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**Curriculum Vitae**  
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**Education**

Ph.D. University of Washington, Seattle, Washington, 1993  
Major: Demography                      Minor: Urban History

M.A. University of Washington, Seattle, Washington, 1990  
Major: Criminology

B.S. University of Washington, Seattle, Washington, 1985  
Major: Psychology                      Minor: Education, Service Learning

Master's Thesis: "Race, Class, Sanctioning and Marginality: The Effect of Criminal  
Sanctioning on Scholastic and Labor Force Participation."

Dissertation: "African American Community Development and Migration Streams:  
Patterns of Change in 20<sup>th</sup> Century Metropolitan Migration."

**Research Interests**

Urban Sociology	Criminology/Mass Incarceration/Reentry
Religion and Health	Qualitative Methods
African American Historical Demography	Social Justice and Community Organizing

**Positions Held**

2001-present Associate Professor. Ohio State University, Columbus, OH.  
2000-present Affiliate, Criminal Justice Research Center. Ohio State University, Columbus, OH.  
2000-present Affiliate, Institute for Population Research. Ohio State University, Columbus, OH.  
1998-2004 Affiliate, Center for Urban and Regional Analysis. Ohio State University, Columbus, OH.  
1995-present Faculty Member, Courtesy Appointment. Department of African American and African Studies. Ohio State University, Columbus, OH.  
1995-2001 Assistant Professor. Ohio State University, Columbus, OH.

## Books

Price-Spratlen, Townsend. 2015. *Nurturing Sanctuary: Community Capacity Building in African American Churches*. New York: Peter Lang.

Price-Spratlen, Townsend and William Goldsby. 2012. *Reconstructing Rage: Transformative Reentry in the Era of Mass Incarceration*. New York: Peter Lang.

## Articles

Price-Spratlen, Townsend and Wayne A. Santoro. 2011. "Neighborhood Disorder and Individual Community Capacity: How Incivilities Inform Three Domains of Psychosocial Assessment." *Sociological Spectrum* 31:579-605.

Price-Spratlen, Townsend. 2008. "Urban Destination Selection Among African Americans During the 1950s Great Migration." *Social Science History* 32: 437-469.

Steinman, Kenneth J., Valerie Wright, Elizabeth Cooksey, Linda James-Myers, Townsend Price-Spratlen and Ron Ryles. 2005. "Collaborative Research in a Faith-Based Setting: Columbus Congregations for Healthy Youth." *Public Health Reports* 120:213-216.

Lee, Barrett A. and Townsend Price-Spratlen. 2004. "The Geography of Homelessness in American Communities: Concentration or Dispersion?" *City & Community* 3:3-27.

Price-Spratlen, Townsend. 2003. "The Urban Context of Historical Activism: NAACP Depression Era Insurgency and Organization-Building." *Sociological Quarterly* 44:303-328.

Lee, Barrett A., Townsend Price-Spratlen and James W. Kanan. 2003. "Determinants of Homelessness in Metropolitan Areas." *Journal of Urban Affairs* 25:335-355.

Price-Spratlen, Townsend and Avery M. Guest. 2002. "Race and Population Change in Cleveland Neighborhoods, 1910-1990." *Sociological Forum* 17:105-136.

Price-Spratlen, Townsend. 1999. "Livin' For the City: African American Ethnogenesis and Depression Era Migration." *Demography* 36:553-568.

Price-Spratlen, Townsend. 1999. "Flowin' All At Once: Gender, Race and Class in Depression Era U.S. Urbanization." *Race, Gender, and Class* 6:147-170.

Price-Spratlen, Townsend. 1998. "Between Depression and Prosperity? Changes in the Community Context of Historical African American Migration." *Social Forces* 77:515-540.

## Articles (continued)

Price-Spratlen, Townsend. 1996. "Negotiating Legacies: Audre Lorde, W.E.B. DuBois, Marlon Riggs and Me." *Harvard Educational Review* 66:216-230.

Reprinted in Jose Antonio Segarra and Ricardo Dobles (eds.). 1999. *Learning as a Political Act: Struggles for Learning and Learning from Struggles*. Cambridge, MA: Harvard Education Publishing Group.

Lee, Barrett A., R.S. Oropesa, and Townsend Price-Spratlen. 1996. "Remembering the A.S.A. Minority Opportunity through Scholastic Transformation (M.O.S.T.) Program 1995 Summer Institutes." *Footnotes* (January):5-6.

## Publications in Edited Volumes

Price-Spratlen, Townsend. 2000. "Safe Among Strangers: Queer Reflections on the Million Man March." Pp. 44-66 in Delroy Constantine-Simms (ed.) *The Greatest Taboo: Homosexuality in Black Communities*. Los Angeles: Alyson Books.

Price-Spratlen, Townsend. 2000. "Nurturing Images, Whispering Walls: Identity Intersections and Empowerment in the Academic Workplace." Pp. 215-225 in Susan Talburt and Shirley R. Steinberg (eds.) *Thinking Queer*. New York: Peter Lang Publishing.

Burton, Linda M. and Townsend Price-Spratlen. 1998. Through the Eyes of Children: An Ethnographic Perspective on Neighborhoods and Child Development. Pp. 77-96 in A. Masten (ed.) *Minnesota Symposium on Child Psychology*. Hillsdale, NJ: Erlbaum.

Burton, Linda M., Townsend Price-Spratlen and Margaret Spencer. 1997. On Ways of Thinking About and Measuring Neighborhoods: Implications for Studying Context and Developmental Outcomes for Children. Pp. 132-144 in Jeanne Brooks-Gunn, Greg J. Duncan and J. Lawrence Aber (eds.) *Neighborhood Poverty: Policy Implications in Studying Neighborhoods (vol. 2)*. New York: Russell Sage.

Price-Spratlen, Townsend. 1996. "Leaps of an Unjust Faith: Missing Links in the Causes of Labor Force Participation." Pp. 203-210 in Joe L. Kinchloe, Shirley R. Steinberg, and Aaron D. Gresson, III (eds.), *Measured Lies: The Bell Curve Examined*. New York: St. Martin's Press.

Bridges, George S., Darlene J. Conley, Rodney L. Engen and Townsend Price-Spratlen. 1995. "Racial Disparities in the Confinement of Juveniles: Effects of Crime and Community Social Structure on Punishment." Pp. 128-152 in Kimberly Kempf, Carl Pope and William Feyerherm (eds.), *Minorities in the Juvenile Justice System*. Thousand Oaks, CA: Sage.

### **Publications in Edited Volumes (continued)**

Price-Spratlen, Townsend and Barrett A. Lee. 1994. "At Risk in the Spiral Toward the 21st Century: Demographic Change, Metropolitan Areas and Crime." *National Institute of Justice Advisory Group Research Report*. National Institute of Justice.

### **Books in Preparation**

Price Spratlen, Lois, Townsend Price-Spratlen, Thaddeus H. Spratlen, and Elise Etem. "Conflict Management and Community Capacity Building: The Ombudsman in and Beyond Higher Education." (Manuscript complete. Under review at a university press)

Price-Spratlen, Townsend. "Pathways of Healing in an "Imprisoned Community": Reentry, Recovery, and Faith at the DOPE Ministries." (Intended completion: May 2016)

### **Papers in Preparation**

Price-Spratlen, Townsend, William Goldsby, and Charles Patton. "In This Place: Reentry and Resilience in Contemporary Environmental Equity." (Invited paper being prepared for a special issue on "Place and Politics of Environmental Equity" of the *Du Bois Review*)

Price-Spratlen, Townsend, William Goldsby, and Charles Patton. " 'Reconstruction Has Stopped the Nonsense': A Visual Ethnography of Reentry and Community Capacity Building." (Under revision)

Price-Spratlen, Townsend, Linda James Myers, Jason Whitesel, Kenneth Steinman, Korie Edwards, and Elizabeth Cooksey. "Framing Faith: Religiosity and Spirituality Among African American Pastors and Parents." (Under revision)

Patton, Charles and Townsend Price-Spratlen. "The Historical Roots of Mass Incarceration: Prison and Work Exclusions of Blacks During the Civil Rights Era." (Under revision)

### **Honors and Invited Lectures**

"One Day in Ferguson: How History, Faith, the Police, and Black Lives Matter." Invited Presentation and panelist at the debut screening of the 2015 documentary, *One Day in Ferguson*, Maize Manor United Methodist Church, Columbus, OH. September 2015.

"Recovering From an Addiction to Mass Incarceration." Invited presentation and expert panelist for "The Beginning of the End of the Great Punishment Experiment" lecture by Dr. Todd Clear. Institute for Excellence in Justice seminar. Columbus, OH. February 2015.

"Mentoring Justice." Invited Keynote Address at the "Faith, Justice, and Politics" Symposium of Seattle Chapter of Rotary International. Grand Hyatt Hotel, Seattle, WA. February 2014.

## Honors and Invited Lectures (continued)

- “Reconstructing Rage: Transformative Reentry in the Era of Mass Incarceration.” Invited Reading and Keynote Address at the Center for Church Management and Business Ethics, Villanova University. Philadelphia, PA. December 2013.
- “Community Capacity Building and Graduate Students of Color.” Invited Keynote Address at the Graduate and Professional Student Recruitment Initiative Banquet, of the Office of Diversity and Inclusion. The Blackwell Hotel and Conference Center. Columbus, OH. October 2013.
- “Healthy Masculinities: Faith, Reentry, and Community Capacity Building.” Invited Keynote Address at the Ohio Healthy Masculinity Summit. Sponsored by the National Association of Social Workers (Ohio Chapter) and the Ohio Men’s Action Network. Quest Business Center. Columbus, OH. October 2013.
- “Reconstructing Reentry: Returning Citizens and Grassroots Leadership.” Invited Keynote Address at the IMPACT Initiative to Reduce Poverty. Sponsored by the John Mercer Langston Bar Association (i.e., Columbus Black Bar Association). IMPACT Community Action Agency. Columbus, OH. October 2013.
- “Reentry, Housing and Homelessness: How Mass Incarceration Matters.” Invited Keynote and film discussion at the documentary premiere of *White Picket Fence*. The Forum: On Issues of Social Justice. Church of the Messiah United Methodist Church. Westerville, OH. October 2013.
- “Reconstructing Rage.” Invited Keynote Address and Book Discussion at the Frank W. Hale, Jr. Black Cultural Center. Sponsored by the Todd A. Bell National Resource Center on the African American Male. Office of Diversity and Inclusion. The Ohio State University. September 2013.
- “Meanings of the March 50 Years Later: The Personal, the Professional, the Political, and the Possible.” Reflecting on the 50<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of the March on Washington. The Department of African American and African Studies Community Extension Center. The Ohio State University. Columbus, OH. August 2013.
- “Pedagogy and a Praxis of Social Justice in the Ivory Tower.” The Social Justice, Social Advocacy, and Academic Survival panel at the Crime and Justice Summer Research Institute of the Racial Democracy, Crime and Justice Workshop. The Blackwell Hotel and Conference Center. Columbus, OH. July 2013.
- “A ‘Post-Racial’ America? Mass Incarceration and Reconstructing a Possible Future.” Invited Keynote to the State of Ohio Attorney General’s Office. Columbus, OH. June 2013.

## Honors and Invited Lectures (continued)

Valued Contribution Award. Recognizing *Reconstructing Rage: Transformative Reentry in the Era of Mass Incarceration*. The Office of Diversity and Inclusion (formerly Office of Minority Affairs) Author's Reception. The Ohio State University Faculty Club. Columbus, OH. April 2013.

"Living in the Solution: Race, Place and *Reconstructing Rage*." Invited Keynote of the "Race, Place, and Power" Symposium. The Multicultural Student Center in the University of Wisconsin's Institute for Justice Education and Transformation. Madison, WI. March 2013.

"This Way Forward: Race and the Politics of Place." Invited Presentation of the "Race, Place and Power" Symposium. The Multicultural Student Center in the University of Wisconsin's Institute for Justice Education and Transformation. Madison, WI. March 2013.

"Managing Mass Incarceration: Public Policy and Reconstructing Rage." The Glen School Colloquium Series. The John Glenn School of Public Affairs at The Ohio State University. Columbus, OH. February 2013.

"Words That Matter Most: Pedagogies in the Era of Mass Incarceration." The Hip Hop Literacies Conference: Pedagogies for Social Change. The Frank W. Hale Black Cultural Center at The Ohio State University. Columbus, OH. February 2013.

"Comparative Pathways of Faith in Principled Transformation: How Sacred and Secular Curricula Inform Grassroots Community Organizing." Building Bridges by Breaking Stereotypes. PowerNET of Dayton's Raising the Bar, Ex-Offender Reentry Conference. The David H. Ponitz Center. Dayton, OH. May 2009.

"Mass Incarceration and a Post-Racial America: Contradictions and Inequality's Business as Usual." Presentation at "Possibilities for a Post-Racial Nation/World in the Obama Era" Symposium. The African American and African Studies Community Extension Center. The Ohio State University. Columbus, OH. April 2009.

"Identity Intersections and Inclusion: Nurturing Black Manhood How and Where We Are." Invited Keynote Address sponsored by the Todd A. Bell National Resource Center on the African American Male. Office of Diversity and Inclusion. The Ohio State University. Columbus, OH. January 2009.

"Faith and Fictions in the Heavy Shadow of a Football Factory." Keynote Speech of the Community Leaders Forum of St. John's Evangelical Episcopal Church. Columbus, OH. December 2006.

## **Honors and Invited Lectures** (continued)

“Nia Means the Praxis of Purpose.” Keynote Speech of the Pre-Kwanzaa Event. Frank Hale Black Cultural Center of The Ohio State University. Columbus, OH. December 2006.

“African American Sacred Space: Historical and Contemporary Perspectives.” Invited Lecture sponsored by the Department of Sociology and the Center for Research on Women at The University of Memphis. Memphis, TN. April 2006.

“Pedagogy and the Practice of Freedom.” Keynote Speaker for the Pedagogy and Justice Practices Forum in the College of Education, Policy & Leadership of The Ohio State University. Columbus, OH. January 2006.

“Reentry and Sacred Wisdom in Community Capacity Building.” Invited Lecture of the Faith and Social Justice Ministry on Reentry, Faith and Social Justice. First Unitarian Universalist Church. Columbus, OH. April 2005.

Faith and Community Calling Award. For Contributions Toward Community-University Collaborations. Given at the Faith and Social Justice: Beyond Place and Poverty Conference. St. Peter’s Evangelical Lutheran Church. Columbus, OH. May 2004.

“The Role of Faith and Place in Contemporary Social Justice.” Invited Keynote Lecture for the Faith and Social Justice: Beyond Place and Poverty Conference. St. Peter’s Evangelical Lutheran Church. Columbus, OH. May 2004.

Community Builders Appreciation Award. For Research on the Legacies and Lessons of African American Historical Community Development. Research Initiative of the Kwanzaa Celebration Planning Committee. Seattle, WA. December 2002.

Vanguard of Community Leadership Award. Given by DIVERSITY (Faculty, Staff, and Students Collective of Lesbians and Gays of Color). Celebrating “The Fund of Necessary Polarities” (Legacy of Audre Lorde). Columbus, OH. June 1999.

“Lessons History Does Not Tell Us: African American Community Formation Across the 20<sup>th</sup> Century.” Invited Keynote Speech of the School of Education and Office of Diversity Initiatives. Ohio University. Athens, OH. October 1996.

Pedagogy and Professionalism Award for Mentoring Excellence. Minority Opportunity through Scholastic Transformation (M.O.S.T.) Program of the American Sociological Association. Pennsylvania State University. State College, PA. August 1995.

“At Risk in the Spiral Toward the 21<sup>st</sup> Century: Metropolitan Areas, Demographic Change, and Crime.” Commissioned Paper to the 21<sup>st</sup> Century Policing Advisory Group, National Institute of Justice. Chicago, IL. April 1994.

## **Other Professional Presentations**

- “Historical Trauma and the Way We Were Not.” Invited Keynote at Reconstruction, Inc. (Former felon reentry and desistance organization) Annual meeting and symposium. Philadelphia, PA. August 2015.
- “What Now? What Next? Transformative Reentry – Past, Present, Future.” Reconstruction, Inc. (Former Felon Re-entry and Desistance Organization) Annual meeting and symposium. Philadelphia, PA. August 2013.
- “Transformative Reentry in the Era of Mass Incarceration.” Invited lecture, Reconstruction, Inc. Mid-year meeting and symposium. Philadelphia, PA. August 2012.
- “The Praxis of Principled Reentry.” Reconstruction, Inc. Annual meeting and symposium. Philadelphia, PA. August 2011.
- “Grassroots Organizing to Challenge Community Imprisonment and Mass Incarceration.” Reconstruction, Inc. Mid-year meeting and symposium. Philadelphia, PA. January 2011.
- “Capacity Building and the Praxis of Spirituality.” ADODI, Inc. Faith Fellowship Conference. Invited Lecture and workshop. White Eagle Conference Center. Hamilton, NY. August 2010.
- “Reentry, Restorative Justice and Reconstruction, Inc.: Capacity Building in an ‘Imprisoned Community’.” The Ohio State University, Department of Sociology Brownbag Series. Columbus, OH. May 2010.
- “Restorative Justice and Community Organizing: Capacity Building in an ‘Imprisoned Community’.” The Ohio State University, Criminal Justice Research Center. Columbus, OH. April 2010.
- “Reconstruction, Inc.’s Research Partnerships: Challenges of Principled Leadership.” Reconstruction, Inc. (Former Felon Re-entry and Desistance Organization) Mid-year meeting and symposium. Philadelphia, PA. January 2010.
- “Capacity Building and Collective Identity: The Challenge and Resource of Identity Intersections.” ADODI, Inc. Faith Fellowship Conference. Presentation and curriculum workshop. White Eagle Conference Center, Hamilton, NY. July 2009.
- “L.E.A.D.ing Indicators of Safe Space: Capacity Building for Violence Prevention and a Justice Praxis among Youth.” Presented at the “Promoting Community Safety and Preventing Violence: Integrating Lessons from Research and Practice” Conference. Organized and hosted by the Youth Violence Prevention Advisory Board of The Ohio State University. Co-hosted by: Ohio Office of Criminal Justice Services. Columbus, Ohio. June 2009.



## **Other Professional Presentations** (continued)

“Southern Witness: Justice Narratives of the Social Gospel Era in a Small Tennessee Town.” Paper presented at the American Sociological Association Meetings, Boston, MA. August 2008.

“Vocational Capacity and the Talented Tenth: Patterns of African American Occupational Inclusion During the Civil Rights Era.” Paper presented at the American Sociological Association Meetings. Boston, MA. August 2008.

“The Texts We Know as Home: Faith and Collective Memory in the Contemporary Lives of African American Gay Men.” ADODI, Inc. Presentation and Workshop for the Faith Fellowship Conference. Burr Oak State Park. Glouster, OH. July 2008.

“The Place of Faith in Reentry and Reintegration.” Faith-Based Programming, Reentry and Recidivism Symposium. The Ohio Institute on Correctional Best Practices, Institute for Excellence in Justice. Ohio Department of Rehabilitation and Corrections. London, OH. February 2007.

“Religiosity, Spirituality and Sexual Behavior among Black Church Youth.” American Public Health Association Meetings Paper Session, Boston, MA; November 2006.

“Congregational Differences in Adolescent Religiosity and Positive Youth Development: Findings from 14 African American Churches.” Society for the Scientific Study of Religion Meetings Paper Session. Portland, OR. October 2006.

“Sexual Guilt Among Religiously Active African American Youth.” Society for the Scientific Study of Religion Meetings Paper Session. Portland, OR. October 2006.

“The Promise and the Challenge of Interdisciplinary, Faith-Based Campus-Community Partnerships: The Experience of Columbus Congregations for Healthy Youth.” Outreach Scholarship Conference Poster Session. Columbus, OH. October 2006.

“Making Sacred Places: African American Community Formation, Then and Now.” Eastern Sociological Society Meetings, Invited Thematic Session, Boston, MA; February 2006.

“Collaborative Analysis and Interpretation of Qualitative Data among Black Churches, Health Agencies and University Researchers.” The 133<sup>rd</sup> Annual Meetings of the American Public Health Association (APHA). New Orleans, LA. November 2005.

“Parents and Pastors’ Perceptions of Sexuality among Religiously Active African American Youth.” The 133<sup>rd</sup> Annual Meetings of the American Public Health Association (APHA). New Orleans, LA. November 2005.

## **Other Professional Presentations** (continued)

- “Conceptualizations of Religion and Spirituality among African American Parents and Pastors.” Presented at the Annual Meetings of the Society for the Scientific Study of Religion (SSSR), Rochester, NY. November 2005.
- “Columbus Congregations for Healthy Youth: A Collaborative Project for Research in Action.” Presented at the 25<sup>th</sup> Annual Conference of the National Organization on Adolescent pregnancy, Parenting and Prevention (NOAPPP, now Healthy Teen Network). New Orleans, LA. November 2004.
- “Columbus Congregations for Healthy Youth: The Process and Challenges of a Collaborative Project for Research in Action.” Regular paper presentation at the Annual Conference of the American Public Health Association. Washington, DC. November 2004.
- "A Century Beyond Freedom's Journal: The Urban Context of Depression Era African American Community Newspapers." Paper presented at the Annual Meetings of the American Sociological Association. Anaheim, CA. August 2001.
- “Urban Disorder and Contemporary Community Viability: How Social and Physical Disorder Influence Three Dimensions of Quality of Life.” Paper presented at the Annual Meetings of the American Sociological Association, San Francisco, CA. August 1998.
- “Flowin’ All at Once: Gender, Race and Class in Historical U.S. Urbanization.” Presented at the American Sociological Association Meetings. New York, NY. August 1996.
- “Safe Among Strangers: Queer Reflections on the Million Man March.” Paper presented at the American Sociological Association Meetings. New York, NY. August 1996.
- “Between Depression and Prosperity? Changes in the Community Context of Historical African American Migration.” Paper presented at the Annual Meetings of the Population Association of America. New Orleans, LA. May 1996.
- “The Color of Homelessness: Racial and Ethnic Differences in the United States." Paper presented at the Annual Meetings of the American Sociological Association. Washington, DC. August 1995.
- “Theoretical Models and the ‘Hood: Strengthening the Conceptual Foundations for the Study of African American Neighborhoods.” Paper presented at the Annual Meetings of the Population Association of America. San Francisco, CA. May 1995.
- “On Ways of Thinking About and Measuring Neighborhoods: Implications for Studying Context and Developmental Outcomes for Children.” Poster presented at the Annual Meetings of the Population Association of America. San Francisco, CA. May 1995.

## **Other Professional Presentations** (continued)

“Livin’ For the City: African American Community Development and Depression Era Migration.” Presented at the Annual Meetings of the American Sociological Association. Los Angeles, CA. August 1994.

"Do Neighborhood Social Ties Influence Residential Mobility?" Paper presented at the Annual Meetings of the American Sociological Association. Los Angeles, CA. August 1994.

“Race and Urban Settlement Patterns: A Longitudinal Look at Cleveland Neighborhoods.” Presented at the Population Association of America Meetings. Miami, FL. May 1994.

“Structural Determinants of Urban Homelessness.” Paper presented at the Annual Meetings of the Population Association of America. Miami, FL. May 1994.

“Race, Class, Sanctioning and Marginality: The Effect of Criminal Sanctioning on Scholastic and Labor Force Participation.” Presented at the Annual Meetings of the American Society of Criminology. San Francisco, CA. November 1991.

## **Grants**

Co-Investigator, “The Ohio Study: Adolescent Health and Development in Context.” Principal Investigator: Christopher Browning. NIH/National Institute on Drug Abuse. Start and end dates: 2011-2016. Current award: \$609,821. Total amount of award: \$3,071,766.

Principal Investigator, “Sober Turning Points in an ‘Imprisoned Community’: Reentry, Desistance and Faith at the DOPE Ministries.” Criminal Justice Research Center (CJRC, Ohio State University). September 2013-January 2014. \$15,000.

Principal Investigator, “Re-Entry and Reconstruction, Inc.: Mapping the Organizational Process of Community Capacity Building in the Era of Mass Incarceration” (with co-Investigator William L. Goldsby). Criminal Justice Research Center (CJRC, Ohio State University). November 2009 – June 2010. \$20,000.

Co-Investigator, “Health Behavior Among Religiously Active Black Youth.” Centers for Disease Control and Prevention and NIH (Principal Investigator: Kenneth J. Steinman, School of Public Health). Start and end dates: October 2003 - September 2007. \$958,331.

Principal Investigator, “Service-Learning Initiative Grant, Columbus Congregations for Healthy Youth.” Funding Source: The Ohio State University Service Learning Initiative. Start and end dates: July 2004 - June 2005. \$7,999.

Principal Investigator, "Neighborhood Context and Individual Quality of Life." The Ohio State University, College of Social and Behavioral Sciences, University Seed Grant. January 1996 - January 1997. \$19,171.

## **Grants (continued)**

Principal Investigator, "Contrasting Outcomes: Family Networks, Churches and the Quality of African American Life." ASA/NSF Fund for the Advancement of the Discipline. April 1996 - December 1996. \$2,955.

Principal Investigator, "Race, Gender, and the Mediation of Poverty Outcomes: Structural Buffers and Social Supports." Policy Research Initiative. The Washington State Institute for Public Policy. Olympia, WA. May 1990 – September 1990. \$4,800.

## **Grants in Progress**

"Where Faith and Wellness Meet: Capacity-Building in an Urban Context of Health Disparity." Community-based participatory research project exploring reentry, resilience and health.

"Bonds of Blood and Faith: Justice Narratives in the Era and Echoes of the Social Gospel." Archival project content analyzing African American sermons of an African American Southern Baptist minister, delivered from 1900 to 1949.

## **University and Professional Service**

2011 – Present Editorial Board Member. Spectrum: A Journal on Black Men.

2006, 2010, 2012 Faculty Advisor, Summer Research Institute. Racial Democracy, Crime and Justice Network Summer Workshop. Criminal Justice Research Center. The Ohio State University. Columbus, OH.

2006 – 2009 Affiliated Board Member. Social Problems (Society for the Study of Social Problems).

2006 Member, The Ohio State University College of Arts and Sciences and Office of Minority Affairs Graduate and Professional Student Recruitment and Retention Committee.

2006 – 2007 Member, Ohio State Commission on African American Males. Now affiliated with The Office of Minority Affairs, The African American and African Studies Community Extension Center.

2005, 2008 Grants Review. National Science Foundation.

2004 – 2007 Member, Oversight Committee, The Ohio State University Center for the Study of Teaching and Writing (CSTW).

2002 – 2005 Editorial Board Member. American Sociological Review.

2001 – 2004 Member, The Ohio State University Center for Urban and Regional Analysis (CURA) Oversight Committee.

## **University and Professional Service (continued)**

- 2001 – 2004 Member, The Ohio State University Battelle Endowment for Technology and Human Affairs (BETHA) Committee.
- 2001 – 2004 Faculty Advisor, Alpha Kappa Delta (AKD) Chapter, Sociological Honor Society, The Ohio State University.
- 2000 – 2004 Faculty Advisor, African American Living Learning Program (AALLP), Office of Residential Life and Student Affairs, The Ohio State University.
- 2000 – 2005 Faculty Advisor, Graduate Employee and Staff Organization (GESO), Graduate Unionization Advocacy Organization, The Ohio State University.
- 1999 – 2002 Editorial Board Member. Sociological Perspectives.
- 1999 Member, Interdisciplinary Research Initiative in Crime and Community (forerunner for the collaborative foundations that became the Criminal Justice Research Center of The Ohio State University).
- 1998 – 2000 Member, Men’s Initiatives Committee, The Office of Minority Affairs, Ohio State University (established the foundations for what has become The Todd A. Bell National Resource Center for Research on the African American Male).
- 1997 – 1999 Member, Interdisciplinary Community Research Initiative of The Ohio State University African American and African Studies Department and Community Extension Center.
- 1997 Poster Session Organizer. American Sociological Association, “Graduate Student Research and Future Perspectives in Sociology.” Toronto, Ontario, Canada. August 1997.
- 1995 Instructor and Consultant for Curriculum Development. Minority Opportunity Through Scholastic Transformation (M.O.S.T.) Program of the American Sociological Association. Pennsylvania State University. State College, PA.
- 1994, 2002, 2004 Faculty Advisor. Undergraduate Summer Research Opportunity Program (S.R.O.P.). Committee on Institutional Cooperation, Research Initiative for Young Minority Scholars. Pennsylvania State University. State College, PA. (1994) and Ohio State University. Columbus, OH. (2002, 2004)

## **References**

Provided upon request