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**8:00 AM**

## Registration and Administrative Matters

Inscription et questions administratives

Registro y asuntos administrativos

Enskripsyón ak administration

**8:00 AM - 8:10 AM**

## Encuentros / Rasanblaj / Encounters / Rencontres (1)

**Opening Session G 8:00 AM – 9:30 AM**

### Marriott Ayizan 1

#### Opening Session 2: Louvri Bayè pou "Migrations of Afro-Caribbean Spirituality"

Séance d'ouverture: Louvri Bayè pou "Migrations de la spiritualité afro-caribéenne"

Sesión de apertura 2: Louvri Bayè pou "Migraciones de la espiritualidad afro-caribeña"

**Chair: Patrick Bellegarde-Smith, University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee**

**M. Jacqui Alexander, University of Toronto**

**Rachel Beauvoir-Dominique, University of Haiti**

**Erol Josue, Directeur général du Bureau National d'Ethnologie BNE**

**Agustín Laó-Montes, University of Massachusetts**

**9:45 AM - 10:15 AM**

**Morning Break 3/Pause café 3/ Receso matutino/ Poz kafe 3**

**H Sessions 10:15 AM - 11:30 AM**

### H1 Digicel 6th Floor Conference Rm A

#### Dialectical Representations of Haitian Identities in History

Reprezantasyon dyalektik idantite ayisyen atravè listwa

Representaciones dialécticas de las identidades haitianas en la historia

**Chair: Micheline Rice-Maximin, Swarthmore College**

"Dialectical Representations of Haitian Identities in History"

**H. Adlai Murdoch, Tufts University**

Hegel, Haiti, and the Inscription of Diasporic Blackness

**Irlene François, Goucher College**

Haunting Capital, Legacies and Lifelines

**Regine Michelle Jean-Charles, Boston College**

Sujets et assujetties : Les femmes esclaves dans Rosalie l'infâme et Humus

### H2 Marriott Kolibri Terrace

#### Exiles and/or Migrants: Representation, Testimony, and Experience

Egile ak/oubyen Imigran: Reprezantasyon, Temwayaj ak Ek-sperjans

Exiliós y/o emigrantes: representación, testimonio y experiencia

**Chair: Juliette Storr, Pennsylvania State University**

Media's Portrayal of the Haitian Diaspora: Integration or Isolation

**Oneil Hall, University of the West Indies, Cave Hill Campus**

Border restrictions: Jamaican social media perception of Cayman

**Ayanna Jessica Legros, New York University**

Radio Song: Haitian exiles in New York City & Cuba

**Maria Cristina Fumagalli, University of Essex**

'Are we not men': Names, Animals and Haitian Migrations to the Dominican Republic

### H3 Marriott Kowosol

#### FILM TRACK - Forward Home

PREZANTASYON FIM - Forward Home

SESIÓN DE CINE- Retorno a Casa

**Lisa Wickham, CaribbeanTales**

### H4 Marriott Ayizan 3

#### Haiti: Then and Now

Ayiti: Nan tan lontan ak jounen jodi a

Haiti: Antes y Ahora

**Chair: Leslie Alexander, The Ohio State University**

"Fear of a Black Republic: African Americans and the Struggle for Haitian Independence, 1816-1862"

**Celucien Joseph, Indian River State College**

"Le Mal d'Haïti: Roots of Haiti's Economic Woes, Underdevelopment and Dysfunctional Civil Society"

**Curtis Austin, The Ohio State University**

Legacy of Blackness: Haitian Military Strategy, Armed Struggle and the Black Power Movement

**Bertin Louis, University of Tennessee, Knoxville**

The Haitian Diaspora of the Bahamas: An Alternative View

**H5 Digicel 6th Floor Conference Rm B**

**Humanitarian Discourses in the Caribbean**

Diskou imanitè nan Karayib la

Discursos humanitarios en el Caribe

**Chair: Christine Duff, Carleton University**

**Audra Diptee, Department of History, Carleton University**

L'enfance et les discours humanitaires dans les Caraïbes

**Kevin Edmonds, Political Science, University of Toronto**

Legalised Looting: An Analysis of the Clinton Family in Haiti

**David Meinen, Carleton University**

(In)Security, Liberal Humanitarianism, and the Pacification of Haiti

**H7 Digicel 6th Floor Conference RmC**

**Melting Pots and Racial Discourses in the Americas**

"Bouyon sosyal" ak diskou sou ras an Amerik

Crisoles y discursos raciales en las Américas

**Chair: Yvonne Fabella, University of Pennsylvania**

Interracial Marriage and Colonial Authority in Saint Domingue

**Masonrya Bennett, Florida International University**

Exchanges and Intersections of Blackness in the New South

**Frank F. Scherer, York University**

From Indio to Chino: An Archaeology of Orientalist Discourse in Cuba

**Sue Ann Barratt, Institute for Gender and Development Studies, University of the West Indies, St. Augustine Campus**

I'm an Authentic Doubla: Doubla Constructions of Ethnic Subjectivity

**Aleah Ranjitsingh, CUNY Brooklyn College, City University of New York (CUNY)**

I'm an Authentic Doubla: Doubla Constructions of Ethnic Subjectivity

**H8 Marriott Aizan 1**

**Negotiating Boundaries: The Nation-State and its Invisible Subjects**

Negosasyon fwontyè: Leta-Nasyon ak sitwayen envizib li yo  
Négocier les frontières: l'État-Nation et ses sujets invisibles

**Daphne Lamothe, Smith College**

'No Voyage is Seamless': Locating Humanity and Abjection in Thirsty

**Simone A. James Alexander, Seton Hall University**

"Living Outside the Boundaries: Gender, Sexuality, and Race in Women's Literature"

**Carol Bailey, Westfield State University**

"Cultural Performances and the Question of Belonging: The Case of Caribana"

**Winnifred Brown-Glaude, The College of New Jersey**

"Neoliberal Selves: Race, Gender and Skin Bleaching in Jamaica."

**H10 Marriott Ayizan 2**

**Spirituality as a Weapon of Resistance**

Espirityalite yon zam pou rezistans

La espiritualidad como arma de resistencia

**Chair: Michael Barnett, University of the West Indies**

Assessing the Impact of Haile Selassie's Trip to the Caribbean in 1966

Rastafari: A continuing tradition of African Spirituality as a Liberating Tool

**Imani Tafari-Ama, University of the West Indies**

Spirituality as a Tool of Resistance for Notable African Heroines

**Arthur Newland**, *University of the West Indies*  
 Boukman, Rastafari and Vodun: Distinctiveness and Continuity

**Clinton Hutton**, *University of the West Indies*  
 The Haitian Revolution: Its Historical Significance in Defining the Modern World

### H11 OMRH Conference Room

#### Caribbean Migrations: Transnational Connections

Migrations caribéennes: connexions transnationales  
 Migrasyon karayibeyen: lyenaj transnasyonal  
 Migraciones caribeñas: enlaces transnacionales

**Chair: Ifeona Fulani**, *New York University*  
 When Home Has Gone Abroad

**Camille Hernandez-Ramdwar**, *Ryerson University*  
 Electronic Migrations: Transnational Classrooms, Virtual Collaborations and Online Idleness

**Kezia Page**, *Colgate University*  
 Presentation Untitled

### I Sessions 11:40 AM - 12:55 PM

#### I1 Digicel 6th Floor Conference Rm A

#### Caribbean on the move: Citizenship, Mobility, State Politics France-USA

Karayib an mouvman: Sitwayènte, mobilite, Politic deta Lafrans-Etazini  
 El Caribe en movimiento: Ciudadanía, movilidad y política de Estado Francia-EEUU

**Chair: Clara Rachel Eybalin Casseus**, *Independent Researcher*

Contexte migratoire caraïbéen de l'ère amérindienne à la période esclavagiste

**George Fouron**, *Africana Studies Department (AFS) Faculty Director, SUNY, NY*

"Outsiders within, insiders without": Junctures and disjunctions within Haiti's transnational space

**Justin Daniel**, *Directeur du CRPLC, Université Antilles, Martinique*

Citoyenneté dans les Antilles françaises: Politique française vis-à-vis des Haïtiens

#### I2 Digicel 6th Floor Conference Rm B

#### Circulating Identity, Authenticity, and Caribbean Consciousness

Sikilasyon idantite, otantisite ak konsyans karayibeen an Circulación de la identidad, de la autenticidad y de la conciencia caribeña

**Jocelyn Stitt**, *University of Michigan*

The Visual in the Autobiographical: Mapping and Sexual Citizenship

**Maydi Estrada Bayona**, *U.H. Universidad de La Habana*

Ursula Lambert: Emancipation, prejuicio e interculturalidad en Cuba

**Ivan Roksandic**, *University of Winnipeg*

Migration and Exchange in Early Circum-Caribbean

**Elena Machado-Saez**, *Bucknell University*

La Bodega goes to Broadway: In the Heights and Transcultural Latinidad

#### I3 Marriott Kolibri Terrace

#### Cultural Representations and Creative Engagements

Reprezentasyon kiltirèl ak Angajman Kreyatif  
 Representaciones culturales y compromisos creativos

**Chair: Ivette Romero**, *Marist College*

"The Kingdom of this World": Scapegoats, Poisons, and Healing Haiti

**Antonia MacDonald**, *St. George's University*

Coming after Walcott. Vladimir Lucien's Sounding Ground

**Virginia Stewart**, *Roanoke College*

Babo's Speaking Silence: Haiti's Presence in Melville's Benito Cereno

**Sophie Pappenheim**, *University of California, Santa Cruz*

Angola peas, Congo cane: The Gardens of Simone Schwarz-Bart

## 14 Marriott Ayizan 1

### Haiti - Dominican Republic: Migration, Citizenship, Political Crisis

Ayiti - Repliblik Dominikèn: Migrasyon, Sitwayènte, Kriz politik  
Haiti, República Dominicana: Migración, ciudadanía y crisis política

**Alex Dupuy**, Wesleyan University

Unequal Development and the Labor Question in Haiti and the Dominican Republic

**Carolle Charles**, Baruch College, City University of New York

Haiti, Mirror or Flipside? The construction of race, nation and citizenship in the Dominican Republic

**Rachelle Doucet**, Independent Scholar, Activist

The Ruling TC-168-13 and the crisis between Haiti and the Dominican Republic.

**Robert Fatton**, The University of Virginia

Living in the Periphery of the Periphery: Haiti and the Dominican Republic

## 15 Marriott Ayizan 2

### Haitian Vodou, Identity, Aesthetics, and Sexuality

Vodou ayisyen, idantite, estetik ak seksyalite  
Vudú, identidad, estética y sexualidad en Haití

**Chair: Alexandra Cenatus**, University of Florida

Vodou and Haiti's Gender Construction

**Paul Mocombe**, The Mocombeian Foundation/West Virginia State University

The African-Americanization of the Black Diaspora in Globalization

**William A. Tringali**, Bridgewater State University

The Divine Protection of Erzulie Freda: Queerness and Vodou

**Nixon Cleophat**, Indiana University of Pennsylvania

Vodou Aesthetics: The Ground of Survival & Liberation in Haiti

## 16 OMRH Conference Room

### PERFORMANCE & VISUAL ARTS: The Aesthetics of Death and the Power and Uses of its Image (part II)

SPEKTAK AK LA VIZYÈL: Estetik Lanmò e Pouvwa ak itilizasyon imaj yo (dezyèm pati)

PERFORMANCE Y ARTES VISUALES: Estéticas de la muerte y el poder y usos de sus imágenes (parte 2)

**Yanique Hume**, University of the West Indies - Cave Hill

Death is a Festival: Afro-Atlantic Funeral Processions and the Multiple Iterations of Dancing for the Dead in Paramaribo, Suriname

**Katherine Smith**, New York University

Gede Beyond Haiti: Depicting the Dead of Others

**Petrina Dacres**, Edna Manley College of the Visual & Performing Arts

The Aestheticisation of Death in Jamaican Art

**Jerry Philogene**, Dickinson College

Dead Citizen, Social Death, and the Strategic Power of the Image

**Kyrah Daniels**, Harvard University

Mirrors as Mortuary Arts: Fragments of Glass, Flashes of Spirit

## 17 Marriott Kowosol

### Shifting Discourses of Sexuality in the Global Caribbean

Chanjman nan diskou sou seksyalite nan Karayib la  
Evolución de los discursos sobre sexualidad en el Caribe global

**Chair: Krystal Ghisyawan**, University of the West Indies, St Augustine, Trinidad

Migrant narratives: The returning gay Diaspora and sexuality discourses in Trinidad

**Nikoli Attai**, University of Toronto

Their Pride, Their Imperialism

**Jeannine Murray-Román**, Florida State University

Mujer y demás: Genderqueering Caribbean migration

## 18 Marriott Ayizan 3

### Staging a New "Créolité": Katherine Dunham's circum-Atlantic World

Mizansèn de yon nouvo tip de kreyolite : apwòch Katherine Dunham sou ansanm Atlantik la

La puesta en escena de una nueva creolidad: El mundo circumatlántico de Katherine Dunham

**Chair: Elina Djebbari, King's College London**

From Caribbean to West African Dances: Katherine Dunham and Negritude in 1960s

**Ananya Jahanara Kabir, King's College London**

The Bahiana of Illinois: Brazil in the Imagination of Katherine Dunham

**Madison Moore, King's College London**

SEDUCED: Sweat, Sexiness and the Dancing Creole Body, from Katherine Dunham to Beyoncé

**Leyneuf Tines, King's College London**

Activating the kinesthetic imagination: Katherine dunham, yanvalou and the solar plexus

## I10 Digicel 6th Floor Conference RmC

**Atelier - Corps médium**

Taller - Cuerpo Medium

Workshop -The Body as Medium

**Chair: Jephthé Carmil, Ph.D Student Université de Paris 7 -**

*Beaux-arts de Nantes*

**Pascale Obolo, Revue Afrikadaa Numéro 7**

**1:00 PM - 2:30 PM      LUNCH**

Lunch 2 / Comida 2 / Déjeuner 2 / Lontch 2

## I11 Marriott Kowosol

**PERFORMANCE Y ARTES VISUALES: Contacto 4º Lat N; 53º**

**Long 0, otro sueño americano.**

PERFORMANCE & VISUAL ARTS: Contact 4º -Lat N; 53º Long 0, another American Dream.

PERFORMANCE ET ARTS VISUELS: Contact 4º lat. N, 53º long. 0; un autre rêve américain

**Marcela Landazábal Mora, Doctorat Student in Latin-american studies at UNAM (México)**

**J Sessions 2:30 PM - 3:45 PM**

## J1 Marriott Ayizan 3

**Afro-Caribbean Spiritual Beliefs and Representations**

Kwayans ak reprezentasyon afro-karayibeen

Creencias espirituales y representaciones afro-caribeñas

**Chair: Neri Torres, The University of the West Indies**

Ago Oricha: con el Permiso de los Orichas

**Mariana Goycochea, CUNY Graduate Center**

Ancestral Mothers and Lwa in Elsie Augustave's The Roving Tree

**Marsha Jean-Charles, Cornell University**

"Ou sé Kat Identitem san Ou Cherí'm Pa Existé": Passage, Nostalgia, a Black Feminist Citizenship in Dyaspora Art

**Marshall Smith, Cornell University**

Everything Scatter: The Idea of Haiti in Circum-Caribbean Cultural Production

## J2 OMRH Conference Room

**Beyond Language Barriers and Caribbean Writers Responses**

Malgré des différences linguistiques, les écrivains caraïbes répondent à leurs sociétés

Más allá de las barreras lingüísticas, los escritores caribeños responden a sus sociedades

**Chair: Annie Paul, SALISES, UWI**

Writing in (and out of) the Caribbean

**Silke Jansen, University of Erlangen-Nürnberg (Germany)**

Négocier la différence à travers le langage

**Joseph McLaren, Hofstra University**

Marley and Kingston: Marlon James's A Brief History of Seven Killings

**Travis Weekes, Sir Arthur Lewis Community College**

The Making of a Creole City

## J5 Marriott Kolibri Terrace

**From Street Bands to "Boat People": Haiti and the Production of Space**

Depuis toujours jusqu'à "Boat People": Haïti et l'expansion des espaces De las pandillas callejeras a los Balseros: Haití y la producción de espacio

**Chair: Jeffrey Kahn, University of California, Davis**

Haitians at Sea: Boat Migration and the Limits of the Smuggler Trope

**Mathilde Perivier**, *École des Hautes Études en Sciences Sociales (EHESS Paris)*

Beyond the Stereotype of Street Disorder: Creation and Reordering of Place and Territory in Bann a Pye and Bann Rara Performances

**Lynn Selby**, *University of Texas, Austin*

Landscapes of Popular Politics in Port-au-Prince Before and After the Earthquake

**Elizabeth McAlister**, *Wesleyan University*

New Pentecostal Spiritual Geographies

## J6 Marriott Ayizan 2

### Féminisme Haïtien, Représentations hégémoniques et Gouvernementalité

Feminismo Haitiano: Representaciones hegemónicas y gobernabilidad

Haitian Feminism: Hegemonic Representations and Governmentality

**Chair: Sabine Lamour**, *UEH- Paris 8*

Femmes, ONGs et gouvernementalité en Haïti

**Célia Romulus**, *Université Queen's*

Imaginaires hégémoniques de féminités haïtiennes

**Denyse Côté**, *Université du Québec en Outaouais*

Le mouvement féministe haïtien face à l'aide et aux représentations occidentales

## J7 Digicel 6th Floor Conference Rm A

### On the Matter of Knowing in Afro-Caribbean Religions

Sou sijè konesans nan reliyon Afro Karibeen

Sobre la materia del conocimiento en las religiones afro-caribeñas

**Chair: Funlayo E. Wood**, *Harvard University*

From Kola to Coco: Obi and Knowing Across the Waters

**Khytie Brown**, *Harvard University*

Sweetness, Spirits and the Senses: Somatic Knowing in Jamaican Revival Zion Religion

**Lisa Osunleti Beckley-Roberts**, *Jackson State University*

Elders Can See Sitting What Children Can't See Standing: Ways of Gaining Knowledge in Lucumi

**J. Brent Crosson**, *University of Texas, Austin*

Obeah is/as Science

## J8 Digicel 6th Floor Conference Rm B

### Politically Committed Intellectuals in the Caribbean

Entèlekyèl angaje politikman nan Karayib la

Los intelectuales caribeños comprometidos

**Chair: Paul B. Miller**, *Vanderbilt University*

Modern Convergence: Firmin, Douglass, Martí and the Môle-Saint-Nicolas

**Patti Marxsen**, *Independent Scholar/Writer*

Jacques Roumain & Langston Hughes: A Haitian-American Friendship

**Estherine Adams**, *University of Guyana*

Sydney King [Eusi Kwayana]: The Genesis of a Guyanese Politician

**Jorge Emilio**, *Universidad de la Habana*

Enrique Camejo Argudín and the Cuban diplomacy in Haiti on the 1940s

## J9 Digicel 6th Floor Conference RmC

### Space Invaders: The Caribbean in the Black American Radical Imagination.

Anvayisè espas: Karayiben yo nan imaginasyon radikalism Ameriken Nwa a

Los Invasores del espacio: Los caribeños en el imaginario negro radical estadounidense

**Chair: Robyn Spencer**, *Lehman College*

Black Power Tricontinentalism in the US and the Caribbean

**Natanya Duncan**, *Lehigh University*

"A Haitian Negro of High Attainments": Haiti and Haitians in the Transnational Imaginings of Home in the Universal Negro Improvement Association

**Russell Rickford**, *Cornell University*

"Black Americans and Guyana in the 1970s: Seductions of the Nation-state"

**Annette Palmer**, *Morgan State University*

Evangelism, Resistance, and Identity in Nineteenth Century Trinidad

**K10 Marriott Ayizan 1****Why Haiti Needs New Narratives**

Por qué Haití necesita nuevas narrativas  
Poukisa Ayiti bezwen yon nouvo narativ

**Chair: Regine Ochine Jackson, Agnes Scott College**

The social function of public scholarship

**Nadège Ménard, École Normale Supérieure of Université d'État d'Haiti**

The practice and politics of translation

**Régine Jean-Charles, Boston College**

A black feminist intervention

**Gina Ulysse, Wesleyan University**

Response to Critic

**K Sessions 3:55 PM - 5:10 PM****K1 Digicel 6th Floor Conference Rm A****Caribbean Identities and Transnational Poetics**

Identidad carayibeyen ak powetik transnasyonal  
Identités caribéennes et poétiques transnationales

**Chair: Arnaldo Cruz-Malave, Fordham University**

The Coloniality of Diasporas by Yolanda Martinez-San Miguel  
Circuitos transnacionales en la escritura diasporica queer  
Boricua

**Tania Sairi Gómez Hernández, Universidad Nacional**

*Autónoma de México (UNAM)*

Aproximaciones a la diferencia y la alteridad en el Caribe

**Julio Gonzalez-Ruiz, Spelman College**

Transnacionalismo, hibridación cultural e identidades dominicanas en (trans)formación: Cristo Rey. Una isla, dos mundos  
(2013)

**Flor Pagan, University of Puerto Rico**

El bilingüismo poético de Tato Laviera y la identidad puertorriqueña

**K2 Marriott Kolibri Terrace****Carnival, Space Making, Politics, and Music**

Kanalval, kreyasyon espas, politik ak mizik

Carnaval, producción del espacio, política y música

**Chair: Erin MacLeod, Vanier College**

Queering Carnival: Soca and Safe Spaces in Jamaica

**Douglas-Wade Brunton, University of Michigan - Ph.D.**

Student

No Scene - An Ethnography of Musical Identity

**Laura Barrio-Vilar, University of Arkansas at Little Rock**

Carnival Performativity as the Solution to Caribbean Politics

**Karina Smith, Victoria University**

Claiming Caribbean Space: re-creating carnival in Melbourne, Australia

**K4 Marriott Ayizan 3****Interrogating Political Economies of Caribbean Sexualities - Part Two**

Interrogando las economías políticas de las sexualidades caribeñas - Parte 2

Kesonman sou ekonomi politik seksyalite karayiben - Dezyèn pati

**Chair: Keith McNeal, University of Houston**

Queer Refugeeism and the Political Economy of (Im)Mobility In and Out of Trinidad and Tobago

**Diana Fox, Bridgewater State University**

Collaborating with J-FLAG: Documenting Untold Stories of Resilience and Resistance Through Film

**Ary Gordien, Paris Descartes University**

The Paradoxical Popularization of Gay Social Identity in French West Indian Contexts

**Mark Padilla, Florida International University**

The LGBT Policy Vacuum for Drug Addiction and HIV Services in the Dominican Republic

**K5 Marriott Courtyard Pergola****LITERARY SALON (1) / SALÓN LITERARIO (1) / SALON LITTÉRAIRE (1)**

**Chair: Andrea Shaw, Nova Southeastern University**

**Lisa Allen-Agostini, Institute for Gender and Development Studies**

G&Ts and Rita Bloody Marley

**Zahra Gordon, Individual/Poet**

Rainy Season

**Fatimah Jackson-Best, University of Ottawa**

Giving Voice to Avril: Caribbean Women and Mental Illness

**James Noël**

**Pascale Monnin**

## K6 Digicel 6th Floor Conference RmC

### **Living in Precarity: Resilience and moral community in Cuba's Oriente**

Viv nan prekarte: Rezilyans ak moral kominotè nan Oriente Cuba

Vivir en la precariedad: Resistencia y comunidad moral en el Oriente de Cuba

**Chair: Kristina Wirtz, Western Michigan University**

Reconsidering socio-lismo under socialism in Cuban Carnival

**Hanna Garth, University of California-Irvine**

Food Access, Skin Color, and Inequality in Santiago de Cuba

**Grete Viddal, Tulane University**

Unruly Revolutionaries: Cuba's Haitian Diaspora and the Socialist Project

**Matthew Casey, University of Southern Mississippi**

Moral Economies of Work, Food and Love in the Twentieth Century Cuban Sugar Industry

## K7 Marriott Ayizan 1

### **Michel-Rolph Trouillot et la critique caribéenne de l'anthropologie**

Michel-Rolph Trouillot y la crítica caribeña de la antropología

Michel-Rolph Trouillot and the Caribbean critique of anthropology

**Chair: Espelencia Baptiste, Kalamazoo College**

The Caribbean as Critique: Michel Rolph Trouillot's Anthropology

**Co-Chair: Maud Laethier, URMIS-IRD**

**Jhon Picard Byron, Université d'Etat d'Haiti**

Michel Rolph Trouillot, lecteur de Jean Price-Mars

**Bettina Ng'wenyo, University of California, Davis**

Travelling ideas: Thinking Michel-Rolph Trouillot Beyond the Caribbean

## K8 OMRH Conference Room

### **Migratory roots and routes of music of the Caribbean diaspora**

Raíces migratorias y caminos musicales en la diáspora del Caribe

Rasin migratwa ak chemen mizikal dyaspora karayibeen an

**Chair: Meagan Sylvester, The University of the West Indies, St. Augustine Campus**

Breaking the Rules at Carnival Time : Narratives of Resistance in Trinidad's Carnival Music

**Chanzo Greenidge, Independent Researcher**

Diamond Minds- Documenting 50 Stories of Caribbean Migration and Transnationalism

**Helene Zamor, The University of the West Indies, Cavehill Campus, Barbados**

The popularity of Konpa Music

## K9 Marriott Kowosol

### **Round-Table - Re-consecrating Popular Soundscapes: When the Lakou Goes Digital**

Mesa Redonda - Nueva consagración de los espacios sonoros populares: Cuando el Lakou se hace digital

Tabwonn - Re-konsakre espas sonò popilè yo: Kan Lakou a vin digital

**Chair: Manolia Charlotin, Oumfo / The Media Consortium**

Kwaze Tanbou: Haiti's Sonic Ambassadors and the Evolution of the Drum in Digital Soundscapes

**Ayinde Jean-Baptiste, Oumfo**

The DJ as Ountogi: Ancient technologies re-sound

**Sabine Blaizin, OyaSound**

The Future Ginen World of OyaSound

**K10 Marriott Ayizan 2****Tourism, Celebrities, and Piracy in Contemporary Caribbean Discourses**

Turismo, celebridades y piratas en los discursos caribeños actuales

Tourism, celebrite ak pirat nan diskou kontanporen Karayib la

**Chair:** **Faith Smith**, *Brandeis University*

**Anita Waters**, *Dennison University*

Morality and Maritime Robbery in Caribbean Public History

**Valerie Kaussen**, *University of Missouri*

Swashbuckling Humanitarianism in Haiti: Disaster Capitalism and Celebrity

**Sheri-Marie Harrison**, *University of Missouri*

Celebrities and Samolans or the Hollywood Jet-set and the Making of a Nation

**Leah Rosenberg**, *University of Florida*

A Pirate's Daughter: Rethinking Piracy, Nation, & Jamaican Literature"

**5:10 PM - 5:20 PM**

**Afternoon Break 2 / Receso Vespertino 2/Pause Café/  
Poz kafé 2**

**L Sessions 5:20 PM - 6:35 PM****L1 Marriott Ayizan 2****After Disenchantment: Rethinking Caribbean Political Concepts**

Tras el desencanto: Repensando los conceptos políticos en el Caribe

Apre desepsyon: Repanse konsèp politik yo nan Karayib la

**Chair:** **Yarimar Bonilla**, *Rutgers University*

**Louis Philippe Romer**, *New York University*

Island of Disenchantment: sovereignty and the affective heuristics of failure in Curaçao

**Eman Morsi**, *New York University*

Marooned Nation: Trope Reversals in Alberto Pedro Torriente's play Manteca

**Ryan Jobson, Yale University**

Deepwater Sovereignty: Offshore Extractivism and Postcolonial Statecraft in Trinidad and Tobago

**L2 Marriott Ayizan 3****Assessing the Impact of Haile Selassie's Trip to the Caribbean in 1966**

Evaluando el impacto del viaje de Haile Selassie al Caribe en 1966

Evalye enpak vwayaj Haile Selassie nan Karayib la an 1966

**Chair:** **Michael Barnett**, *University of the West Indies*

Assessing the Impact of Haile Selassie's Trip to the Caribbean in 1966

**Scott Parker**, *Sierra College*

The Torch of Wisdom Aloft: Haile Selassie and Afro-Repatriation

**Jahlani Niaah**, *University of the West Indies*

The Significance of Haile Selassie's visit to Haiti, Trinidad and Jamaica

**Jake Homiak**, *Smithsonian Institute*

The Lion Steps forth: The unprecedented State Visit of Haile Selassie to the Caribbean

**Trojean Burrell**, *University of the West Indies, Mona*

The Significance of Haile Selassie's visit to Haiti, Trinidad and Jamaica

**L4 Marriott Kowosol****FILM TRACK - Black and Cuba**

SÉANCE CINÉMA-VÍDEO - Black and Cuba

PREZANTASYON FIM : Nwa e Kiba

**Robin Hayes**, *The New School*

**L5 Marriott Kolibri Terrace****Haitian Migrants: Challenges, Categorization, and Rebuilding**

Migrantes haitianos: Desafíos, categorizaciones y reconstrucción

Imigran ayisen: defi, kategorizasyon ak rekonstriksyon

**Chair: Karen Flynn**, *University of Illinois, Urbana-Champaign*  
Race, the state, and Haitian women in Canada

**Hyacinth Miller**, *Rutgers, The State University of New Jersey*  
"Transnational Migration and Haitians in the United States: A Demographic Report"

**Terry Ann Jones**, *Fairfield University*  
Migrants, Refugees, and the Politics of Immigrant Categorization

**Eliezer Marcellus**, *Rutgers, the State University of New Jersey*-  
From Ashes to Recovery: The Haitian Diaspora and the Rebuilding of Haiti

## L6 Marriott Courtyard Pergola

### Narrating the Haitian Diaspora

Narrando la diáspora haitiana  
Detaye dyaspora ayisyèn la

**Chair: Laura Lomas**, *Rutgers University Newark*

**Mara de Gennaro**, *ICLS Columbia University and Gallatin School*  
The Transnationalist Art of Narrating a Massacre

**Sophie Mariñez**, *Borough of Manhattan Community College*  
The Quisqueya Diaspora: The Emergence of Latina/o Literature from Hispaniola

**Josée Valcourt**, *Rutgers University-Newark*  
The Hibiscus Project

## L7 Marriot Foyer

### PERFORMANCE Y ARTES VISUALES: Korimakao Presenta: "Memorias del cieno"

PERFORMANCE & VISUAL ARTS: Korimakao Presents:  
"Memories from the Mire"  
PERFORMANCE ET ARTS VISUELS: Korimakao présente:  
"Mémoires de la boue"

**Yander Roche**, *Conjunto Artístico*

## L8 Digicel 6th Floor Conference Rm B

### Reverberating (R)evolutions: Re-membering in Haitian Literatures

Ecos de Revolución: Recordar en las literaturas haitianas  
Rezonans revolisyon: rafrechi memwa nan literati ayisyen

**Marsha Jean-Charles**, *Cornell University*  
"Ou sé Kat Identitem san Ou Chéri'm Pa Existé": Passage, Nostalgie, a Black Feminist Citizenship in Dyaspora Art

**Marshall Smith**, *Cornell University*  
Everything Scatter: The Idea of Haiti in Circum-Caribbean Cultural Production

## L9 Marriott Ayizan 1

### The International Reach of Afro-Caribbean Religious Roots

El alcance internacional de las raíces religiosas afro-caribeñas  
Ekstansyon entènasyonal rasin reliyion Afro karayibeen yo

**Chair: LeGrace Benson**, *Journal of Haitian Studies*  
Vodou and White Southern Cultures: Parallels and Conjunctions

**Bamidele Agbasegbe Demerson**, *Southern University at New Orleans Museum Studies Program*  
African Makandal's Pharmacopeia of Revolt

**Toni Pressley-Sanon**, *Eastern Michigan University*  
A wedding in Haiti: Ezili, Haiti and the Dominican Republic

## L10 Digicel Conference Room A

### Caribbean Representations and Art Forms

Reprezantasyon karayibeen ak fòm atisitk  
Représentations caribéennes et formes artistiques

**Chair: Yanick St Jean**, *NorthWest Arkansas Community College (NWACC)*  
Transnational Hispaniola: Counter-frame: response to representations of Haiti in the Dominican Republic

**Elizabeth DeLoughrey**, *UCLA*  
Outer Spaces: Caribbean Arts Beyond Earth

**Doris Posch**, *New York University/US, Film Academy Vienna, University of Vienna/Austria*  
Moving Images/Imaginaries of Haiti and de-Westernizing Film Cultures

**Tamara Stevens, Bridgewater State University**  
Caribbean Folklore: Sustaining the Future Through Tales of the Past

**6:30 PM**

**Gingerbread Houses Tour with ACURIL & FOKAL**

Vizit Kay jinjèbrèd ak ACURIL & FOKAL

Visite des maisons de style Gingerbread avec ACURIL et FOKAL

(*meet in Marriott Lobby, sign up at Secretariat*)

**7:30 PM - 8:30 PM**

**Meet & Greet - Association of Caribbean Women Writers & Scholars (ACWWS)**

Encuentros y Saludos - Asociacion de las Profesoras y Escritoras Caribenas (ACWWS)

Rencontres - Association des Universitaires et Écrivaines Caraïbennes (ACWWS)

Rankont - Asosyasyon Fanm Pwofesè ak Ekiven Karayib (ACWWS)

- Association of Caribbean Women Writers & Scholars (ACWWS) – Marriott Restaurant La Sirène
- Haitian Studies Association (HSA) – Marriott Ayizan Terrace
- Small Axe Celebration – Marriot Courtyard Pergola
- Transnational Hispaniola Group – Marriott Foyer

