

OCTOBER 26, 2018

AFRICA IN GLOBAL HISTORY: A COLLOQUIUM ON THE WORK OF JOSEPH C. MILLER

MORNING

8:30-9:00: **Coffee and Fruit**

Opening Remarks: Emmanuel Akyeampong and Kenda Mutongi

9:00- 9:45: *Slavery and Abolition as Legal Process: Some Haitian Notes on the Work of Alain Testart and Joseph Miller*

by Malick Ghachem, MIT

Discussant: Martin Klein, University of Toronto

9:45-10:30: *Complementarity and Composite Politics: An Historical Discourse of Power in Kongo*

by Jared Staller, St. Francis Episcopal School, Houston, TX

Discussant: John Thornton, Boston University

10:30-11:15: *Reading Rituals, Historically: The Undocumented Pasts of Swahili New Year*

by Daren Ray, Auburn University

Discussant: Steve Feierman, University of Pennsylvania

11:15-12:00: *Race, Space, and Narrative in Early Colonial Nairobi: A Retelling of the Harry Thuku Riot*

by Kenda Mutongi, Williams College/MIT

Discussant: Indrani Chatterjee, University of Texas-Austin

LUNCH 12:00-1:00

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AFTERNOON

1:15-2:00: *Way of Chieftaincy: Merchant Capitalism, the Scramble for Africa, and the Invention of South Sudanese Chiefs on the Ethiopian Frontier (1897 -1931)*

by Noel Stringham, Wheaton College

Discussant: Zayde Antrim, Trinity College

2:00-2:45: *Juba & Annika: The Igbo Diaspora in the Atlantic World, 1500-1900*

by Douglas Chambers, The University of Southern Mississippi

Discussant: Mary Hicks, Amherst College

2:45-3:30: *Debt and Survival in the 1930s Depression in the Gold Coast*

by Emmanuel Akyeampong, Harvard University

Discussant: James La Fleur, University of Virginia

3:30-4:15: *The Enslaved and the Law of Abolition in Angola*

by Roquinaldo Ferreira, University of Pennsylvania (in absentia)

Discussant: Linda Heywood, Boston University

4:15-5:00: Reflections by Joseph Miller

RECEPTION AND DINNER

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