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EDUCATION

- Ph.D. in History, University of Michigan at Ann Arbor, 1995.
- M.A. in History, University of Michigan at Ann Arbor, 1992.
- B.A. in Afro-American Studies and Political Science, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, 1989.

EMPLOYMENT

Teaching Appointments

- 2015 – : Lyle V. Jones Distinguished Professor, with joint appointment in the Department of African, African American, and Diaspora Studies and the Department of History, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill.
- 2004 – 2015: Professor of History, Indiana University at Bloomington.
- 1998 – 2004: Associate Professor of History, Indiana University at Bloomington.
- 1995 – 1998: Assistant Professor of History, North Carolina A&T State University, Greensboro.
- 1993 – 1995: Instructor of History, North Carolina A&T State University, Greensboro.

Administrative Appointments

- 2021 – : Chair, Department of African, African American, and Diaspora Studies, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill.
- 2018 – 2021: Director of Curriculum and Teaching Innovation,

Department of African, African American, and Diaspora Studies, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill.

- Fall 2018: Interim Director of Undergraduate Studies, Department of African, African American, and Diaspora Studies, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill.
- 2014 – 2015: Associate Vice Provost for Faculty Development & Diversity, Office of Faculty & Academic Affairs, Indiana University at Bloomington.
- 2006 – 2010: Chair, Department of History, Indiana University at Bloomington.
- 2004 – 2006: Associate Dean for Graduate Education, College of Arts & Sciences, Indiana University at Bloomington.

Other Professional Appointments

- Adjunct Professor in the Department of American Studies, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, 2017 – present.
- Associate Editor, *Journal of American History*, 2011 – 2014.
- Editor of the Blacks in the Diaspora book series of Indiana University Press, 2001- 2004.
- Adjunct Professor in the Department of African-American and African Diaspora Studies, Indiana University at Bloomington, 2000 – 2015.
- Adjunct Professor in the African Studies Program, Indiana University at Bloomington, 1999 – 2015.
- Adjunct Professor of the American Studies Program (now Department), Indiana University at Bloomington, 1998 – 2015.

PUBLICATIONS

Books:

- *The Black President: Hope and Fury in the Age of Obama*. Baltimore, MD: Johns Hopkins University Press, 2021. (Reviewed in the *New York Times*, *Salon*, *Presidential Studies Quarterly*, *New York Law Journal*, *Triangle*

Tribune (Durham, NC), *Times Literary Supplement* (UK), *The Spectator* (UK), *Irish Independent*, *Irish Times*, *African and Asian Studies*, among other venues. Audiobook and audio CD versions of the book were released concurrently by Dreamscape Media, LLC.)

- *The Life and Times of Elijah Muhammad*. Chapel Hill: University of North Carolina Press, 2014. (This book is a paperback reprint edition of *An Original Man*.)
- *Troubled Ground: A Tale of Murder, Lynching, and Reckoning in the New South*. Urbana and Chicago: University of Illinois Press, 2010, published simultaneously in hardcover and paperback editions. (Reviewed in the *Journal of American History*, *American Historical Review*, *Journal of Southern History*, *Historical Methods*, *African American Review*, *North Carolina Historical Review*, *Florida Historical Quarterly*, *Maryland Historical Magazine*, *Register of the Kentucky Historical Society*, *Louisiana History*, *Indiana Magazine of History*, *Charlotte Observer*, *News & Record* [Raleigh, NC], southernspaces.org, curledup.com, among other venues).
- *The Price of Liberty: African Americans and the Making of Liberia*. Chapel Hill: University of North Carolina Press, 2004, published simultaneously in hardcover and paperback editions. (Reviewed in the *Journal of American History*, *American Historical Review*, *Journal of Southern History*, *African Studies Review*, *International Journal of African Historical Studies*, *Foreign Affairs*, *Choice*, *Books & Culture*, *Diaspora: A Journal of Transnational Studies*, *Liberian Studies Journal*, *North Carolina Historical Review*, *Journal of Mississippi History*, *Charlotte Observer*, among other venues.)
- *An Original Man: The Life and Times of Elijah Muhammad*. New York: St. Martin's Press, 1997; paperback edition, 1998. (Reviewed in the *New York Times*, *New York Review of Books*, *Washington Post*, *Philadelphia Inquirer*, *Los Angeles Times*, *Charlotte Observer*, *Publishers Weekly*, *Library Journal*, *Kirkus Reviews*, *Chronicle of Higher Education*, *Journal of American History*, *American Historical Review*, *Journal of Southern History*, *Journal of Negro History*, *Commentary*, *Newsday*, among other venues. Books On Tape, Inc. released an unabridged audiocassette version of *An Original Man* in February 1999.)

Edited Volumes:

- *Africa and the African American Imagination*. Ann Arbor, MI: ProQuest and Schomburg Studies of the Black Experience, 2007. I authored the

introduction of this volume and edited its primary and secondary documents. It was electronically published by ProQuest as part of their 30-volume series entitled “The Black Experience in the Western Hemisphere.” The series is co-sponsored by Schomburg Center for Research in Black Culture, New York Public Library.

Works in Progress:

- “The President of Africa: The Life and Times of Marcus Garvey” (book under contract with Farrar, Straus, & Giroux).

Articles in Scholarly Journals and Edited Volumes:

- “African Americans and the Making of Evangelical Christianities, 1760–1860,” in *The Cambridge History of Religions in America*, vol. 2, ed. Stephen J. Stein. Cambridge: Cambridge University Press, 2012.
- “Malcolm X and Elijah Muhammad,” in *The Cambridge Companion to Malcolm X*, ed. Robert Terrill. Cambridge: Cambridge University Press, 2010.
- “‘You’re Not Ready for Farrakhan’: The Nation of Islam and the Struggle for Black Political Leadership, 1984-2000,” in *Black Political Organizations in the Post-Civil Rights Era*, eds. Ollie A. Johnson and Karin L. Stanford. New Brunswick, NJ: Rutgers University Press, 2003.
- “Philanthropy, the Civil Rights Movement, and the Politics of Racial Reform,” in *Charity, Philanthropy and Civility in American History*, eds. Lawrence Friedman and Mark McGarvie. New York: Cambridge University Press, 2002.
- “Nation Under Siege: Elijah Muhammad, the FBI, and Police-State Culture in Chicago,” in *Police Brutality*, ed. Jill Nelson. New York: W. W. Norton, 2000.
- “The Promised Land, Inc.: Company-Repatriate Relations during the Founding of Freetown, Sierra Leone,” in *Moving On: Black Loyalists and the Making of the Afro-Atlantic World*, ed. John Pulis. New York: Garland Publishing Co., 1999.
- “Message from the Wilderness of North America: Elijah Muhammad and the Nation of Islam, c. 1960,” *Journal for MultiMedia History* 1.1 (Fall 1998).

- “Rebuilding the Nation: The Life and Work of Elijah Muhammad, 1946-54,” *The Black Scholar* 26.3-4 (Fall-Winter 1996): 49-59.
- “A Splendid Type of Colored American: Charles Young and the Reorganization of the Liberian Frontier Force,” *International Journal of African Historical Studies* 29.1 (1996): 47-70.

Encyclopedia Entries and Other Publications:

- “From Colony to Nation: Liberian Independence and Black Self-Government in the Atlantic World,” in *History Now* (Gilder Lehrman Institute), vol. 61 (Fall 2021).
- “African Americans and the Making of Liberia,” in *History Now* (Gilder Lehrman Institute), vol. 60 (Summer 2021).
- “Colonization of Liberia,” in *The Oxford Encyclopedia of American Social History*, vol. 1, ed. Lynn Dumenil. New York: Oxford University Press, 2012.
- “Booker T. Washington,” in *The New Encyclopedia of Southern Culture*, vol. 20, eds. Larry J. Griffin and Peggy Hargis. Chapel Hill: University of North Carolina Press, 2012.
- “The Nation of Islam,” in *Encyclopedia of African American History, 1896 to the present: From the Age of Segregation to the Twenty-first Century*, ed. Paul Finkelman. New York: Oxford University Press, 2009.
- Articles on Elijah Muhammad, Malcolm X, and the Organization of Afro-American Unity in *Civil Rights in the United States*, eds. Waldo E. Martin and Patricia Sullivan. New York: Macmillan Reference USA, 2000.
- “The Shifting Meaning of Race in the Nation of Islam since 1975,” in *Religion and Social Movements in the African Diaspora*. Occasional Papers Series 1. Indiana University: Department of Afro-American Studies, 2000.

Book Reviews:

- Brian G. Shellum, *African American Officers in Liberia: A Pestiferous Rotation, 1910–1942* (Washington, D.C.: Potomac Books, 2018), which appeared in the *American Historical Review*, 125.3 (June 2020): 1044-1045.

- Amy K. Bailey and Stewart E. Tolnay, *Lynched: The Victims of Southern Mob Violence* (Chapel Hill: University of North Carolina Press), which appeared in the *North Carolina Historical Review*, 93.4 (October 2016): 424-25.
- Randy J. Sparks, *Africans in the Old South: Mapping Exceptional Lives Across the Atlantic World* (Cambridge, MA: Harvard University Press, 2016), which appeared in the *Civil War Book Review* (Fall 2016), www.cwbr.com.
- Ashraf H. Rushdy, *The End of American Lynching* (New Brunswick, NJ: Rutgers University Press, 2012), which appeared in the *American Historical Review* 118.2 (April 2013): 552-53.
- Phillip W. Magness and Sebastian N. Page, *Colonization after Emancipation: Lincoln and the Movement for Black Resettlement* (University of Missouri Press, 2011), which appeared in *Diplomatic History* 36.5 (November 2012).
- Ramla M. Bandele, *Black Star: African American Activism in the International Political Economy* (Urbana: University of Illinois Press, 2008), which appeared in the *Journal of American Ethnic History* 31.3 (Spring 2012): 119-21.
- Edward E. Curtis IV and Danielle Brune Sigler, eds., *The New Black Gods: Arthur Huff Fauset and the Study of African American Religions* (Bloomington: Indiana University Press, 2009), which appeared in the *American Historical Review* 116.1 (February 2011): 201-2.
- Amy L. Wood, *Lynching and Spectacle: Witnessing Racial Violence in America, 1890-1940* (Chapel Hill: University of North Carolina Press, 2009), which appeared in the *Southern Quarterly* 48.1 (Fall 2010): 148-52.
- Glenda E. Gilmore, *Defying Dixie: The Radical Roots of Civil Rights, 1919-1950* (New York: Norton, 2008), which appeared in the *Journal of American History* 97.2 (September 2010): 477-79.
- Brian G. Shellum, *Black Officer in a Buffalo Soldier Regiment: The Military Career of Charles Young* (Lincoln and London: University of Nebraska Press, 2010), which appeared in the *Register of the Kentucky Historical Society* 108.3 (Summer 2010), 296-98.

- Robert J. Norrell, *Up from History: The Life of Booker T. Washington* (Cambridge, Mass., and London: Harvard University Press, 2009), which appeared in the *Journal of Southern History* 76.3 (August 2010): 748-50.
- Mary G. Rolinson, *Grassroots Garveyism: The Universal Negro Improvement Association in the Rural South, 1920-1927* (Chapel Hill: University of North Carolina, 2007), which appeared in *Social History* 33.2 (May 2008): 230-32.
- Eric Burin, *Slavery and the Peculiar Solution: A History of the American Colonization Society* (Gainesville: University Press of Florida, 2005), which appeared in the *Journal of American History* 93.2 (September 2006): 514-15.
- Kenneth C. Barnes, *Journey of Hope: The Back-to-Africa Movement in Arkansas in the Late 1800s* (Chapel Hill: University of North Carolina Press, 2004), which appeared in *Slavery and Abolition*, 27.2 (August 2006), 299-300.
- Jeffrey O. G. Ogbar, *Black Power: Radical Politics and African American Identity* (Baltimore, MD: Johns Hopkins University Press, 2004), which appeared in the *Journal of Southern History*, 72.1 (Feb. 2006), 235-36.
- Ibrahim Sundiata, *Brothers and Strangers: Black Zion, Black Slavery, 1914-1940* (Durham, NC: Duke University Press, 2003), which appeared in the *Journal of American History*, 91.4 (March 2005), 1511-12.
- Lamin Sanneh, *Abolitionists Abroad: American Blacks and the Making of Modern West Africa* (Cambridge: Harvard University Press, 1999), which appeared in the *Journal of American History*, 88.3 (December 2001), 1069.
- Keita Cha-Jua, *America's First Black Town: Brooklyn, Illinois, 1830-1915* (Urbana: University of Illinois Press, 2000), which appeared in *Indiana Magazine of History*, 97.2 (June 2001), 153-54.
- Karl Evanzz, *The Messenger: The Rise and Fall of Elijah Muhammad* (New York: Pantheon Books, 1999), which appeared in the *Middle East Quarterly*, 7.4 (December 2000), 76-77.
- Timothy B. Tyson, *Radio Free Dixie: Robert F. Williams and the Roots of Black Power* (Chapel Hill: University of North Carolina Press, 1999), which appeared in the *American Historical Review*, 105.4 (October 2000), 1345-46.

- "On Her Own Terms," a book review essay of Marli F. Weiner, *Mistresses and Slaves: Plantation Women in South Carolina, 1830-80* (Urbana and Chicago: University of Illinois Press, 1998); Leslie A. Schwalm, *A Hard Fight For We: Women's Transition from Slavery to Freedom in South Carolina* (Urbana and Chicago: University of Illinois Press, 1997); Chris Dixon, *Perfecting the Family: Antislavery Marriages in Nineteenth-Century America* (Amherst: University of Massachusetts Press, 1997); Judith Weisenfeld, *African American Women and Christian Activism: New York's Black YWCA, 1905-1945* (Cambridge, MA: Harvard University Press, 1997); and Claire C. Robertson, *Trouble Showed The Way: Women, Men, and Trade in the Nairobi Area, 1890-1990* (Bloomington: Indiana University Press, 1997), which appeared in the *Journal of Women's History*, 11.4 (Winter 2000), 176-87.
- Tunde Adeleke, *UnAfrican Americans: Nineteenth-Century Black Nationalists and the Civilizing Mission* (Lexington: University of Kentucky Press, 1998), which appeared in the *Journal of American History*, 86.2 (September 1999), 772-73.
- Murray Friedman, *What Went Wrong? The Creation & Collapse of the Black-Jewish Alliance* (New York: The Free Press, 1995); Seth Forman, *Blacks in the Jewish Mind: A Crisis of Liberalism* (New York: New York University Press, 1998), which appeared in the *American Historical Review*, 104.2 (June 1999), 954-56.
- Yvonne Yazbeck Haddad and Jane Idleman Smith, eds., *Muslim Communities in North America* (Albany: State University of New York Press, 1994), which appeared in the *Journal of American History*, 85.3 (December 1998), 1053-54.
- Grace Elizabeth Hale, *Making Whiteness: The Culture of Segregation in the South, 1890-1940* (New York: Pantheon, 1998), which appeared in *Brightleaf*, 1.4 (Fall 1998), 21-22, 43.
- Patience Essah, (Charlottesville: University Press of Virginia, 1996), which appeared in H-CivNet Reviews, Michigan State University, East Lansing, April 1997 (<http://www.h-net2.msu.edu/reviews>).
- Santosh C. Saha, *A History of Agriculture in Liberia, 1822-1970: Transference of American Values* (Edwin Mellon Press, 1990), which appeared in the *International Journal of African Historical Studies*, 27.3 (1994): 681-82.

INVITED TALKS

- “Ella Baker, Barack Obama, and the Long Struggle for Equal Rights.” Invited speaker and panel discussant for UNC Carolina Public Humanities Summer 2021 Virtual Programs, June 19, 2021.
- “From Africa to America: A Journey through Black History.” Invited speaker for the World Affairs Council of Charlotte Distinguished Speaker Series, via Zoom.com, June 9, 2021.
- Featured speaker for African American History Month presentation, Wells Fargo Bank, N.A., via Zoom.com, February 26, 2021.
- Featured speaker for Virtual Black History Seminar, Deloitte & Touche LLP, via Zoom.com, February 26, 2021.
- Featured speaker for Black History sessions of Lunch & Learn program, Deloitte & Touche LLP, via Zoom.com, July 23, 2020.
- “Hope and Fury: Toward a History of African Americans during the Obama Years.” Invited speaker for the Distinguished Lecture in African American History, Center for African American History and Nicholas D. Chabraja Center for Historical Studies, Northwestern University, Evanston, Illinois, April 12, 2018.
- “Black America in the Age of Obama: The Challenge of Historicizing the Recent Past.” Invited speaker for the Dale Somers Memorial Lecture, Department of History, Georgia State University, Atlanta, April 6, 2018.
- “The Founding of Liberia.” Invited speaker for the “International Year: Liberia” campaign, Des Moines Area Community College, Ankeny and Urban (Des Moines) campuses, Iowa, October 25, 2017.
- “Hope and Fury: Thinking Historically about the Obama Presidency.” Invited speaker for 26th Annual Earlie E. Thorpe Memorial Lecture, Department of History, North Carolina Central University, Durham, October 23, 2016.
- “A Town, a Photograph, and a Lynching Close to Home.” Invited speaker for the John Francis Bannon 2013 Annual Lecture, Department of History, Saint Louis University, St. Louis, Missouri, April 25, 2013.
- “A Chance Encounter with a Lynching Close to Home.” Keynote speech delivered as part of “Without Sanctuary: A Conference on Lynching and the American South,” University of North Carolina at Charlotte, October 11, 2012.

- “Confronting Lynching: An Academic and Personal Perspective.” Delivered at the *Without Sanctuary/Lynching Photography* teachers institute, National Underground Railroad Freedom Center, Cincinnati, Ohio, March 13, 2010.
- “A Historical View of the Nation of Islam.” Delivered at the University of Houston, February 22, 2010 (sponsored by the African American Studies Program).
- “Elijah Muhammad and Malcolm X.” Delivered at Purdue University, West Lafayette, Indiana, February 24, 2000.
- “The Life of Elijah Muhammad.” Delivered at Millersville University (Millersville, PA), November 16, 1998.
- “Finding Her Place: Some Comments on African-American Women and Antebellum Emigration to Liberia.” Delivered at Ohio State University, February 19, 1998.
- “The Allure of Africa: African-American Emigrants and the Making of Liberia.” Delivered at the State University of New York at Albany, November 17, 1997.
- “Elijah’s Journey: A Comment on Sources.” Delivered at the North Carolina Library Association conference, Raleigh, October 10, 1997.
- “Elijah Muhammad and the Nation of Islam.” Delivered at the University of North Carolina at Wilmington, February 6, 1997.

SELECTED CONFERENCE AND PANEL PRESENTATIONS

- Panelist, “Obama’s Future—and America’s,” sponsored by the Miller Center, University of Virginia, Charlottesville, September 23, 2022.
<https://millercenter.org/news-events/events/obamas-future-and-americas>.
- Panelist, “The Racialization of Voting Rights: The Struggle Continues,” webinar sponsored by the Reimagining America Project (Charlotte, NC), February 23, 2022.
- Panelist, “Actions in Faith and Justice Community Program,” Salisbury Civic Center, Salisbury, North Carolina, August 6, 2017 (panel discussion of 1906 Salibury lynching and it implications for contemporary race relations).
- Presenter, “Pan-Africanism and the Making of a Global Identity,” part of the African Diaspora Fellows Program Summer Institute, Duke University, July 13, 2016.

- Moderator for session entitled “Global Garveyism: From the Margins to the Center,” African American Intellectual History Society conference, University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill, March 11, 2016.
- Presenter at session entitled “Public Universities, the Humanities, and Education in North Carolina,” sponsored by the Program in the Humanities and Human Values, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, October 10, 2015.
- Panelist in plenary session entitled “The Wider Context and Implications of the *Amistad* Affair,” part of the “Rising Up: Hale Woodruff’s Murals at Talladega College” symposium, New York University, October 4, 2013.
- Discussant in roundtable entitled “Race, Memoir, and History,” Organization of American Historians, Milwaukee, Wisconsin, April 19, 2012.
- Presenter, “Teaching the Civil Rights Movement,” as part of the Teaching American History Summer Institute, sponsored by the U.S. Department of Education, Indiana University, and the Monroe County Community School Corporation, June 15, 2011.
- Panelist in seminar on Liberia, sponsored by the Army Directed Studies Office (US Department of Defense), Springfield, Virginia, July 21, 2010.
- Participant in panel discussion of Robert Norrell’s *Up from History: The Life of Booker T. Washington*, Association for the Study of African American Life and History conference, Cincinnati, Ohio, October 3, 2009.
- Chaired panel entitled “Historical Perspectives on Liberia,” Liberian Studies Association conference, Bloomington, Indiana, March 26, 2007.
- Discussant for “The Atlantic Paradigm: A Roundtable,” Indiana University, April 20, 2007.
- Commentator for session entitled “America in Africa: African Americans and the Colonization Movement in Antebellum America.” Organization of American Historians conference, Washington, D.C., April 20, 2006.
- Commentator for session entitled “Islamic Communities in the United States.” Organization of American Historians conference, San Jose, California, April 3, 2005.
- “‘It is a new Country’: Impressions of Liberia in the Letters of North Carolina Emigrants.” Delivered at the Association for the Study of the Worldwide African Diaspora conference, Northwestern University, Evanston, Illinois, October 4, 2003.

- “African-American Women and the Making of Liberia.” Delivered at the 18th Annual Symposium on African American Culture and Philosophy, Purdue University, West Lafayette, Indiana, March 23, 2002.
- “The Womenfolk: A Statistical Portrait of Female Emigrants from North Carolina to Liberia, 1825-1843.” Delivered at the African Studies Association conference, Houston, Texas, November 16, 2001.
- “Black North Carolinians and the Making of the Methodist Church in Liberia, 1825-1893: Some Observations.” Delivered at the Southern Intellectual History Circle conference, Indiana University, Bloomington, February 23, 2001.
- Member of panel discussion entitled “Solitary Scholars?: Balancing Personal and Professional Lives.” Organization of American Historians conference, St. Louis, Missouri, April 1, 2000.

SELECTED TELEVISION, RADIO, PODCAST, & INTERNET APPEARANCES

- “Obama: The Black President,” interview on the Professor Buzzkill History Podcast, aired October 18, 2022. <https://www.spreaker.com/user/16373114/claude-clegg-obama-mixdown>.
- “American Madness: The Obama Years,” part 5 of the “History Is Us” podcast (hosted by Eddie Glaude), aired June 29, 2022. <https://podcasts.apple.com/us/podcast/american-madness-the-obama-years/id1625313174?i=1000568084404>.
- “History Author Show with Dean Karayanis,” February 21, 2022 (*The Black President*). https://historyauthor.com/claude-a-clegg-iii-the-black-president-hope-and-fury-in-the-age-of-obama/?doing_wp_cron=1645424528.9025208950042724609375.
- Interview on the Liberian Bicentennial, #RolandMartinUnfiltered, January 24, 2022 (*The Price of Liberty*). <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=gxnpQpO3cLI>.
- “Claude Clegg, The Black President: Hope and Fury in the Age of Obama,” The Last Negroes at Harvard podcast, January 27, 2022. <https://podcasts.apple.com/us/podcast/claude-clegg-the-black-president-hope-and-fury-in/id1521268233?i=1000549169994>.
- “Book Breaks,” Gilder Lehrman Institute of American History, November 21, 2021 (on *The Black President*).

- Interview with Eric Schubring, WOJB-FM (NPR, Duluth, MN), October 26, 2021 (on *The Black President*).
- “The Morning Show” (with Greg Berg), WGTD-FM (NPR, Milwaukee, WI), October 26, 2021 (on *The Black President*).
<https://www.wgtd.org/playlist/morning-show/hope-and-fury-age-obama-author-claude-clegg>.
- “The Black President, an interview on Barack Obama with Claude A. Clegg,” [Abridged] Presidential Histories (44.A) podcast, October 18, 2021.
<https://aph.buzzsprout.com/968959/9377661-44-a-the-black-president-an-interview-on-barack-obama-with-claude-a-clegg>.
- “A Conversation with Claude Clegg, author of *The Black President: Hope and Fury in the Age of Obama*,” cosponsored by Flyleaf Bookstore and UNC Carolina Public Humanities, Chapel Hill, North Carolina, October 14, 2021.
<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=yNczWCQpe8Q>.
- Interview on the “Ron Van Dam Show” (Boston, MA), October 12, 2021 (on *The Black President*). <https://ronvandam.podbean.com/e/101421-check-out-register-oddy-to-be-president/>.
- “Unplugged & Totally Uncut” (with Arroe Collins), iHeart Radio & Podcast, October 12, 2021 (on *The Black President*).
<https://heliumradio.com/podcast/claude-a-clegg-iii-releases-the-black-president/>.
- Interview on “Conversations Live,” WYAD-FM (Jackson, MS), October 12, 2021 (on *The Black President*). <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=7Ki3qbcKlms>.
- Interview on the “Kim Carson Show,” podcast & syndicated (Michigan), October 12, 2021 (on *The Black President*).
<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=IqawCcJn2Qo>.
- Interview on “Conversations,” Kansas Public Radio (regional Kansas), October 12, 2021 (on *The Black President*). <https://kansaspublishradio.org/blog/dan-skinner/conversations-claude-clegg-iii-black-president-hope-and-fury-age-obama>.
- Interview on the “Julee Jones Show,” KPRS-FM (Kansas City, MO), October 12, 2021 (on *The Black President*). <https://www.kprs.com/2021/10/12/hot-read-interview-the-black-president-hope-and-fury-in-the-age-of-obama/>.

- Interview on “Roundtable,” WAMC-NPR and PRI (regional Northeast), October 12, 2021 (on *The Black President*). <https://www.wamc.org/podcast/the-roundtable/2021-10-12/the-black-president-by-claude-clegg>.
- Interview on “Perspectives with Condace Pressley,” WSB-FM/AM, KISS-FM, WSRV-FM (Atlanta, GA), October 12, 2021 (on *The Black President*). <https://www.kiss104fm.com/on-air/perspectives-podcast/>.
- Interview on “Pat Thurston Show,” KGO-AM (San Francisco, CA), October 12, 2021 (on *The Black President*). <https://omny.fm/shows/the-pat-thurston-show/october-12-2021-pat-thurston-the-black-president-h>.
- Podcast #60: “Claude Clegg – ‘The Black President’,” Axelbank Reports History and Today, October 2021. <https://podcasts.apple.com/us/podcast/axelbank-reports-history-and-today/id1521053272?i=1000537571780>.
- “VERIFY: No, the Juneteenth holiday was not started after the death of George Floyd” (interview regarding Juneteenth), WCNC Charlotte, June 16, 2021. <https://www.wcnc.com/article/news/verify/verify-no-juneteenth-not-started-george-floyd/275-c1a9e361-0da7-4748-aa1c-da77f52eabfb>.
- “Our America: Black Freedom” (episode on Juneteenth), ABC7 News, June 14, 2021. <https://abc7.com/our-america/our-america-black-freedom-%7C-watch-full-episode-/10788534/>.
- “History of Elijah Muhammad and the Nation,” interview on Barbershop Conversations, YouTube channel, March 18, 2021. <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=EwhSQkenNf4>.
- Expert panel discussion with ABC11 WTVD (Raleigh-Durham, NC), broadcast October 22, 2020 (on the presidential debate between Donald Trump and Joe Biden). <https://abc11.com/politics/trump-vs-biden-abc11-post-presidential-debate-analysis-with-experts/7222552/>.
- Interview with ABC11 WTVD (Raleigh-Durham, NC), broadcast June 24, 2020 (on Confederate monuments). <https://abc11.com/society/statues-tributes-to-historic-figures-under-scrutiny/6262562/>.
- Interview with C-SPAN “Cities Tour,” broadcast January 18 & 19, 2020, C-SPAN2 (discussion of *The Price of Liberty*). <https://www.c-span.org/video/?468034-1/the-price-liberty>.
- “Charlotte Talks,” National Public Radio (Charlotte, NC), October 8, 2012 (discussion of *Troubled Ground*).

- “Noon Edition,” National Public Radio, recorded at affiliate station WFIU, Bloomington, IN, May 14, 2004.
- “To the Best of Our Knowledge,” National Public Radio, recorded at affiliate station WUNC, Chapel Hill, NC, May 7, 1997 (discussion of *An Original Man*).
- Interview with the American Urban Radio Network, Pittsburgh, PA, April 29, 1997 (discussion of *An Original Man*).
- Interview with “Booknotes,” C-SPAN, Washington, DC, March 30, 1997. (Excerpts from this interview appear in Brian Lamb, *Booknotes: Life Stories* [New York: Random House, 1999], 231-36.) <https://www.c-span.org/video/?79045-1/an-original-man-elijah-muhammad>
- “America’s Black Forum,” Washington, DC, March 30, 1997 (discussion of *An Original Man*).
- Interview with “Talk of the Nation,” National Public Radio, broadcast from affiliate station WUNC, Chapel Hill, NC, March 17, 1997 (discussion of *An Original Man*).
- “B.E.T. Talk,” Black Entertainment Television, Washington, DC, February 19, 1997 (discussion of *An Original Man*).
- “New York & Company,” WNYC-AM (National Public Radio local affiliate), February 18, 1997 (discussion of *An Original Man*).

CONSULTATIONS, OP-EDS, AND OTHER MEDIA PUBLICATIONS

- Participant in documentary, *Cassius X – Becoming Ali*, Two Rivers Media/Creative Scotland/MTV Entertainment-Cosmic Cat., 88 mins. UK. 2023.
- “Top 10 Book about US Presidents” (op-ed), *The Guardian*, January 19, 2022. <https://www.theguardian.com/books/2022/jan/19/top-10-books-about-us-presidents-claude-a-clegg-the-black-president>.
- Consultant for the College Board (regarding development of a high school course in African American Studies for advanced placement [AP] credit), 2021.
- Historical Accuracy Consultant for movie adaptation of Delia Owens’s novel, *Where the Crawdads Sing*, 2021.

- Interview regarding Southern Monuments and Memorials, Southern Vision Alliance, September 9, 2020. <https://southernvision.org/historians-respond-to-100-racist-southern-memorials-coming-down/>.
- Interview regarding the Martin Luther King Jr. holiday, *Daily Tar Heel*, January 15, 2018. <https://www.dailytarheel.com/article/2018/01/qanda-clegg-1115>.
- “Claude A Clegg III: Resolution Positions Salisbury at Vanguard of History” (op-ed), *Salisbury Post*, January 13, 2019. <https://www.salisburypost.com/2019/01/13/claude-a-clegg-iii-resolution-positions-salisbury-at-vanguard-of-history/>.
- “Nation Settled by Ex-slaves Struggles for Unity” (interview), CNN.com, December 3, 2004. <https://www.cnn.com/2004/WORLD/africa/07/23/twih.liberia/index.html>.

HONORS AND AWARDS

- Principal Investigator (and on behalf of the UNC Department of African, African American, and Diaspora Studies), Affirming Multivocal Humanities grant, Andrew Mellon Foundation, October 2023 – October 2026 (\$100,000).
- Longlist finalist for the 2021 Plutarch Award, sponsored by the Biographers International Organization (for *The Black President*).
- One of three finalists for the 2022 PROSE Award for Biography & Autobiography, sponsored by the Association of American Publishers (for *The Black President*).
- Senior Faculty Research and Scholarly Leave, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, awarded February 2017 (for Spring 2018).
- Ellison Fellowship, Institute for the Arts and Humanities, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, awarded November 2016 (for Fall 2017).
- Black Faculty and Staff Student Choice Award, Indiana University at Bloomington, 2012.
- One of five finalists for the 2005 Frederick Douglass Book Prize, sponsored by the Gilder Lehrman Center for the Study of Slavery, Resistance, and Abolition at Yale University (for *The Price of Liberty*).
- 2004 *Choice Magazine* Outstanding Academic Title (for *The Price of Liberty*).

- Trustees' Teaching Award, Indiana University at Bloomington, 2004.
- Travel grant from the John Hope Franklin Collection for African and African-American Documentation, Duke University, Durham, North Carolina, 2002.
- International Projects and Activities Grant, Office of International Programs, Indiana University at Bloomington, 2001 (declined).
- Research Award and Summer Stipend, Arts and Humanities Initiative, Indiana University at Bloomington, 2001.
- Archie K. Davis Fellowship, sponsored by the North Caroliniana Society, Chapel Hill, North Carolina (2001).
- Summer Faculty Fellowships, Indiana University, 1999 and 2000.
- Honor Book citation for *An Original Man*, awarded by the Black Caucus of the American Library Association (1997).
- Paul Cuffe Memorial Fellowship, sponsored by the Munson Institute of American Maritime Studies, Mystic, Connecticut (1997).
- Military History Fellowship to attend a seminar at the United States Military Academy at West Point, New York, sponsored by the USMA department of history (May 30-June 24, 1994).
- Ford Fellowship Project Grant for research at Fourah Bay College, Sierra Leone, during the summer of 1991.
- Rackham Merit Fellowship, Rackham Graduate School, University of Michigan at Ann Arbor (1990-1995).
- Dean's List, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, Spring 1987 – Spring 1989.

PROFESSIONAL AND INSTITUTIONAL SERVICE AND AFFILIATIONS

- Member, Distinguished Professorship Selection Committee, College of Arts & Sciences, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, 2023 – 2024.
- Member, Advisory Committee, School of Data Science and Society, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, 2022 – 2023.

- Chair, Sonya H. Stone Center Director search committee, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, 2021 – 2022.
- Member, Advisory Board, African Studies Center, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, 2021 – present.
- Member, C. Vann Woodward Award Committee (for the best dissertation in southern history), Southern Historical Association, 2022.
- Member, Graduate Studies Committee, Department of History, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, 2020 – 2021.
- Chair, Historian of U.S. Slavery search committee, Department of African, African American, and Diaspora Studies, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, 2020 – 2021.
- Member of Data Science Curriculum Working Groups, College of Arts and Sciences, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, 2018 – 2019.
- Member of Faculty Advisory Board, Institute for the Arts and Humanities, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, 2018 – 2020.
- Member, Division 4: Social Sciences Division of the College of Arts and Sciences: Faculty Council (Tenured), University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, 2018 – 2021.
- Member of Board of Governors, University of North Carolina Press, 2018 – present.
- Member of external review committee, Department of History, University of Arkansas at Fayetteville, Fall 2017.
- Member of Advisory Board, *Global Africana Review*, 2017; editor, 2019 – 2021.
- Social Sciences selection committee for the Summer Undergraduate Research Fellowship (SURF) Program, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, Spring 2017.
- Member of the Board of Editors, *Journal of Southern History*, 2016 – 2020.
- Member of subcommittee to review academic appeals procedures, Administrative Boards of the General College and the College of Arts and Sciences, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, Spring 2017, Fall 2019.

- Member of the Chair's Advisory Committee, Department of African, African American, and Diaspora Studies, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, 2017 – present.
- Summer School Coordinator, Department of African, African American, and Diaspora Studies, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, Summer 2017.
- Member of the Advisory Board of the Institute of African American Research, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, 2016 – 2019; chair, 2016 – 2019.
- Member of the Curriculum Revision Working Group, College of Arts & Sciences, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, 2016 – 2018 (also liaison to the Core Knowledge and Practical Skills Task Force, 2017).
- Member of the content committee for the African Diaspora Fellows Program Summer Institute, Duke University and UNC-Chapel Hill, 2015-2016 (also served as a content specialist on the Pan-Africanism and Black Internationalism segment of the program)
- Faculty Affiliate, Institute of African American Research, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, 2016 – present.
- Member of the Administrative Boards of the General College and the College of Arts and Sciences, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, 2016 – 2021.
- Faculty Affiliate, Southern Oral History Program, Center for the Study of the American South, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, 2015 – present.
- Chair, program review committee for the Institute for African American Research, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, 2015 – 2016.
- Member of the program review committee for the Center for the Study of the American South, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, 2015 – 2016.
- Chair, African American History Month Lecture committee, Department of History, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, 2015 – 2016.
- Chair, Graduate Program Planning Committee, Department of African, African American, and Diaspora Studies, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, 2015 – present.

- Member of Faculty Advisory Committee, Arts@TheCore, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, 2015 – 2019.
- Academic Affairs Committee, Department of African, African American, and Diaspora Studies, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, 2015 – present; chair, 2020 – 2021.
- Standing Personnel Committee, Department of African, African American, and Diaspora Studies, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, 2015 – present.
- Member of the Dean’s Faculty Diversity Advisory Committee, College of Arts & Sciences, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, 2015 – present.
- Member of the advisory board of the Center of Excellence for Women in Technology, Indiana University, 2014 – 2015.
- Member of the College Committee on Graduate Education, Indiana University, 2013 – 2014.
- Member of Campus Strategic Planning Initiative (Faculty Team), Indiana University, 2013 – 2014.
- Member of the University Faculty Council, Indiana University, 2013 – 2014. This assignment involved service on the system-wide faculty governance body.
- Member of the Bloomington Faculty Council, Indiana University, 2013 – 2014. This assignment also entailed chairing the BFC Faculty Affairs Committee and serving as an ex officio member of the Executive Committee.
- Member of external review committee, Department of Philosophy, Indiana University, Spring 2013.
- Member of advisory committee, Department of African American & African Diaspora Studies, Indiana University, 2012 – 2015.
- Member of Advisory Board, Center for Research on Race and Ethnicity in Society (CRRES), Indiana University, 2012 – 2016.
- Member of external review committee, Department of African American & African Diaspora Studies, Indiana University, Spring 2012.
- Member of Promotion Committee, College of Arts & Sciences, Indiana University, 2011 – 2014.

- Member of Paul V. McNutt Lecture Committee (tasked with selecting a distinguished visiting lecturer in U.S. history), Department of History, Indiana University, 2009 – 2010, 2011 – 2012, and 2012 – 2013.
- Co-organizer of the Preparing for Graduate Study in the Twenty-First Century project (designed to recruit and retain a demographically diverse cohort of graduate students), College of Arts & Sciences, Indiana University, 2009 – 2010.
- Member of search committee for an executive director of the Organization of American Historians, 2008 – 2009, 2009 – 2010.
- Member of review committee for Department of Classical Studies, Indiana University, 2008 – 2009.
- Member of review committee for the Ancient Studies Program, Indiana University, 2008.
- Member of selection committee for the Distinguished Faculty Research Lecturer, sponsored by the Office of the Vice Provost for Research, Indiana University, 2008 – 2009.
- Member of the Indiana University Bicentennial Taskforce, 2007 – 2015.
- Member of Social and Historical Sciences subcommittee, General Education committee, Indiana University, 2007 – 2011.
- Served as chair of the U.S. history field, Department of History, Indiana University, 2005 – 2006, 2006 – 2007, and 2013 – 2014.
- Member of search committee for a Dean of the University Graduate School, Indiana University, 2005 – 2006.
- Member of the Program Committee for the Organization of American Historians conference, 2005.
- Member of the Strategic Planning Committee organized by Chancellor Sharon Brehm, Indiana University, 2002 – 2004.
- Member of selection committee for National Endowment for the Humanities summer fellowships, Indiana University, 2002 and 2003.

- Served as chair of the African Diaspora history field, Department of History, Indiana University, 2002 – 2010, 2011 – 2013.
- Established graduate major in African Diaspora history in the Department of History, Indiana University at Bloomington, 2002.
- Served on Executive Committee of the African Studies Program, Indiana University, 2001 – 2002.
- Served on search committee for a chairperson for the Department of Afro-American Studies, Indiana University, 2001 – 2002 and 2002 – 2003.
- Served on Executive Committee of the Department of History, Indiana University, 2000 – 2001, 2001 – 2002, 2002 – 2003, 2003 – 2004, and 2006 – 2010 (ex officio member as department chair).
- Served on African American history search committees, Department of History, Indiana University, 1999 – 2000, 2000 – 2001, 2002 – 2003, 2003 – 2004, and 2004 – 2005.
- Served on the 1997 – 1998, 2003 – 2004, 2004 – 2005, and 2005 – 2006 selection committees of the scholars-in-residence program of the Schomburg Center for Research in Black Culture (New York Public Library).
- Member of the advisory board of the Institute of African-American Research (IAAR) of North Carolina, established by the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill (1997 – 1998).
- Chaired the committee which developed the Africana Studies program within the history department of North Carolina A&T State University (1996 – 1997). Also served as director of this program (1997).

COURSES TAUGHT

Undergraduate:

African-American History (to 1865)
 African-American History (since 1865)
 African American Intellectual History (research seminar)
 Introduction to African American & Diaspora Studies
 African Diaspora Theory and History
 Africans in Colonial America
 Black Southerners, 1865-2015

United States History (since 1865)
American Slavery (research seminar)
Slave Resistance in the Americas
Black Nationalism in the United States
Intellectual Currents in African and African Diaspora Studies (research seminar)
Abolitionism
The Civil Rights Movement
Recent America: The History of Now (research seminar)
History of the American Presidency
U.S. Military History
Historical Methods

Graduate:

The African Diaspora
Seminar in U.S. History
Twentieth-Century African-American History
Black Southerners (1865-1965)
U.S. History (since 1932)
The Civil War and Reconstruction
Teaching United States History

PH.D. DISSERTATIONS DIRECTED

Siobhan Carter-David (Ph.D., History, Indiana University-Bloomington, 2011) –
Dissertation: “Fashioning Essence Women and Ebony Men: Sartorial Instruction and the
New Politics of Racial Uplift in Print, 1970-1993.”

Anthony Dixon (Ph.D., History, Indiana University-Bloomington, 2007) – Dissertation:
“Black Seminole Involvement and Leadership during the Second Seminole War, 1835-
1842.”

Tanisha Ford (Ph.D., History, Indiana University-Bloomington, 2011) – Dissertation: “Soul
Generation: Radical Beauty, Fashion, and the Transnational Black Liberation Movement,
1954-1980.”

Raquel I. Henry (Ph.D, History, Indiana University-Bloomington, 2008) – Dissertation:
“The Colonization Movement in Indiana, 1826-1864: A Struggle to Remove the African
American.”

David Jamison (Ph.D., History, Indiana University-Bloomington, 2014) – Dissertation:
“From Resistance to Marronage: The Role of Slave Networks and the Forging of Identity
in the Dutch Guianas.”

Andrew W. Kahrl (Ph.D., History, Indiana University-Bloomington, 2008) – Dissertation: “On the Beach: Race and Leisure in the Jim Crow South.”

Donald W. Maxwell (Ph.D., History, Indiana University-Bloomington, 2010) – Dissertation: “Unguarded border: The movement of people and ideas between the United States and Canada during the Vietnam War era.”

Niera E. Marshall (Ph.D., History, Indiana University-Bloomington, 2007) – Dissertation: “Enslaved Women Runaways in South Carolina, 1820-1865.”

Kimberly Stanley (Ph.D., History, Indiana University-Bloomington, 2015) – Dissertation: “Pulling Down the House and Tearing Up the Yard: Constructing, Policing and Containing Black Masculinity, 1920-1960.”

Carl Suddler (Ph.D., History, Indiana University-Bloomington, 2015) – Dissertation: “Presumed Criminal: Black Youth and the Justice System in Postwar New York.”

REFERENCES

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