophy

Areas of Competence Aesthetics
African Philosophy
Feminist Philosophy
Philosophy of Language

Education

Ph.D. Northwestern University, 2020- (expected 2025)

B.A. Philosophy, Howard University, 2020

Presentations

“Black Utopias, Speculative Fiction, and Aesthetic Liberation: Where Blackness Goes to Die”, California Roundtable on Philosophy and Race, Emory University (online), October 2021

“Black Utopias, Speculative Fiction, and Aesthetic Liberation: Where Blackness Goes to Die”, 7th Annual Art History Symposium: Letting it Burn: Art Worlds Ablaze, Chapel Hill, North Carolina (online), September 2021

“Ontological Inventory: Black Political Economies of Sub-/Non-Personhood”, 38th International Social Philosophy Conference, Neumann University, Aston, Pennsylvania (online), July 2021

“Unbearable Blackness: Antiracist Racism and Necro-Tragedy”, Death and Dying Graduate Philosophy Conference, Marquette University, Milwaukee, Wisconsin (online), April 2021

“Rethinking Epistemic (In)Justice: The Epistemic Role and Power of Social Movements”, 37th International Social Philosophy Conference, Neumann University, Aston, Pennsylvania (cancelled due to COVID-19), 2020

“White Supremacy and Antiracist Violence as Rule”, Analytic/Continental What? Dissolving the Philosophical Divide, CUNY Graduate Center, New York, (cancelled due to COVID-19), 2020

“Rethinking Epistemic (In)Justice: The Epistemic Role and Power of Social Movements”, Central APA Diversity Institute Alumni Program, Chicago, Illinois, 2020

Fellowships, Grants, and Awards

Andrew W. Mellon Critical Theory Cluster Fellowship (2020)

Enhanced Education Funding by Northwestern Graduate School (2020)

Professional Activities and Service

Philosophy of Law Undergraduate Summer School at Cornell University, Curriculum Developer,

(2021 – ongoing)

Northwestern Prison Education Program, Co-Director of Academic Support, (Aug 2020 – May 2021)