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**EDUCATION**

- 2020            Doctor of Philosophy  
                  Washington University in St. Louis  
                  Brown School of Social Work  
                  Dissertation: *Racism-based Trauma and  
                  Policing among Black Emerging Adults*
- 2014            University of Illinois at Chicago  
                  Master of Social Work  
                  Concentration: *Mental Health*  
                  Specialization: *Trauma*
- 2013            Northeastern Illinois University  
                  Bachelor of Social Work  
                  Minor: *African/African American Studies*

**RESEARCH INTERESTS**

Community Violence  
Trauma  
Policing  
Racism  
Behavioral & Mental Health  
Black Males  
Emerging Adults ages 18-29

**TEACHING INTERESTS**

Research Methods: Quantitative & Qualitative  
Program Evaluation  
Racism-based Trauma  
Human Behavior in Social Environment  
Community-based Participatory Research  
Race and Ethnicity  
Community Violence  
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## COMPETITIVE GRANTS, FELLOWSHIPS, SCHOLARSHIPS, AND AWARDS

- 2019-2021 National Institute on Minority Health and Health Disparities Ruth L. Kirchstein National Research Service Award Individual Pre-doctoral Fellowship Award (F31MD013386; \$60,936).
- 2019 Fahs-Beck Fund for Research and Experimentation Doctoral Dissertation Grant Award (\$5,000).
- 2019 Researcher Resiliency Training Program Fellowship, National Institute of Mental Health (R25MH118935; \$4,000) Principal Investigators: Mary McKay PhD, Sean Joe, PhD, Fred Ssewamala, PhD.
- 2018 Highest oral presentation score for the Society for the Analysis of African American Public Health Issues Annual Scientific Symposium & Poster Session. San Diego, CA (\$100).
- 2018 Edward A. Bouchet Graduate Honor Society. Washington University in St. Louis, MO.
- 2014-2017 Pre-doctoral Training Program, National Institute of Mental Health T32 Training Program (NIMH T32 MH019960; \$70,140) Principal Investigator: Enola Proctor PhD.
- 2013-2014 Post-Baccalaureate Fellowship, Diversifying Higher Education Faculty in Illinois (DFI), University of Illinois at Chicago, Chicago, IL (\$22,400).
- 2013 Summer Research Opportunities Program (SROP), University of Illinois at Chicago, Chicago, IL (\$3,750).
- 2013 Scholarly Research and Academic Excellence Award. University of Illinois at Chicago, Chicago, IL
- 2013 National Association of Black Social Workers Chicago Chapter Scholarship, Chicago, IL (\$1,000).
- 2012-2013 Ronald E. McNair Scholar Program, Northeastern Illinois University, Chicago, IL (\$2,800).
- 2013 Ronald E. McNair Scholarly Research and Academic Excellence Award, Northeastern Illinois University, Chicago, IL.
- 2012-2013 Minority Internship Award, Chicago State University, Chicago, IL (\$4,000)
- 2012 Northeastern Illinois University, College of Arts and Sciences Summer Faculty/Student Research Grant (\$1,000).

- 2011-2013 Northeastern Illinois University Dean's List Award, Chicago, IL
- 2011-2013 Northeastern Illinois University College of Arts and Science Academic Scholarship, Chicago, IL (\$5,000).
- 2010 Harold Washington College Phi Theta Kappa – Mu Pi Chapter Honor Society, Chicago, IL

## **RESEARCH EXPERIENCE**

- 2019-present *Research Assistant*. HomeGrown StL: Navigating Resource-Constrained Systems and Communities to Promote the Behavioral Health of Black Youth. Brown School, Washington University in St. Louis, MO.  
Funding: National Institutes of Health (1R01MH116895-01A1)  
Principal Investigator: Mary McKay, PhD, Sean Joe, PhD (Co-PI)  
Duties: Facilitate focus groups to inform and develop training protocol for HomeGrown StL Life-coaches; submitted and monitored human subjects research protocols for IRB; manage data collection tools for study.
- 2019 *Research Assistant*. Analyzing outcomes for African American breast cancer patients & caregivers. Brown School, Washington University in St. Louis, MO.  
Funding: American Cancer Society (MRSO-19-086-01-CPPB)  
Principal Investigator: Tess Thompson, PhD  
Duties: Facilitate focus groups with spouses/partners of African American women with breast cancer to better understand their experiences as caregivers, their perspectives on patient/caregiver resources, and their experiences of racism/discrimination during their spouse/partner's cancer treatment.
- 2019 *Project Manager*, HomeGrown STL: Mentoring Alliance. Brown School, Washington University in St. Louis.  
Funding: Office of Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention (2017-MU-MU-K006)  
Principal Investigator: Sean Joe, PhD  
Duties: Coordinate and implement all aspects of human subjects' research protocols for IRB; protocols for participant recruitment, data collection and management, data analysis, and dissemination of research findings.
- 2018-2019 *Project Manager*. HomeGrown STL: Healing Policies for Black Male Development. Brown School, Washington University in St. Louis  
Funding: Deaconess Foundation (1620-17450)  
Principal Investigator: Sean Joe, PhD  
Duties: Coordinate and implement all aspects of human subjects' research protocols for IRB; protocols for participant recruitment, data collection and management, data analysis, and dissemination of research findings.

- 2016-2017 *Research Consultant*. Understanding the Violent Victimization Experiences of Young Men of Color. University of Illinois at Chicago, IL.  
Funding: National Institute of Justice (2015-VF-GX-K031)  
Principal Investigator: Henrika McCoy, PhD  
Duties: Facilitate focus groups with young Black men to better understand their experiences with violence victimization in order to develop an instrument that captures the victimization experiences of urban, suburban, and rural young Black men between the ages of 18 to 24.
- 2015-present *Lab Manager*, Race and Opportunity Lab.  
Brown School of Social Work, Washington University in St. Louis, MO.  
Principal Investigator: Sean Joe, PhD  
Duties: Community engagement, project planning, project management, supervision of undergraduate/graduate/post-doc research assistants, facilitating training and weekly lab meetings, as well as overseeing all administrative duties within the lab.
- 2015-2017 *Research Assistant*. HomeGrown StL. Brown School, Washington University in St. Louis, MO.  
Principal Investigator: Sean Joe, PhD  
Duties: Co-facilitated several convenings of service providers focused on accelerating their access to knowledge of evidence-based practices for engaging with Black boys and young men; Assisted in the development and implementation of the HomeGrown StL My Brother's Keep Ambassadors to train a cohort of Black boys and young men to engage and assist Black boys and young men in improving their upward mobility; Coordinate and implement all aspects of human subjects' research protocols for IRB; protocols for participant recruitment, data collection and management, data analysis, and dissemination of research findings.
- 2015 *Research Assistant*. Concordance Institute. Brown School, Washington University in St. Louis, MO.  
Principal Investigator: Carrie Pettus-Davis, PhD  
Duties: Conduct systematic literature reviews to identify and synthesize results from studies that examine lifetime traumatic experiences for men involved in the criminal justice system and existing trauma-informed interventions for this population, which informed the development and publication of a conceptual paper entitled "*Proposing a population-specific intervention approach to treat trauma among men during and after incarceration.*"
- 2014-2015 *Research Assistant*. Strengthening Relationships between Young Fathers and Their Children: A Reentry Mentoring Project. Brown School, Washington University in St. Louis, MO.  
Funding: Office of Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention (2014-IG-BX-0005)  
Principal Investigator: Carrie Pettus-Davis, PhD

Duties: Coordinate and implement all aspects of human subjects' research protocols for IRB; protocols for participant recruitment, data collection and management, data analysis, and dissemination of research findings.

2013 *Principal Investigator.* Community Violence, Self-Efficacy, and PTSD Symptoms Among African American Adolescents Living in an Urban Community. Summer Research Opportunities Program, University of Illinois at Chicago, Chicago, IL.

Funding: Graduate College at the University of Illinois University at Chicago  
Duties: Coordinate and implement all aspects of human subjects' research protocols for IRB; protocols for participant recruitment, data collection and management, data analysis, and dissemination of research findings.

2013 *Principal Investigator.* The Silent Statistic: A Study of African American Men Returning to College. Ronald E. McNair Scholar Program, Northeastern Illinois University, Chicago, IL.

Funding: U.S. Department of Education

Duties: Coordinate and implement all aspects of human subjects' research protocols for IRB; protocols for participant recruitment, data collection and management, data analysis, and dissemination of research findings.

## TEACHING EXPERIENCE

2021-Spring *Teaching Fellow,* Trauma of Policing Among Marginalized Populations, Brown School of Social Work, Washington University in St. Louis.

2020-Fall *Guest Lecturer.* PhD Colloquium I, School of Social Work, Louisiana State University School of Social Work.

2020-Fall *Guest Lecturer.* Principles of Clinical Intervention in Health, Brown School of Social Work, Washington University in St. Louis.

2016-Spring *Teaching Assistant.* Evaluation of Programs and Services, Brown School of Social Work, Washington University in St. Louis.

2015-Fall *Teaching Assistant.* Evaluation of Programs and Services, Brown School of Social Work, Washington University in St. Louis.

2015-Spring *Teaching Assistant.* Evaluation of Programs and Services, Brown School of Social Work, Washington University in St. Louis.

## PUBLICATIONS AND REPORTS

**Motley, R. O., Jr.,** Finner, A., Walker, M., & Joe, S. (2020, June). Accountable policing: Policies to advance the personal safety of Black boys and young men (Race and Opportunity Lab Brief Report No. 3). St. Louis, MO: Washington University, Center for Social

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Development, Race and Opportunity Lab. <https://doi.org/10.7936/b0kj-hn71>

**Motley, R.**, Chen, Y. C., Johnson, C., & Joe, S. (2020). Exposure to community-based violence on social media among black male emerging adults involved with the criminal justice system. *Social Work Research*, 44(2), 87-97. <https://doi.org/10.1093/swr/svaa002>

Joe, S., **Motley, R.**, Ivory, A., Finner, A., & Frederick, J. (2019). Healing policies for Black boys and young men in St. Louis (Race and Opportunity Lab Brief Report No. 2). St. Louis, MO: Washington University, Center for Social Development, Race and Opportunity Lab. <https://doi.org/10.7936/a3gh-8d26>

Pettus-Davis., C., Renn, T., Lacasse, J. & **Motley, R.** (2019). Proposing a population-specific intervention approach to treat trauma among men before and after incarceration. *Psychology of Men and Masculinity*. doi:10.1037/men0000171.

Joe, S., & **Motley, R.** (2019). Social mobility: The necessary focus of St. Louis investment in Black males (Race and Opportunity Lab Brief Report No. 1). St. Louis, MO: Washington University, Center for Social Development, Race and Opportunity Lab. <https://doi.org/10.7936/s7h3-ct03>

**Motley, R.** & Banks, A. (2018). Black males, trauma, and mental health service Use: A systematic review. *Perspectives on Social Work*, 14(1), 4-19.

**Motley, R.**, & Joe, S. (2018). Police use of force by ethnicity, sex, and socioeconomic class. *Journal of the Society for Social Work and Research*, 9(1), 49-67.

**Motley, R.**, Sewell, W., & Chen, Y.C. (2017). Community violence exposure and risk-taking behaviors among black emerging adults: A systematic review. *Journal of Community Health*, 42(5), 1069-1078.

## **PUBLICATIONS UNDER REVIEW**

**Motley, R.**, Chen, Y., Masood, Y., Finner, A., & Joe, S. Prevalence and Correlates of Police Contact Anxiety among Black Emerging Adults.

**Motley, R.**, & Joe, S. Who do Black Emerging Adults Rely on for their Personal Safety? The Role of Exposure to Police use of Force and Police Legitimacy.

**Motley, R.**, Walker, M., Carlton, D., & Joe, S. Black Students Perceptions of the Presence and Practices of School Resource Officers: A Systematic Review.

## **PUBLICATIONS IN PROGRESS**

**Motley, R.**, Clifton, M., Carlton, D., Finner, A., & Joe, S. Utilizing Focus Groups, Cognitive Interviews, and a Content Expert Panel to Development Survey Items Capturing Direct and Indirect Exposure to Perceived Racism-Based Police use of Force for Black Emerging Adults.

**Motley, R.,** Chen, Y., & Finner, A. Adverse Mental Health Outcomes for Black Emerging Adults: Does the type of Exposure to Police Violence Matter?

Joe, S., **Motley, R.,** Smith, S., Tan, J., & Azasu, E. Homeownership among Black Males in the St. Louis Region.

Joe, S., **Motley, R.,** Sullivan, H., & BeLue, R. Home Grown STL: A Place-Based, Community Science Model to Promote the Well-Being of Black Boys

## **RESEARCH AND COMMENTARY IN THE MEDIA**

IV. Defunding The Police. Globe, November 22, 2020

St. Louis County Police commander responds to Dr. L.J. Punch's suggestions on use-of-force policies. St. Louis American, August 26, 2020

Would These 5 Changes Make Policing More Equitable? Futurity, July 1, 2020

WashU Expert: Explaining push to 'defund police'. theSOURCE, June 9, 2020

The Complicated Relationship Between Black Americans and the Mental Health Care System, Thrive Global, June 5, 2020

The Trauma of Racism, Psychology Today, June 4, 2020

How Sharing Images of Violence Against Black People Damages Their Mental Health, Well + Good, June 1, 2020

Study examines black male youth reactions to social media videos of community violence, theSOURCE May 28, 2020

Odds Stacked Against Many Young Black Men, The Famuan, March 5, 2020

Nipsey Hussle was a bookworm. Now black men are finding inspiration in what he read, Los Angeles Times, January 5, 2020

Jaco Report: Psych tests, licenses and firings. Cures for racism among police? METROSTL.COM, June 7, 2019

Doctoral candidate receives grants to study racism-based trauma, Center for Social Development, May 22, 2019

St. Louis must invest in young, black males to grow, The St. Louis American, February 14, 2019

Study Finds That Police Are More Likely to Use Force Against Higher Income Black Women The Journal of Blacks in Higher Education, February 26, 2018

## PEER-REVIEWED PRESENTATIONS

- 2020 T. Thompson, J. Coats, M. Croston, **R. Motley**, G. Colditz, A. King, A. James. “I didn’t think about me”: Perspectives on supportive resources for informal caregivers of Black breast cancer patients. Accepted for oral presentation at the Siteman Cancer Research Symposium. St. Louis, MO.
- 2020 **Motley, R.**, Walker, M., Carlton, D., & Joe, S. Impact of School Resource Officers on Black Middle and High School Students: A Systematic Review. Accepted for poster presentation at the Annual Meeting of the American Society of Criminology, which was to be held in November of 2020 in Washington, D.C. but was cancelled due to the COVID-19 issues.
- 2019 **Motley, R.**, Chen, Y. C., Johnson, C., & Joe, S. Exposure to Community-Based Violence via Social Media Among Black Male Emerging Adults Involved with the Criminal Justice System. Poster presentation at the Society for the Analysis of African American Public Health Issues Annual Scientific Symposium & Poster Session. Philadelphia, PA.
- 2018 Joe, S., **Motley, R.**, Sullivan, H., & BeLue, R. Home Grown STL: A Place-Based, Community Science Model to Promote the Well-Being of Black Males. Oral presentation at the Society for the Analysis of African American Public Health Issues Annual Scientific Symposium & Poster Session. San Diego, CA.
- 2017 **Motley, R.**, & Joe, S. Exposure to Police-use-of-force: Perceptions of force used among Black US Citizens by Sex and Socioeconomic Class. Oral presentation at the American Public Health Association Annual Meeting & Expo. Atlanta, GA.
- 2017 Banks, A., & **Motley, R.** Black Men, Trauma, and Mental Health Service Use: A Systematic Review. Oral presentation at the Society for Social Work and Research (SSWR) 21st Annual Conference. New Orleans, LA.
- 2017 **Motley, R.**, & Joe, S. Police-Use-of-Force By Ethnicity and Socioeconomic Class. Oral presentation at the Society for Social Work and Research (SSWR) 21st Annual Conference. New Orleans, LA.
- 2016 **Motley, R.** Sewell, W., & Chen, Y. Community Violence Exposure and Risk-Taking Behaviors Among Black Emerging Adults: A Systematic Review. Poster presentation at the Institute for Public Health’s 9th Annual Conference. St. Louis, MO.
- 2015 **Motley, R.** Assault Victims on College Campuses: A need for Violence and Injury prevention. Oral presentation at the Society for the Study of Emerging Adults (SSEA) Seventh Biennial Conference on Emerging Adulthood. Miami, FL.



- 2013 **Motley, R., & Nebbitt, V. E.** Community Violence, Self-Efficacy, and PTSD Symptoms Among African American Adolescents Living in an Urban Community. Oral presentation at the Illinois Summer Research Symposium, Urbana-Champaign, IL.
- 2013 **Motley, R.** Consumer Operated Drop-in Center: Making a Difference in the Lives of Individuals Living with a Mental Illness. Oral presentation at the Twenty-first Annual Student Research & Creative Activities Symposium, Chicago, IL.
- 2013 **Motley, R., & Ngwe, J.** The Silent Statistic: A Study of African American Men Returning to College. Oral presentation at the Fifteenth Annual Texas National McNair Scholars Research Conference, Denton, TX.

### INVITED PRESENTATIONS

- 2021 Motley, R., Carlton, D., Walker, M., & Joe, S. Black Students Perceptions of Their Interactions with School Resource Officers: A Systematic Review. An invited virtual presentation for the 25<sup>th</sup> annual conference of the Society for Social Work and Research (SSWR). Zoom Video Communications.
- 2020 Motley, R. & Joe, S. Racism, Violence, and Mental Health. An invited virtual presentation for the National Suicide Prevention Lifeline and Vibrant Emotional Health. Zoom Video Communications.
- 2019 Motley, R. Pros & Cons to submitting an F-31 Grant Application: The Grant Process. An invited presentation for the Center for Mental Health Services Research T-32 Training Program Fellows at Washington University in St. Louis Brown School. St. Louis, MO.
- 2019 Motley, R., Marietta, M., Hardin-Bartley, S., Luft, E., & Shegog, F. Trauma-Informed Teaching: How Gun Violence and Childhood Adversity Impact the K-12 Student Experience. An invited panel presentation for Washington University in St. Louis Each One Teach One and Gephardt Institute for Civic and Community Engagement. St. Louis, MO.
- 2019 Motley, R., Joe, S., Brummund, M., & Khazaeli, J. Five Years after Ferguson: Activism, Academia, and Law Enforcement after Ferguson. An invited panel presentation for Washington University in St. Louis Black Law Student Association and Criminal Law Society. St. Louis, MO.
- 2019 Motley, R., Anderson, R., Jackson, A., & Opobo, T. Community Violence Exposure, Racism, and Substance Use among Black Emerging Adults. An invited panel presentation for SMART Africa 4<sup>th</sup> Annual Conference on Child Behavioral Health in Sub-Saharan Africa: Bridging the Gap between Research, Implementation, and Policy. Masaka, Uganda.

- 2018 Motley, R., Hedwig, L., Ward, G., & Flores, J. The Color of Policing Symposium (COPS): Youth, Education and Activism. An invited panel presentation for the Edward and Ilene Katz Lowenthal Symposium Series, Washington University in St. Louis, MO.
- 2018 Motley, R. McNair Scholars Program Grad Panel Mixer. An invited panel presentation for the Ronald E McNair Scholars Program, Saint Louis University, St. Louis, MO.
- 2018 Motley, R. Perceptions of Police Use of Force during Street Stops among Black U.S. Residents. Presenter at the Black Student Union 1st Annual Black Excellence Conference. Brown School of Social Work at Washington University in St. Louis, MO.
- 2018 Motley, R. Regional Partnership for Neighborhood Stabilization. Presenter at the HomeGrown STL Annual Summit “Examining the State of Opportunity for Black Boys and Young Men in St. Louis City and County. Washington University in St. Louis, MO.
- 2017 Motley, R., Grier, A., & Carter, C. 13<sup>th</sup> Viewing and Panel. A panel discussion for the Brown School Committee for Diversity. Washington University in St. Louis, MO.
- 2017 Motley, R. Thoughts on Black History and what it means to me. An oral presentation for the Black Student Union: Black History from the PhD Student Perspective event. Washington University in St. Louis, MO.
- 2016 Motley, R. Black Men, Trauma, and Community Policing. An oral presentation for Center for Youth on the Rise Treatment Team Meeting for comprehensive staffing of high needs clients and professional development. St. Louis, MO.
- 2016 Motley, R., & Sean, J. Community Policing Among Black Males in America: Implications for Research, Practice, and Policy. An oral presentation for the HomeGrown STL Networking Breakfast at Brown School of Social Work. Washington University in St. Louis, MO.
- 2015 Joe, S., Motley, R., Sewell, W., & Banks, A. The Definition of Race, History of Science and Race, and Implications for Future Research Involving Racial Statistics. An oral presentation for the Brown Bag discussion at Brown School of Social Work. Washington University in St. Louis, MO.
- 2014 Motley, R. Navigating the Graduate Program Campus Visit. An invited panel presentation for the Graduate Pathways to Success Workshop Series. University of Illinois at Chicago, IL.
- 2014 Motley, R. National Professional Social Work Month: Social Workers Reaching Out and Touching Lives. An invited panel presentation for the School of Social Work, Northeastern Illinois University, Chicago, IL.

- 2014 Motley, R. Looking Toward the Future: Going Beyond the Baccalaureate. An invited lecture for the Annual McNair Program Dinner, Northeastern Illinois University, Chicago, IL.
- 2012 Motley, R. How to Jumpstart the Tutoring Process. A roundtable presentation for the Chicagoland Writing Centers Association's Winter Gathering, DePaul University, Chicago, IL.

## **UNIVERSITY AND PROFESSIONAL SERVICE**

- 2020-Aug PhD Program Ambassador. Brown School, Washington University in St. Louis.
- 2019 Panelist, Preparing for Doctoral Qualifying Exam for 2<sup>nd</sup> year Doctoral Students. Brown School, Washington University in St. Louis.
- 2019 Volunteer, Washington University in St. Louis Brown School Booth. American Public Health Association Annual Meeting and Expo. PA
- 2019 Co-Facilitator, HomeGrown STL My Brother's Keeper Ambassadors Grant Supportive Workshop. Brown School, Washington University in St. Louis.
- 2019-Feb Moderator, HomeGrown STL 3<sup>rd</sup> Regional Summit on Black Boys and Young Men: Building Capacity for Community & Systems Change, Brown School, Washington University in St. Louis.
- 2018-June Co-Facilitator, HomeGrown STL "Round Table of Service Providers Standing-Up for Black Boys and Young Men" breakfast meeting. Brown School, Washington University in St. Louis.
- 2018-June Panelist, Steps to Graduate School for St. Louis University McNair Scholars, Washington University in St. Louis.
- 2018-May Volunteer, Washington University in St. Louis All Black Graduation Ceremony, St. Louis, Mo.
- 2018-March Panelist, Brown School PhD Student Panel Q&A with Candidates, Washington University in St. Louis.
- 2017-present Kinship Leader, Ujamaa, Brown School, Washington University in St. Louis.
- 2017-May Mentor. Mathews-Dickey Boys & Girls Club Maleness to Manhood Workshop Series and Scholarship Luncheon. St. Louis, Mo.

- 2017-Feb Moderator, HomeGrown STL Strategic Networking Breakfast “Healing Policies for Black Boys and Young Men in the St. Louis Region” panel discussion, Brown School, Washington University in St. Louis.
- 2017-Feb PhD Program Ambassador. Brown School, Washington University in St. Louis.
- 2017-Feb Moderator, HomeGrown STL Inaugural Summit “Black Boys and Young Men Speak Out” panel discussion, Brown School, Washington University in St. Louis.
- 2017-Jan Co-Facilitator, Black Men in Brown Professional Development Group, Washington University in St. Louis.
- 2016-Sept Volunteer, Young, Gifted & @Risk: Promoting the Mental Health and Emotional Well-Being of Young People of Color Third Annual Conference. Brown School, Washington University in St. Louis.
- 2016-Sept Volunteer, Let’s Start the Music Annual Gala for formerly incarcerated women St. Louis, MO.
- 2015-2016 Co-Facilitator, PhD Pro-Seminar Coordinating Committee, Brown School, Washington University in St. Louis.
- 2015-present Co-Facilitator, HomeGrown STL Quarterly Networking Breakfast Events, Brown School of Social Work, Washington University in St. Louis.
- 2015-present Co-Facilitator, Journal Club on Race & Science Brown Bag Discussion Series, Brown School, Washington University in St. Louis.
- 2014-Aug Volunteer, PhD Pro-Seminar for the Society for Black Student Welfare (SBSW), Washington University in St. Louis.
- 2014-Aug Volunteer, Community Service Day, Brown School, Washington University in St. Louis.
- 2013-Oct Co-facilitator, McNair Graduate School Panel Discussion, Northeastern Illinois University.

**PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE**

- 2016-present **Brown School, Washington University in St. Louis**  
Field Instructor
- 2015-present **Race and Opportunity Lab, Washington University in St. Louis.**  
Lab Manager

- 2013-2014    **Gateway Foundation, Day Reporting Center**  
Counselor, Internship
- 2012-2013    **Trilogy, Inc., Behavioral Healthcare**  
Intake Worker, Internship
- 2010-2014    **Inner Voice, Inc.**  
Caseworker Aide, Internship

### **PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATION**

Member, American Public Health Association (APHA)  
Member, Council on Social Work Education (CSWE)  
Member, Society for Social Work and Research (SSWR)  
Member, Society for the Study of Emerging Adulthood (SSEA)  
Member, Society for African American Public Health Issues (SAAPHI)  
Affiliate, Washington University in St. Louis Center for Violence and Injury Prevention (CVIP)

### **EDITORIAL & JOURNAL POSITIONS**

- 2020            Reviewer of Abstracts, Student Assembly program of the American Public Health Association 2020 Annual Meeting & Expo.
- 2019            Reviewer of Abstracts, 2019 Society for the Analysis of African American Public Health Issues Scientific Symposium & Poster Session.
- 2018-present    External Reviewer, Journal of Urban Health
- 2018            Reviewer of Abstracts, Mental Health program of the American Public Health Association 2018 Annual Meeting & Expo.
- 2016-present    External Reviewer, Perspectives on Social Work: The Journal of the Doctoral Students of the University of Houston.