

## Curriculum Vitae – 13<sup>th</sup> May 2019

### Professor Robert Shilliam

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### Academic Qualifications

**DPhil International Relations** University of Sussex, Feb 2006

**MA International Relations with distinction**, University of Sussex, Oct 2002

**BA International Relations and Development Studies 1st hons**, University of Sussex, Jul 2001

### Present Appointment

*Jul 2018 – present*: **Professor of International Relations**, Department of Political Science, Johns Hopkins University

### Previous Appointments

*Dec 2011 – Jun 2018*: **Senior Lecturer/Reader/Professor of International Relations**, School of Politics and International Relations, Queen Mary University of London

*Jul 2007 – Nov 2011*: **Lecturer/Senior Lecturer in International Relations**, School of History, Philosophy, Political Science and IR, Victoria University of Wellington, New Zealand

*Sep 2005 – Jun 2007*: **Hedley Bull Junior Research Fellow**, University of Oxford

### Professional Bodies Membership

- Trustee of Runnymede Trust (2015-2018)
- Advisor to Black Doctoral Network (UK division), 2014-2016
- Transnational Decolonial Institute (International Advisory Board and Correspondent), 2012-2018
- International Studies Association (ISA), 2005-present
  - *Global Development Section* chair 2012-13, and advisory group, 2013-present
- British International Studies Association (BISA), 2003-2018
  - Inaugurator and co-convenor of the *Colonial, Postcolonial and Decolonial Working Group*, 2013-2017

### Editorial

- Inaugurator and co-editor of Book Series, *Kilombo: International Relations and Colonial Questions* (Rowman and Littlefield International), 2013-present
- Editorial Board member, *International Studies Quarterly*, 2013-2018
- Editorial Board member, *Political Studies*, 2017-present
- Editorial Board member, *Journal of International Political Theory*, 2016-present
- Editorial Board member, *Politics*, 2018-present
- Associate Editor, *Political Science* (Sage), 2012-present
- International Advisory Board member, *Citizenship Studies*, 2019-present
- Editorial Review Board member, *Creative Interventions in Global Politics* (R&LI) 2018-present

### External engagements

- Member of “Maqdala 1868 Advisory Group”, Ethiopian exhibition project at the Victoria and Albert Museum, UK, 2017-2018
- External Advisor, Periodic review of the School of Social Sciences, University of Manchester, 2018
- External panel member, Periodic review of the Department of Politics and International Studies, School of Oriental and African Studies (SOAS), London, 2018

- Advisory Board member for Arts and Humanities Research Council major grant, "Conferencing the International: a cultural and historical geography of the origins of internationalism", 2015-2018
- Member of External Advisory Board on Race Equality to Stuart Croft, Vice Chancellor of Warwick University, 2016-2017
- External examiner: MA in Human Rights, London School of Economics, 2014-2018
- External examiner: BA in International Relations, Goldsmiths College, 2013–2016
- External examiner: MA in International Political Economy, Kings College, 2012-2015
- PhD external examiner for University of Oxford, London School of Economics; Kings College, University of London; University of Birmingham; University of Warwick; University of Kent; University of Bristol; University of Waterloo (Canada); University of Queensland (Australia); Victoria University of Wellington (NZ), International Institute of Social Studies (Netherlands)

### Peer Review

Book Publishers: Routledge; Palgrave; Bloomsbury Academic Press; Hurst & Co.; Ashgate; Zed Press; Rowman & Littlefield.

Academic Journals: Foreign Policy Analysis; Security Dialogue; International Political Sociology, European Journal of International Relations; Review of International Studies; Millennium: Journal of International Studies; International Studies Perspectives; International Feminist Journal of Politics. Journal of International Relations and Development; Cambridge Review of International Affairs; St. Anthony's International Review; Journal of International Political Theory; Political Theory; Comparative Studies in Society and History; Constellations; Postcolonial Studies; Identities: Global Studies in Culture and Power; European Journal of Social Theory; Historical Materialism; Australasian Journal of Philosophy; Capital and Class; Wadabagei; Law and Humanities.

Grants: Leverhulme Trust

### Awards/Recognition

- 2018: Entry for *Oxford Research Encyclopedia of International Studies* ("Modernity and Modernization") in top-20 most downloaded entries.
- 2016: Formal "honourable mention" in the *Centre for Advanced International Theory's* book of the year award for *The Black Pacific*
- 2015: Innovative Teaching Award, from Queen Mary Students Union
- 2009: Early Career Research Excellence Award, from Victoria University of Wellington
- 2006: Teaching Excellence Award, from Social Sciences Division, University of Oxford, funded by *Higher Education Funding Council for England (HEFCE)*

### Publications

#### Peer reviewed journal articles

- "From Ethiopia to Bandung via Fanon", *Bandung: Journal of the Global South* (forthcoming, 2019)
- "Redeeming the Ordinary Working Class", *Current Sociology* (forthcoming, 2019)
- "Behind the Rhodes Statue: Black Competency and the Imperial Academy", *History of the Human Sciences* (forthcoming, 2019)
- "Indebtedness and the Curation of a Black Archive", special forum on David Goldberg's interview with Achille Mbembe, *Theory, Culture & Society* 35 (7-8), 2018, pp.229-235
- "Class is Race: Brexit and the Popular Will", contribution to special forum on "Diagnosing the Present", *International Political Sociology* 12 (1), 2018, pp.6-10
- "Race and Revolution at Bwa Kayiman", *Millennium* 45 (3), 2017 pp.269-292 - also published in the journal's special collection on "Revolution and Resistance in World Politics", 2018

- “The Aims and Methods of Liberal Education: Notes from a Nineteenth Century Pan-Africanist”, *International Journal of Politics, Culture and Society* 29 (3), 2016 pp.251-267
- “Ethiopianism, Englishness, Britishness: Struggles over Imperial Belonging” *Citizenship Studies* 20 (2), 2016, pp. 243-259
- “Colonial Architecture or Relatable Hinterlands? Locke, Nandy, Fanon and the Bandung Spirit”, *Constellations* 23 (3), 2016 pp.425-435
- “‘Open the Gates Mek We Repatriate’: Caribbean Slavery and Hermeneutic Tensions Within the Constructivist Project”, *International Theory* 6 (2), 2014, pp.349-372
- “Intervention and Colonial-Modernity: Decolonising the Italy/Ethiopia Conflict Through Psalms 68:31”, *Review of International Studies* 39 (5), 2013 pp. 1131-1147
- “Race and Research Agendas”, *Cambridge Review of International Affairs* 26 (1), 2013 pp.152-158
- “Forget English Freedom, Remember Atlantic Slavery: Common Law, Commercial Law, and the Significance of Slavery for Classical Political Economy”, *New Political Economy* 17 (5), 2012 pp.591-609
- “Civilization and the Poetics of Slavery”, *Thesis Eleven*, 108 (1), 2012 pp.97-116
- “Redemption from Development: Amartya Sen, Rastafari and Promises of Freedom”, *Postcolonial Studies* 15 (3), 2012 pp.331-350
- “Decolonising the Grounds of Ethical Inquiry: A Dialogue Between Kant, Foucault and Glissant”, *Millennium* 39 (3), 2011 pp.649-665
- “Keskidee Aroha: Translation on the Colonial Stage”, *Journal of Historical Sociology* 24 (1) 2011 pp.80-99
- “The Atlantic as a Vector of Uneven and Combined Development”, *Cambridge Review of International Affairs* 22 (1), 2009 pp.69-88
- “A Fanonian critique of Lebow’s Cultural Theory of International Relations”, *Millennium* 38 (1) 2009 pp.117-136
- “The Hieroglyph of the ‘Party’: Contextualising the Agent-Structure Debate through the Works of Trotsky, C.L.R. James and Althusser”, *International Relations* 22 (2) 2008 pp.193-219
- “What the Haitian Revolution Might Tell Us About Development, Security and the Politics of Race”, *Comparative Studies in Society and History* 50 (3), 2008 pp.778-808
- “Morgenthau in Context: German Backwardness, German Intellectuals, and the Rise and Fall of a Liberal Project”, *European Journal of International Relations* 13 (3), 2007 pp.299-327
- “Marx’s Path to Capital: the International Dimension of an Intellectual Journey”, *History of Political Thought* 27 (2), 2006 pp.349-375
- “What about Marcus Garvey? Race and the Transformation of Sovereignty Debate”, *Review of International Studies* 32 (3), 2006 pp.379-400
- “Hegemony and the Unfashionable Problematic of Primitive Accumulation”, *Millennium* 33 (1), 2004 pp.59-88

## Books

### Monographs

- *Race and the Undeserving Poor: From Abolition to Brexit* (London: Agenda Publishing, 2018) 192pp
- *The Black Pacific: Anticolonial Struggles and Oceanic Connections* (London: Bloomsbury Academic Press, 2015) 249pp.
- *German Thought and International Relations: The Rise and Fall of a Liberal Project* (London: Palgrave, 2009) 251pp.

### Edited Volumes

- (Co-edited with Olivia Rutazibwa – 50% each), *The Routledge Handbook of Postcolonial Politics* (London: Routledge, 2018) 460pp.

- (Co-edited with Quynh Pham – 50% each), *Meanings of Bandung: Postcolonial Orders and Decolonial Visions* (London: Rowman & Littlefield International, 2016) 240pp.
- (Co-edited with Alex Anievas and Nivi Manchanda – 33% of work each): *Race and Racism in International Relations: Confronting the Global Colour Line* (London: Routledge, 2014) 218pp.
- *International Relations and Non-Western Thought: Imperialism, Colonialism and Investigations of Global Modernity* (London: Routledge, 2010) 268pp.
  - Translated into Indonesian and published as *Hubungan Internasional dan Pemikiran Non Barat*
- Co-edited (with Gurminder Bhambra – 50% of work each): *Silencing Human Rights: Critical Approaches to a Contested Project* (London: Palgrave, 2008) 336pp.

#### Book chapters

- "Racism, Public Culture and the Hidden Curriculum" in G.K. Bhambra, D. Gebrail & K. Nişancioğlu (eds.) *Decolonising the University* (London: Pluto Press, 2018)
- "Notes on Europe and Europeans for the Discerning Traveller", in S. de Jogn, R. Icaza, O. Rutazibwa (eds.), *Decolonization and Feminisms in Global Teaching and Learning* (London: Routledge, 2018)
- "Redemptive Political Economy", in J. Montgomerie (ed.), *Critical Methods in Political and Cultural Economy* (London: Routledge, 2017), pp.51-57
- "The Crisis of Europe and Colonial Amnesia: Freedom Struggles in the Atlantic Biotope", in J. Go and G. Lawson (eds.), *Global Historical Sociology* (Cambridge: Cambridge University Press, 2017) pp.124-141
- "Race in World Politics", in *The Globalization of World Politics 7<sup>th</sup> edition textbook* (Oxford: Oxford University Press, 2016), pp. 285-300
- "Austere Curricula: Multicultural Education and Black Students", in Stefan Jonsson & Julia Willén (eds.), *Austere Histories in European Societies: Social Exclusion and the Contest of Colonial Memories* (London: Routledge, 2016), pp.92-111
- "'Ah, We Have Not Forgotten Ethiopia': Anti-Colonial Sentiments for Spain in a Fascist Era", in J. Narayan & G.K. Bhambra (eds.), *European Cosmopolitanism: Colonial Histories and Postcolonial Societies* (London: Routledge, 2016) pp.31-46
- "In Recognition of the Abyssinian General", in P. Hayden & K. Schick (eds.), *Recognition and the International* (London: Bloomsbury Academic Press, 2016) pp.121-137
- "Decolonizing the Manifesto: Communism and the Slave Analogy", in T. Carver & J. Farr (eds.), *The Cambridge Companion to the Communist Manifesto* (Cambridge: Cambridge University Press, 2015), pp.195-213
- "Race and Development" in H. Weber (ed.), *The Politics of Development: A Survey* (Abingdon: Routledge), 2014, pp.31-48
- "Developmentalism, Human Security, Indigenous Rights", in M.K. Pasha (ed.), *Globalization, Difference and Human Security* (London: Routledge, 2013), pp.91-102
- "Black Redemption, Not (White) Abolition", in D.L. Blaney & A.B. Tickner (eds.), *Claiming the International: Worlding Beyond the West* (London: Routledge, 2013), pp. 141-158
- "Who will Provide the West with Therapy?", in A. Beattie & K. Schick (eds.), *The Vulnerable Subject: Beyond Rationalism in International Relations* (Basingstoke: Palgrave Macmillan, 2013), pp.133-148
- "The Spirit of Exchange", in S. Seth (ed.), *Postcolonialism and International Relations* (London: Routledge, 2013), pp.166-182
- "The Polynesian Panthers and The Black Power Gang: Surviving Racism and Colonialism in Aotearoa New Zealand", in Nico Slate and Joe Trotter (eds.), *Black Power Beyond Borders* (New York: Palgrave, 2012), pp.107-126
- "The Drama Viewed from Elsewhere", in Toni Erskine & Richard Ned Lebow (eds), *Tragedy and International Relations* (London: Palgrave, 2012), pp.172-184

- “Ethiopia Shall Stretch Forth Her Hands Unto God: Garveyism, Rastafari and Antiquity”, in D. Orrells, G. Bhabra and T. Roynon (eds.), *African Athena: New Agendas* (Oxford: Oxford University Press, 2011) pp.106-121
- “Modernity and Modernization”, in Robert A. Denemark (ed.), *The International Studies Encyclopedia Vol. VIII* (Oxford: Wiley-Blackwell, 2010), pp. 5214-5232
- “The perilous but unavoidable intellectual terrain of the “Non-West”” in R. Shilliam (ed.), *International Relations and Non-Western Thought* (Routledge, 2010), pp.12-26
- (co-written with Martin Munro 50/50%), “Alternative sources of cosmopolitanism: Nationalism, universalism and Créolité in Francophone Caribbean thought” in R. Shilliam (ed.), *International Relations and Non-Western Thought* (Routledge, 2010), pp. 159-177
- “Jacobinism: the Ghost in the Gramscian Machine of Counter-Hegemony”, for Alison Ayers (ed.), *Neo-Gramscians, Historical Materialism and International Relations* (Palgrave, 2008) pp.189-208
- “The 'Other' in Classical Political Theory: Re-Contextualising the Cosmopolitan/Communitarian Debate” in B. Jahn (ed.), *Classical Theory in International Relations* (Cambridge: Cambridge University Press, 2006) pp.207-232

#### Guest editor for special issues

- (Co-edited with Lisa Tilley – 50% each), “Raced Markets”, *New Political Economy* 23 (5), 2018
- (Co-edited with G.K. Bhabra & D. Orrells – 33% each), “Contesting Imperial Epistemologies”, special issue of *Journal of Historical Sociology* 26 (3), 2014
- (Co-edited with D. Capie, A. Lacey and J. True – 25% each), “OCIS IV Special Issue”, of *Global Change, Peace and Security* 23 (1), 2011
- (Co-edited with George Lawson – 50% each) “Sociology and International Relations: Legacies and Prospects” in *Cambridge Review of International Affairs* 23 (1), 2010
- (Co-edited with George Lawson – 50% each) “Beyond Hypocrisy: Debating the Fact and Value of Sovereignty in World Politics” in *International Politics* 46 (6), 2009

#### Other publications

- “What Max Weber Teaches Us About the Ramsay Centre's Debate”, *Australian Critical Race and Whiteness Studies Association Blog*, December 2018, <https://acrawsa.org.au/2018/12/21/2045/>
- “Viewpoint: Populism and the Spectre of Powell”, *Discover Society* December 2018 <https://discoversociety.org/2018/12/04/viewpoint-populism-and-the-spectre-of-enoch-powell/>
- Forward to M. Iniguez de Heredia & Z. Wai (eds.), *Recentering Africa in International Relations: Beyond Lack, Peripherality, and Failure* (London: Palgrave, 2018)
- “Interview – Robbie Shilliam”, *E-International Relations*, June 2018 <https://www.e-ir.info/2018/06/14/interview-robbie-shilliam/>
- "Africa in Oceania: Thinking Besides the Subaltern", *Theory, Culture & Society*, Nov 2015 <https://www.theoryculturesociety.org/robbie-shilliam-on-africa-in-oceania-thinking-besides-the-subaltern/>
- “Black Academia: The Doors Have Been Opened but the Architecture Remains the Same”, in Claire Alexander and Jason Arday (eds.), *Aiming Higher: Race, Inequality and Diversity in the Academy* (Runnymede Perspectives, 2015) <https://www.runnymedetrust.org/uploads/Aiming%20Higher.pdf>
- (with Rastafari Regal Livity CiC) “When Britain Loved RasTafari”, *Discover Society* June 2014 <https://discoversociety.org/2014/07/01/focus-when-britain-loved-rastafari/>
- Decolonial AestheSis: Be.Bop 2012 Black Europe Body Politics”, *Social Text/Periscope* (special online issue, 2013) [https://socialtextjournal.org/periscope\\_article/be-bop-2012-black-europe-body-politics/](https://socialtextjournal.org/periscope_article/be-bop-2012-black-europe-body-politics/)

## Publications in Progress

### Books:

- *Decolonizing Politics* (forthcoming, Cambridge: Polity Press, 2020)

### Articles:

- “Free Labour / Freed Labour: Status and Hierarchy in Political Economy’s Genesis”

## Reviews/recognition of author’s books

- *Race and the Undeserving Poor* (2018)
  - Included in Verso “staff picks: books of the year” (2018) <https://www.versobooks.com/blogs/4185-staff-picks-books-of-the-year-2018-chosen-by-verso-staff>
  - Book review by Eric Melander in *The Economic History Review* 72 (2) 2019
  - Book review by J.M. Moore in *Justice, Power and Resistance* 2 (2), 2018
  - Book review by Patricia Tuitt for <https://www.patriciatuitt.com> (legal resource) (2018)
  - Book review by Owen Parker for Sheffield University Political Economy Research Unit (2018) <http://speri.dept.shef.ac.uk/2018/09/17/book-review-race-and-the-undeserving-poor/>
  - Academic forum on book in the popular IR blog *The Disorder of Things* (2018)
- *The Black Pacific* (2015)
  - Centre for Advanced International Theory Annual Text Symposium on the Black Pacific, University of Sussex, UK (Jan 2018)
  - Panel: "Author Meets Critics: The Black Pacific", *Royal Geographical Society and Institute of British Geographers Annual International Conference*, Royal Geographical Society, UK, Aug 2017
  - Academic forum on book in the popular IR blog *The Disorder of Things*, (2016)
  - Listed as “book of the week” by Centre for Postcolonial Studies”, Goldsmiths College, UK (2016)
  - Author’s introduction published as an invited “think-piece” by academic journal, *Theory Culture & Society*, 2015
  - Book review by Nitasha Tamar Sharma in *Sociology of Race and Ethnicity* 3 (4), 2017
  - Book review by Isaac Kamola in *Contemporary Political Theory* 2017, <https://doi.org/10.1057/s41296-017-0161-8>
  - Book review by Alex Barder in *International Studies Review* 19 (3), 2017
  - Book review by Lewis B.H. Eliot in *Interface* 9 (2), 2017
  - Book review by Quito Swan in *The Black Scholar* 46 (4), 2016
  - Book review by Yifen Beus in *The Journal of New Zealand and Pacific Studies* 4 (1), 2016
- *Race and Racism in International Relations* (2014)
  - Book review by Alex Barder in *International Studies Review* 19 (3), 2017
  - Book review by Roger Epp in *E-IR.info*, 2015 <http://www.e-ir.info/2015/11/08/review-race-and-racism-in-international-relations/>
  - Interview of contributors to book in IR blog, *Disorder of Things*, 2014
- *International Relations and Non-Western Thought* (2010)
  - Book review by Oliver Stuenkel in *Postwestern World*, 2015 <http://www.postwesternworld.com/2015/03/22/international-relations-shilliam/>
  - Book review by Jamie Jordan in *Political Studies Review* 12 (2) 2014
  - Book review by Cemal Burak Tansel in *Capital & Class* 37 (2), 2013
  - Book review by Emilian Kavalski in *Political Studies Review* 10 (2) 2012
  - Book review by Lucy Mayblin in *International Affairs* 87 (5), 2011
  - Book review by Bruno Tertrais, Gilles Andréani & Lanxin Xiang in *Survival* (Feb-Mar), 2011

### Teaching (last four years)

#### AS.190.607 - Decolonizing the Episteme: Knowledge, Empire and the Academy

- Graduate module; approx. 10 students; 14 weeks.

#### AS.190.410 - Rastafari: Race and Resistance on a Global Scale

- 4<sup>th</sup> year undergraduate module; approx. 12 students; 14 weeks.

#### AS.190.352 – The Politics of Global Development (2018/19 – present)

- 3<sup>rd</sup> year (Junior) undergraduate module; approx. 20 students; 14 weeks.

#### AS.190.659 – Postcolonial Political Economy (2018/19 – present)

- Graduate module; approx. 13 students; 14 weeks.

#### AS.190.541 - Independent Study – Seniors,

- 1 student, extended research paper, Fall semester

#### POL106 – Introduction to International Relations (2014/15 – 2018/19)

- Convener of first year undergraduate core module; approx. 370 students; 24 weeks.

#### POL247 – Modernity: Theories of Economy, Society and State (2012/13 - 2014/15)

- Convener of 2<sup>nd</sup> year undergraduate core module; 45-60 students; 24 weeks.

#### POL377 – Race and Racism in World Politics (2014/15 – 2018/19)

- Convener of 3<sup>rd</sup> year undergraduate module; 70 students; 12 weeks.

#### POL390 – Race and Racism in London: Independent Research (2016/17 – 2018/19)

- Convener of 3<sup>rd</sup> year undergraduate module; 12-15 students; 12 weeks.

#### POLM017 – Dissertation (2012/13 – 2018/19)

- Convener of Masters core module; 70-80 students

#### POL310 – Dissertation (2012/13 – 2018/19)

- Supervisor in 3<sup>rd</sup> year dissertation module (approximately 5-8 students each year).

### Research Grants

- “Ethiopian Echoes on the British Landscape”, *Arts and Humanities Research Council*, 2017, co-lead curator with Dr Shawn Sobers (principal investigator), 30,000 GBP
- “The Crisis of European Cosmopolitanism in the Age of Austerity”, *European Science Foundation Exploratory Workshop*, 3-5<sup>th</sup> July 2013, co-investigator with Prof Gurminder K. Bhambra, 14,000 Euro
- “The Crisis of European Cosmopolitanism in the Age of Austerity”, *University of Warwick and Queen Mary College Collaborative Research Award*, 1<sup>st</sup> Apr – 31<sup>st</sup> Jul 2013, co-investigator with Prof Gurminder K. Bhambra, 17,000 GBP
- “Keskidee Aroha National Workshop”, *Faculty Research Grant - Victoria University of Wellington*, 1<sup>st</sup> -3<sup>rd</sup> May 2010, principal investigator, \$NZ 2990 (1490 GBP)
- “Indigenous Peace, Indigenous Sovereignty” *Peace and Disarmament Education Trust Grant, Ministry of Internal Affairs NZ* 1<sup>st</sup> Feb – 1<sup>st</sup> Aug 2011, principal investigator \$NZ 2465 (1230 GBP)
- “Racial Cosmopolitanism”, *University Research Fund Grant, Victoria University of Wellington*, 1<sup>st</sup> Feb – 1<sup>st</sup> Oct 2010, principal investigator \$NZ 9030 (4530 GBP)
- “Human Rights and Racial Justice in the UN”, *New Researchers Grant, Victoria University of Wellington*, 1<sup>st</sup> Mar – 1<sup>st</sup> Aug 2009 principal investigator \$NZ 4858 (2420 GBP)

### Invited presentations

- Workshop: “Towards A Black Pacific—Oceania and Black Internationalism”, Radcliffe Institute for Advanced Study, Harvard University, May 2019
- *Inaugural Distinguished Teacher Lecture*, University of St Andrews, Scotland, May 2019
- Workshop: “Building on the Legacies of L.M.H. Ling”, The New School, Apr 2019
- Workshop: “Empire by its Other Names”, Heyman Center, Columbia University, Apr 2019
- Workshop: “Political Economy on Trial”: SPERI, University of Sheffield, UK, Mar 2019
- Mentor for Methodology Workshop, *ISA North East Annual Conference*, Nov 2018
- Keynote, *Annual Postgraduate Day*, Oxford Brookes University, June 2018

- Symposium, *Karl Marx, Marxism and the Global South*, University of Bremen, Germany, May 2018
- Discussion lead for PBS documentary workshop - "The Slave Trade and Europe", *Brown University*, Holland, Mar 2018
- *Diversifying the Discipline Workshop*, LSE, UK, Mar 2018
- Workshop for artists: *BAK Fellowship Programme*, Netherlands, Feb 2018
- Annual Lecture: *Centre for the European and International Studies Research*, Portsmouth University, UK, Jan 2018
- *Centre for Advanced International Theory Annual Text Symposium*. University of Sussex, UK, Jan 2018
- *Critical and Cultural Politics and Racialisation Research Group*, Aberystwyth University, UK, Nov 2017
- *Critical Theory and Practice Seminar*, Cambridge University, UK, Nov 2017
- Keynote: *Migrant Rights Network*, Birmingham, UK, Nov 2017
- *School of Sociology*, University College Dublin, Ireland, Oct 2017
- *Political Philosophy Research Seminar*, London School of Economics, UK, Oct 2017
- Plenary: *Critical Legal Studies Annual Conference*, Warwick University, UK: Sep 2017
- *Royal Geographical Society and Institute of British Geographers Annual International Conference*, Royal Geographical Society, UK, Aug 2017
- *Institut für Internationale Entwicklung*, Vienna University, Austria, Jun 2017
- *Theory for a Global Age Symposium*, *Concurrences Centre for Colonial and Postcolonial Studies*, Linnaeus University, Sweden, Jun 2017
- *Perceiving and Misperceiving Ourselves and Others: African and Western Perspectives* workshop, London School of Economics, UK, June 2017
- *Focus on the Funk Conference*, Birkbeck University, UK, May 2017
- *Leiden Interdisciplinary Migration Seminar*, University of Leiden, Netherlands, Mar 2017
- *Debating Human Rights Workshop*, University of Ghana, Mar 2017
- *External Speakers Series, Politics*, University of East Anglia, UK, Mar 2017
- *Race after the Post-Racial Conference*, Collège D'études Mondiales, Paris, France, Dec 2016
- Keynote: *Millennium, Journal of International Relations Annual Conference*, London School of Economics, UK: Oct 2016
- *Socialism Working Group Seminar Series*, Glasgow University, UK, Oct 2016
- *Political Science Department*, Johns Hopkins University, Mar 2016
- *Beyond the Masters Tools Conference*, Kassel Universität, Germany: Jan 2016
- *Postcolonial Studies Centre Speakers' Series*, Nottingham Trent University, UK, Dec 2015
- *Global/Local Colloquium Series*, University of Hawai'i, USA, Nov 2015
- *International Politics Research Seminar*, Aberystwyth University, Nov 2015
- *Critical Global Politics & Global Political Economy research seminar*, Manchester University, UK, Nov 2015
- *50<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of Warwick University, Festival of the Imagination*, Warwick University, UK, Oct 2015
- *Millennium, Journal of International Relations Annual Conference*, London School of Economics, UK, Oct 2015
- *European International Studies Association Annual Conference*, Extra-ordinary Roundtable on the Refugee Crisis, Italy, Sep 2015
- *Beyond Methodological Eurocentrism: Postcolonial Perspectives for Political and Social Theory*, Humboldt Universität, Germany, Jul 2015
- *Symposium: Migration, Post-Coloniality, and the Question of Europe*, Warwick University, UK, Jul 2015
- *Minnesota International Relations Colloquium*, University of Minnesota, USA, Feb 2015



- Keynote: *Migrations of Knowledge: Potentials and Limits of Knowledge Production and Critique in Europe and Africa*, Oldenburg Universität, Germany: Dec 2014
- *Postcolonial Governmentality Workshop*, University of Bristol, UK, Oct 2014
- *The Pasts, Presents and Futures of Postcolonialism: A Roundtable*, Goldsmiths College, UK, Apr 2014
- *German-Southeast Asian Center of Excellence for Public Policy and Good Governance*, Bangkok, Thailand, Dec 2013
- *Department of Politics*, University of Sheffield, Nov 2013
- *Austere Histories Symposium REMESCO*, Linköping University, Sweden, Nov 2013
- *Global Historical Sociology Project*, London School of Economics, UK, Oct 2013
- *Department of Political Science*, University of Pennsylvania, USA, Sep 2013
- *Social Science Research Council (USA)*, Dissertation Proposal Development Fellowship Conference, Warwick University, Jun 2013
- *Centre for Concurrences in Colonial and Postcolonial Studies*, Linnaeus University, Sweden, Mar 2013
- *Department of International Relations*, Aberystwyth University, UK, Oct 2012
- *Department of Politics and International Relations*, University of Oxford, UK, Jan 2012
- *CAUSE*, Carnegie Mellon University, Pittsburgh, UK, Apr 2011
- *Centre for Excellence in Global Governance Research*, University of Helsinki, Finland, Nov 2010
- *Political Science Department*, Vassar College, USA Sep 2010
- *School of Social and Political Sciences*, University of Sydney, Australia, Mar 2010
- *Institute for Comparative Modernities*, Cornell University, USA, May 2009
- *Global Collaboration Centre*, University of Osaka, Japan, Apr 2009
- *POLSYS Centre*, University of Queensland, Australia, Apr 2009
- *Department of Politics and International Relations*, University of Aberdeen, Jun 2008
- *Global Collaboration Centre*, University of Osaka Japan, Mar 2008
- *Department of Political Science*, Simon Fraser University, Canada, Jun 2007

#### **Conference presentations (excluding invitational appearances)**

- International Studies Association (ISA) annual conference, USA, Mar 2019: two panels and two roundtable appearances
- American Studies Association annual conference, USA, Nov 2018: one roundtable appearance
- American Sociology Association annual conference, USA, Aug 2018: one roundtable appearance
- BE BOP 2018. Black Europe Body Politics, Berlin, Germany, May 2018: one panel presentation
- International Studies Association (ISA) annual conference, USA, Feb 2017: two panels and two roundtable appearances
- BE BOP 2016. Black Europe Body Politics, Berlin, Germany, May 2016: one panel presentation
- International Studies Association (ISA) annual conference, USA, Mar 2016: one panel presentation and two roundtable appearances
- European International Studies Association (EISA) annual conference, Italy, Sep 2015: two panel presentations
- International Studies Association (ISA) annual conference, USA, Feb 2015: one panel presentation and two roundtable appearances
- British International Studies Association (BISA) annual conference, UK, Jun 2014: one roundtable appearance
- BE BOP 2014. Black Europe Body Politics, Berlin, Germany May 2014: one panel presentation

- International Studies Association (ISA) annual conference, USA, Mar 2014: two roundtable appearances
- British Sociological Association, Race and Ethnicity Section conference, UK, Jan 2014: one panel presentation
- Millennium annual conference, LSE, UK, Oct 2013: one panel presentation
- BE BOP 2013. Black Europe Body Politics, Berlin, Germany, May 2013: one panel presentation
- International Studies Association (ISA) annual conference, USA, Apr 2013: two panel presentations
- Centre for Advanced International Theory, University of Sussex, UK, Sep 2012: one panel presentation
- British International Studies Association (BISA) annual conference, UK, Jun 2012: two panel presentations
- BE BOP 2013. Black Europe Body Politics, Berlin, Germany, May 2012: one panel presentation
- International Studies Association (ISA) annual conference, USA, Apr 2012: four panel presentations
- International Studies Association (ISA) Asia Pacific conference, Australia, Sep 2011: one panel presentation
- International Studies Association (ISA) annual conference, USA, Mar 2011: three panel presentations, one roundtable presentation
- Global Rastafari Studies Conference, University of West Indies, Jamaica, Aug 2010: one panel presentation
- International Sociology Association annual conference, Sweden, Jul 2010: two panel presentations
- Oceanic Studies on International Relations (OCIS) bi-annual conference, New Zealand, Jul 2010: one panel presentation
- International Studies Association (ISA) annual conference, USA, Feb 2010: Two panel presentations
- British International Studies Association (BISA) annual conference, UK, Dec 2009: one panel presentation
- New Zealand Political Studies Association (NZPSA) annual conference, New Zealand, Nov 2009: one panel presentation
- International Studies Association (ISA) annual conference, USA, Feb 2009: Two panel presentations
- International Studies Association (ISA) annual conference, USA, Mar 2008: Two panel presentations
- British International Studies Association (BISA) annual conference, UK, Dec 2007: one panel presentation
- International Studies Association (ISA) annual conference, USA, Mar 2007: Three panel presentations
- British International Studies Association (BISA) annual conference, UK, Dec 2006: One panel presentation and one roundtable participation
- Historical Sociology Working Group (BISA), Oxford University, UK, May 2006: One panel presentation
- International Studies Association (ISA) annual conference, USA, Mar 2006: One panel presentation
- British International Studies Association (BISA) annual conference, UK, Dec 2005: One panel presentation
- International Studies Association (ISA) annual conference, USA, Mar 2005: Two panel presentations

- British International Studies Association (BISA) annual conference, UK, Dec 2004: [One panel presentation](#)
- British International Studies Association (BISA) annual conference, UK, Dec 2003: [One panel presentation](#)

### Conference/workshop organization

- Organizer of *Grenfell Tower: Politics and Inequality from the Micro to the Macro*, workshop, Queen Mary University of London, Apr 2018
- Co-organizer (50%) of *Brixton 81 @35: Black Community and Civic Struggles*, one day conference, Queen Mary University of London, UK, Nov 2016
- Co-organizer (50%) of British International Studies Association's (BISA) *Colonial/Postcolonial/Decolonial (CPD)* annual workshop, "Alternative Traditions of International Thought", University of Brighton, UK, Sep 2016
- Co-organizer (50%) of *Epistemic Violence* workshop, Queen Mary University of London, UK, Feb 2016
- Co-organizer (50%): *Raced Markets*, International Political Economy workshop organized with PAIS/Warwick University, UK, Dec 2015
- Co-section chair (50%) of "Worlds of Colonial Violence" (organizing 10 panels), *European International Studies Association* annual conference, Italy, Sep 2015
- Board advisor for "Blackness in Britain", annual international conference of the Black Studies Association, Birmingham City University, UK, Oct 2015
- Co-organizer (50%): British International Studies Association's (BISA) *Colonial/Postcolonial/Decolonial (CPD)* working group annual conference, "Thinking With and Against the Subaltern", SOAS, UK Sep 2015
- Co-organizer (50%): British International Studies Association's (BISA) *Colonial/Postcolonial/Decolonial (CPD)* working group annual conference, "Postcolonial Methodologies", Queen Mary University of London, UK, Jun 2014
- Co-organizer (50%): European Science Foundation workshop, "The Crisis of European Cosmopolitanism", Warwick University, UK, Dec 2013
- (co-organizer 25%): Conference: *Race, Migration, Citizenship: Postcolonial and Decolonial Perspectives*, Birmingham Midland Institute, UK, Jul 2013
- (co-organizer 50%): Warwick-QMUL Joint Workshop, "Rethinking Cosmopolitan Citizenship in an Austere Europe", University of Warwick, UK, Jul 2013
- (co-organizer 50%): Workshop: "The Crisis of Theory, The Crisis of Europe", University of Warwick, UK, May 2012
- (co-organiser 25%): Conference: *Rethinking the Modern: Colonialism, Empire, and Slavery*, Birmingham Midland Institute, UK, Jul 2011
- (co-organiser 33%): Bi-Annual conference: *Oceanic Conference on International Studies (OCIS)* New Zealand, UK, Jul 2010
- (co-organiser 50%): Historical Sociology Section (organizing 7 panels) for the *Sixth Pan-European International Relations Conference*, Italy, Sep, 2007
- (organiser): Two day international workshop, *Non-Western Insights into International Relations*, University of Oxford, UK, Jun, 2007

### Service

#### JHU:

- Board member, Arrighi Center for Global Studies
- Board member, Center for Africana Studies
- Affiliated faculty, Program in Race, Immigration and Citizenship
- Instigator of "Graduate Masterclass" seminar series
- Search Committee for Director of Center for Africana Studies, 2019

#### Previous Institutions:

- Senior Leadership Team

- Director of Postgraduate Taught Studies
- Learning and Teaching Committee
- Research Committee
- Equalities and Diversities Team
- University Senate (representative for Humanities and Social Science Faculty)
- Academic lead for two-year university-wide project examining racial disparities of attainment and experience amongst students (2016-present).
- Member of Social Capital team for implementation of university-wide *QMUL Model* project, seeking to enhance social capital of non-traditional students through their academic career
- University Equalities and Diversity group
- Mentor on the B-Mentor scheme for early career Black and Minority Ethnic academics

## Public Engagement

- Public lectures:
  - *Annual History Mackay Lecture*, Dalhousie University, Canada, Feb 2019
  - *Royal Institute of Philosophy*, UK, Mar 2018
  - *Anti Racism Network*, Dublin, Ireland, Oct 2017
  - *York Sociology Public Seminar Series*, York University, UK, Apr 2017
  - *Public Lecture Series*, University of Kent in Brussels, Belgium, Oct 2014
  - *'Liberation 1838' Public Lecture - Marcus Garvey*, Royal Geographical Society, UK, Dec 2013
  - *3rd Marcus Garvey Annual Memorial Lecture*, Birkbeck College, UK Jun 2012
- Co-curator with Rastafari Regal Livity (community incorporated company) of *Rastafari in Motion* exhibition, installed at the National Museum of Ethiopia in Addis Ababa (May-June 2014), Bath Guildhall, UK (Oct 2014), Fairfield House (heritage site) Bath, UK (Nov 2014), The Drum (Britain's premier Black cultural and arts centre) Birmingham (Feb 2015), Institute of Jamaica, Montego Bay, Jamaica (April 2016); and the Black Cultural Archives, London (June-Sep 2016). Currently writing a Schools Pack for History and Citizenship Studies teachers to use for GCSE and A-Level students.
- Public commentator/advisor on the Rastafari faith. See, e.g., "The Divinity of Haile Selassie", *Heart & Soul*, BBC Radio World Service (contributor); "When Britain Loved RasTafari", *Discover Society – Internet Magazine* June 2014; Rastafari and Reparation Time", *OpenDemocracy – Internet Magazine* 2015; *Rastafari in Babylon*, Nelle Veession (dir.) (talking head). I have also acted as an expert reporter on the Rastafari faith for the UK Crown Prosecution Agency (2017).
- Public commentator and advisor on race equality and academia. I have worked with Runnymede Trust, Equalities Challenge Unit, Higher Education Academy, NUS Black Students Campaign and various equality and diversity groups to disseminate and discuss attainment and experience differentials of students of colour in UK universities. See, e.g., *Aiming Higher*, Runnymede 2015, (report and video contribution); "Black History – More than a Month", *National Union of Students*, Oct 2014 (video contribution); "Black Academia in Britain", *LSE Diversity Blog*, Aug 2014; (with Stafford Scott of *Tottenham Rights*) "Interview | Black Community Struggle, Academia and the Legacies of Enslavement" *Ceasefire Magazine – Internet Magazine* April 2014; *Absent from the Academy*, Nathan Richards (Dir.), A Narrative Media, 2013 (video contribution).

## Staff development and training:

- CPAD Professional Appraiser Training, Queen Mary (2017)
- PhD Supervisor Training Refresher Course, Queen Mary (2013)
- B-Mentor Scheme, mentorship training programme for BME scholars at University of London (2012)
- "Teaching to Diversity" workshop, Victoria University of Wellington (2010)

- Postgrad Supervisors Development Programme, Victoria University of Wellington (2008)
- Teachers Training Programme (one semester long), University of Sussex (2003)