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**CURRICULUM VITAE
FELECIA G. JONES ROSS, PH.D.**

EDUCATION

1989. Ph.D., College of Journalism and Mass Communications, University of Georgia, Athens, Ga., Dissertation: "The Black Audience and Black Entertainment Television."

1978. M.S., S.I. Newhouse School of Public Communications, Syracuse University, Syracuse, N.Y.

1976. B.A., Department of Mass Media Arts, Hampton University, Hampton, Va.

ACADEMIC EXPERIENCE

1995-present. Associate Professor, School of Communication, The Ohio State University. Taught Crime and the News Media, Stereotypes in Media, Writing and Editing for the Media, Writing for Strategic Communication, Principles of Civic Journalism, Contemporary Issues in Communication and Gender in addition to courses listed as an assistant professor.

1989-1995. Assistant Professor, School of Journalism, The Ohio State University. Taught the following courses: Basic Reporting and Newswriting, Advanced Reporting and Newswriting, Factual Writing, Magazine Writing, Introduction to Mass Communication, Development of Mass Media in America, Topics in Journalism and Mass Communication: Specialized Media and Topics in Journalism and Mass Communication: Seminar on the African-American Press, Seminar on Magazine Journalism and Diversity in the Media.

1987-1989. Research Associate, School of Journalism, The Ohio State University. Taught Basic Reporting and Newswriting and The Editorial Page.

1984-1987. Teaching assistant, College of Journalism and Mass Communication, The University of Georgia, Athens, Ga. Taught Basic Reporting and Newswriting.

1982-1984. Instructor and student newspaper advisor, Winston-Salem State University, Winston-Salem, N.C. Taught Introduction to Mass Communication, Freshman Composition and Speech.

1985-1986. Graduate Research Assistant, College of Journalism and Mass Communication, University of Georgia, Athens, Ga. Assisted faculty research projects.

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1977. Graduate Research Assistant, Department of Afro-American Studies, Syracuse University, Syracuse, N.Y. Assisted the director of Afro-American Studies on research projects.

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

1981-1983. Assistant Public Relations Director, Winston-Salem State University, Winston-Salem, N.C. Served in this position concurrently with teaching duties. Coordinated university publications, wrote news releases and coordinated news conferences.

1979-1981. Affirmative Action Officer, Winston-Salem State University, Winston-Salem, N.C. Monitored the hiring, promotion and departure of minority faculty and staff.

1977-1979. Metro Editor, *Journal & Guide*, Norfolk, Va. Managed the reporting and designed the layout for six bi-weekly tabloids. Also assisted with the editing and reporting for the weekly broadsheet.

RESEARCH ACTIVITIES

Refereed Journal Articles

Ross, Felecia J. and Kline, Susan L. (under review). "Contextualizing the Black Church: Analysis of Newspaper Coverage in the Obama-Wright Controversy," *Journalism*.

Ross, Felecia G. J. (revision under review, "Black Press Scholarship: Where We Have Been, Where We Are, Where We Need to Go," *American Journalism*.

Ross, Felecia G. J. (under revision.) "Black Press Scholarship: Where We Have Been, Where We Are, Where We Need to Go," *American Journalism*.

Ross, Felecia G. J. (in press, publication expected, Summer, 2018). "Black Press Scholarship: Where We Have Been, Where We Are, Where We Need to Go," *American Journalism*.

Note: Changed the title from "Black Journalism Scholarship: Is It Still Neglected?"

Ross, Felecia G. J. "Black Journalism Scholarship: Is It Still Neglected?" a paper accepted for publication to *American Journalism* pending revision and resubmission.

Ross, F. J. (2008, Winter). The Cleveland *Call & Post* and the election of Carl B. Stokes. *Journalism History* 33(4), 215-223.

Ross, F.J., Stroman, C., Callahan, L.F., Dates, J., Egwu, C. & Whitmore, E. (2007, Spring). National study on diversity in journalism and mass communication education, Phase II. *Journalism Educator*, 62 (1), 10-26.

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- Ross, F.G..J. and Camara, S.K. (2005). The African American press and the holocaust. *Journal of Intergroup Relations*, 22(3), 32-47.
- Ross, F. J. and McKerns, J.P. (2004). Depression in “The Promised Land”: The *Chicago Defender* discourages migration, 1929-1940. *American Journalism*, 21 (1), 55-73.
- David, P., Morrison, G., Johnson, M. A., & Ross, F. (2002). Body image, race and fashion models: A third-person approach. *Communication Research*.
- Ross, F.G. Jones and Patton, J. (2000, Spring). The nature of journalism courses devoted to diversity. *Journalism Educator*, 55(1), 24-39.
- Ross, Jones, F.G. (1999, Winter). Mobilizing the masses: The Cleveland *Call & Post* and the Scottsboro incident. *Journal of Negro History*, 84(1), 48-60.
- Ross, Jones F.G. (1995). The Brownsville Affair and the political values of Cleveland Black newspapers. *American Journalism*, 12(2), 107-122.
- Ross, Jones F.G. (1995). Fragile equality: A Black paper's portrayal of race relations in late 19th century Cleveland. *Howard Journal of Communications*, 6(2), 53-68.
- Ross, F.J. (1994). Preserving the community: Cleveland black papers' response to the great migration. *Journalism Quarterly*, 71(3), 531-539.
- Ross F.J. (1993). The Cleveland *Call and Post* and the new deal: A change in African-American thought. *Journalism History*, 19(3), 87-92.
- Becker, L.B., Kosicki, G., & Jones, F.G. (1992). Racial differences in evaluations of the mass media. *Journalism Quarterly*, 69(1), 124-134.
- Jones, F.G. (1990). The Black audience and the BET channel. *Journal of Broadcasting and Electronic Media*, 34(4), 477-486.
- Stoner, K.R., Jones, F.G. & Creedon, P.J. (1990). Addressing cultural issues in journalism classes: The 5 Ws, the H & the D, for diversity. *Southwestern Journal of Minorities and Media*, 1(1), 11-24.

Book Chapters

- Ross, F.G..J. and Camara, S.K. (2010). The African American press and the holocaust. In M. Huspek (Ed.), *Oppositional discourses and democracies*. New York: Routledge, pp. 174-188.

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Jones, F.G. (1996). The Black press in Ohio: 1865-1985. In H.L. Suggs (Ed.), *The Black press in the Middlewest: 1865-1985*. Westport, CT: Greenwood Press. (Refereed.)

Other Publications

Ross, F.J. (2012). "Media Writing for Strategic Communicators" an online publication/textbook for the Communication 2321 class. Contract signed in 2009 with Great Rivers Technologies, LLC.

Ross, Jones F.G. (1999). "William O. Walker," In *American National Biography*. Edited by John A. Garraty. New York: Oxford University Press.

Paper Presentations

2017. Presented. "African-American Female Journalists: A Historiography," a paper accepted and presented as a poster at the annual meeting of the National Communication Association in Dallas, Tex. (Refereed).

2017. Presented. "In Plain Sight: How the Black Press Covered Extraordinary Women as Figures in the Community," a paper accepted and presented at the annual meeting of the American Journalism Historians Association, Little Rock, Ark. (Refereed) (Received Honorable Mention)

2017. Presented. "From Gridiron Star to Movie Performer to Civil Rights Activist: The Black Press' Coverage of Paul Robeson," a paper accepted and presented at "The Arts in the Black Press During the Age of Jim Crow" at Yale University, New Haven, Conn. (Refereed)

2016. Accepted for presentation, "From Gridiron Star to Movie Performer to Civil Rights Activist: The Black Press' Coverage of Paul Robeson," a paper that will be presented at "The Arts in the Black Press During the Age of Jim Crow" in March, 2017 in New Haven, Conn. (Refereed)

2016. Presented, "Using Backward Course Design in a Media Stereotypes Course," a paper accepted and presented as a poster at the annual meeting of the Lilly Conference on College Teaching, Oxford, Ohio. (Refereed)

2016. Presented, "Candidate Obama and His Preacher: A Framing Analysis in Four Acts," a paper accepted and presented at the annual meeting of the National Communication Association in Philadelphia, Pa. (Refereed)

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2013. Presented, "Black Journalism Scholarship: Is It Still Neglected?" a paper accepted and presented at the annual meeting of American Journalism Historians Association in New Orleans, La. (Refereed)
2011. Presented. "Political Cartooning in the Black Press" as one of the speakers for the 2011 Florence and Jesse Currier Lecture, "The Black Press: Yesterday and Today," at Bowling Green State University. (Invited)
2011. Presented, "Political Cartooning in the Black Press" for "Picturing History: Editorial Cartooning in America, 1754-2011" a grant-funded seminar for Ohio high school history teachers at the Billy Ireland Cartoon Library and Museum. (Invited)
2009. Presented a paper titled, "African-American Media Coverage of the Dr. Jeremiah Wright Controversy," at the annual meeting of American Journalism Historian's Association, Birmingham, Ala., Oct. 10. (Invited)
2009. Presented my memories of Dr. Lionel Barrow during a panel honoring his life and legacy at the AEJMC annual meeting, Boston, Aug. 6-9.
2008. Moderated the "Strategic Plan Update: Planning for the Future" at the AEJMC annual meeting, Chicago, Aug. 7.
2008. Presented the "National study on diversity in journalism and mass communication education, Phase II" at the ASJMC annual meeting in New Orleans, La., Feb. 22. (Invited)
- Ross, F.G.J. (2007). "Using undergraduate teaching assistants in news writing courses." A paper presented at the Lilly Conference on College Teaching in Oxford, Ohio. (Refereed)
- Ross, F.G.J. (2006). "The media with 20/20 hindsight: How the media covered the events of the 20th century." A Great Ideas for Teaching poster presentation at the annual meeting of the Association for Education in Journalism and Mass Communication in San Francisco, Calif. (Refereed)
- Ross, F.G.J. and Camara, S.K. (2005). "The African American press and the holocaust." Presented at the annual meeting of the National Communication Association in Boston, Mass. (Refereed)
- Ross, F. J. (2004). "Political maturity in black and white: The Cleveland *Call & Post* and the election of a black mayor." Research in progress presented at the annual meeting of American Journalism Historians Association in Cleveland, Ohio.

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Ross, F.J., Stroman, C., Callahan, L.F. & Dates, J. (2004). National study on diversity in journalism and mass communication education, Phase II. Study presented on a panel sponsored by the Diversity Oversight Committee at the annual meeting of the AEJMC in Toronto. (Invited)

2002. Presented "Cartooning the War in Double V," as a panelist for "Cartooning War" at the annual meeting of American Journalism Historians Association, Nashville.

Ross, F. J. (2002). "After the 'Promised Land': The Editorial Cartoons of the *Chicago Defender* on Diversity in the 1920s and 1930s." Paper presented at the annual meeting of the Southwestern Social Science Association in New Orleans.

Jones, F.G. (1991, November). Press coverage of African-American troops in the great war: The reports of Ralph Waldo Tyler. Paper presented at the annual Howard University Communications Conference, Washington, D.C. (Invited). Also a research-in-progress paper accepted for presentation at the annual meeting of the American Journalism History Association, Oct. 1-3 in Philadelphia. (Not refereed.)

Jones, E., Batte, M.T., Schnitkey, R. Jones, F.G. (1991, August). Communication media and their value to Ohio fruit producers: Are there enterprise and size differences? Paper presented at the annual meeting of the Rural Sociological Society, Columbus, Ohio. (Refereed.)

Becker, L.B., Kosicki, G. and Jones, F.G. (1990, November). Racial differences in evaluation of the mass media." Paper presented at the annual meeting of the Midwest Association of Public Opinion Research, Chicago. (Refereed.)

Jones, F.G. (1990, October). The Black audience and the BET channel. Paper presented at the annual national conference of the Association for the Study of African-American Life and History, Chicago. (Refereed.)

Jones, F.G. (1986, August). The role of the Black press during "The Great Migration." Paper presented at the annual meeting of the Association for Education in Journalism and Mass Communication, Norman, Okla. (Refereed.)

Under Preparation

Kline, Susan L. and Ross, Felecia G.J. "Race, Religion, and Politics: Frame Contestations in Newspaper Coverage of the Obama-Wright Controversy," a study focusing on the way major mainstream newspapers handled competing frames of race, politics and religion during the Obama-Wright issue that emerged during the 2008 presidential primaries.

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Ross, Felecia G. J. and Kline, Susan L. "Candidate Obama and His Preacher: An Interplay in Race, Religion and Campaign Politics in Newspaper Coverage," a study focusing on the way national newspapers covered the controversy behind Candidate Obama's relationship with his pastor during the 2008 primary campaign. We are updating the literature review. Our target publication is *Journalism & Mass Communication Quarterly*. This was presented at the 2016 NCA meeting.

Ross, Felecia G. J. "Using Biography to Fill Historical Gaps in the African-American Press," a manuscript that uses the biographies of African-American press publishers, reporters and visual artists to answer questions raised by scholars about the operations of this media institution. Submitted to the International Communication Association for consideration at the 2017 annual meeting

Ross, Felecia G. J. Working on piece describing the scholarship on African-American women journalists not only to summarize the findings, but also to see the stage the scholarship represented with respect to Gilda Lerner's conceptualization of women's history. It is currently in the data analysis phase. I will submit it to the AEJMC paper competition and to either the *Journalism Studies* journal or the *Journal of Black Studies* journal.

HONORS

At The Ohio State University

2018. Honored for 30 years of employment at The Ohio State University

2015. Accepted into the 2015-16 OSTEP Course Design Learning Community. This community allows us to design or re-design a course using the Backward Design method and assess this method's efficacy. The results of this assessment can be the topic of a scholarly publication. \$1,000 is allocated for this project.

2010. Received monetary bonus for administrative-related work for School of Communication's Publications Committee.

2008. Graduated from Journalism and Mass Communication Leadership Institute for Diversity program.

2008. Received monetary bonus for administrative-related work for School of Communication's Publications Committee.

2007. Selected to participate in the 2007-2008 TA Coordinators Program as part of the Ohio State Teaching Enhancement Program (OSTEP) in which \$750 was given for a project.

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- 2006. Selected to participate in the 2006-2007 TA Coordinators Program as part of the Ohio State Teaching Enhancement Program (OSTEP) in which \$750 was given for a project.
- 2004. Selected to participate in the 2004-2005 Ohio State Teaching Enhancement Program (OSTEP) for mid-career and senior faculty in which \$750 was given for project.
- 1999. Received certificate for selection by a student as “My Favorite Buckeye,” which required me to speak to student recruits during “Scarlet and Gray Days.”
- 1995. Received small Miller Grant for research on the Cleveland *Call & Post*'s role in electing Carl Stokes as mayor
- 1994. Inducted into the Phi Kappa Phi (National) Honor Society
- 1993. Nominated for the Outstanding Teaching Award for the Colleges of the Arts & Sciences
- 1992. Recognized by Mortar Board and Sphinx Senior Honoraries for supporting students who became members.
- 1991. Received plaque of appreciation for services as a faculty advisor from the African-American Media Association (AAMA), the OSU student chapter of the National Association of Black Journalists.
- 1990. Received a second Miller Grant through the School of Journalism to obtain the General Social Survey to analyze the media habits of African Americans.
- 1990. Received plaque of appreciation for services as a faculty advisor from the African-American Media Association (AAMA), the OSU student chapter of the National Association of Black Journalists.
- 1990. Presented a McKeown award from the OSU student chapter of the Society of Professional Journalists for co-founding AAMA.
- 1989. Received Miller Grant to support research for the chapter on the history of the Black press in Ohio.
- 1989. Chosen by the Association for Education in Journalism and Mass Communication (AEJMC) to be a Gannett Teaching Fellow.

Other Honors

- 2017. Received “Honorable Mention” for the J. William Snorgrass Award for Outstanding

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- Research on a Minorities Topic for the paper titled, "In Plain Sight: How the African-American Press Covered Extraordinary Women as Figures in the Community," a paper presented at the annual meeting of American Journalism Historians Association.
2016. Received certificate for service as interim second vice-head of the Minorities and Communications Division at the MAC Division meeting at the AEJMC national meeting, Minneapolis, Minn.
2013. Plaque for service as MAC Division Head for AEJMC. Presented at MAC Division meeting at the AEJMC national meeting, Washington, D.C.
2012. Received plaque for service as vice-head of the Minorities and Communication Division, AEJMC. Presented at MAC Division meeting at the AEJMC national meeting, Chicago, Ill.
2011. Received certificate for service as second vice-head of the Minorities and Communications Division at the MAC Division meeting at the AEJMC national meeting, St. Louis, Mo.
2007. Selected to be a Journalism and Mass Communication Leadership Institute for Diversity (JLID) fellow.
2006. "The media with 20/20 hindsight: How the media covered the events of the 20th century." A teaching unit from my Communication 606 class selected as one of the Great Ideas for Teaching for the AEJMC annual meeting in San Francisco, Calif. This was among 25 selected from a total of 80 entries.
2005. Re-elected to AEJMC's Professional Freedom and Responsibility Committee.
2002. Elected to AEJMC's Professional Freedom and Responsibility Committee.
2001. A lead principal investigator in securing a \$13,000 grant from AEJMC's Commissions on the Status of Minorities and Women to study the extent to which journalism programs comply with the accrediting standard that focuses on diversity.
2001. Selected as a fellow at the Poynter Institution's "Diversity Across the Curriculum" program.
- 1985-1987. University Fellowship for Minorities, University of Georgia.
1984. Mini-Sabbatical for Minority Journalism Faculty Members, American Society of Newspaper Editors.

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PROFESSIONAL ASSOCIATIONS

2006-present. Organization of American Historians

2015-present. National Communication Association

2015-present. International Communication Association

Life member. National Association of Black Journalists

2015-2018. Society of Professional Journalists

2015. Public Relations Society of America

1994-present. American Journalism Historians Association

1991-1993. Association for the Study of African American Life and History

1988-1991. Corresponding Secretary and Membership Chairperson for Columbus Association of Black Journalists.

1988-2000. Member of Sojourner Truth/Frederick Douglass Society, an OSU Black faculty and staff organization.

1988-2005. Member of Columbus Association of Black Journalists.

1985-present. Association for Education in Journalism and Mass Communication with membership in the history, magazine, public relations and minorities and communication divisions and on the Commission on the Status of Minorities.

SERVICE ACTIVITIES

Committee memberships and activities

2018. Served on Eligible Faculty Committee which involved reviewing and assessing the scholarly, teaching and service activities for junior faculty members.

2018. Served on Journalism Program Committee which involved selecting students for monetary awards, selecting *Lantern* editors and making decisions concerning journalism courses.

2017. Served on Search Committee for School of Communication director.

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- 2017. Served on committee to study the logistics of converting to a three-course teaching load.
- 2017. Served on Eligible Faculty Committee which involved reviewing and assessing the scholarly, teaching and service activities for junior faculty members.
- 2017. Served on Journalism Program Committee which involved selecting students for monetary awards, selecting *Lantern* editors and making decisions concerning journalism courses.
- 2017. Reviewed chapters for the Comm3334: Strategic Message Design resource
- 2016. Wrote and submitted Diversity Committee's section for the School of Communication's External Review report.
- 2016. Served as a faculty diversity champion for Arts & Sciences that involved attending a train the trainer workshop.
- 2015-present. Journalism Program Committee
- 2015. Member of search committee for Social and Behavioral Sciences subject librarian
- 2015. Elected 2nd Vice Head of the Minorities and Communication Division, AEJMC
- 2015. Served on search committee for *Lantern* advisor.
- 2013-present. Appointed and re-appointed chair of the School of Communication Diversity Committee
- 2013. Served as Head of the Minorities and Communication Division for AEJMC.
- 2012. Promoted to Head of the Minorities and Communication Division for AEJMC
- 2011. Promoted to Vice Head, Program Planner for the Minorities and Communication Division for AEJMC.
- 2010. Promoted to Second Vice Head, Secretary for the Minorities and Communication Division for AEJMC.
- 2009. Elected, Second Vice Head-Elect for the Minorities and Communication Division for AEJMC.
- 2009-2016. Served on Re-entry Scholarship Committee for the Critical Difference for Women Program

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2009-present. Served as member of advisory committee for the Billy Ireland Cartoon Library and Museum

2005-2007. Served as chair for the Commission on the Status of Minorities for AEJMC.

2004-present. Served as chairperson for the Publications Committee for the School of Communication.

2004. Served second year of elected term as vice-chair for the Commission on the Status of Minorities for AEJMC.

2004. Served second year of elected term on Professional Freedom & Responsibility Committee for AEJMC.

2003-2004. Served on the Task Force on Diversity for AEJMC.

2003-2004. Served on Search Committee for Social and Behavioral Sciences dean.

2000-present. Member of School's Eligible Faculty Committee. Responsible for reviewing clinical and junior faculty's research, service and teaching records. Also observed and evaluated the classroom experience of one of the faculty members.

1999-2003. Served on the School's Search Committee for new hires; served on the department's undergraduate affairs committee.

1999. Served on the School's Search Committee for a single hire.

1997. Selected for the School's Undergraduate Affairs Committee

1997. Selected for the College of Social and Behavioral Sciences Curriculum Committee

1996-1999. Served on the university's Diversity Committee

1996. Elected to the New School's Director's Advisory Committee

1996-1998. Served on the School's Promotion and Tenure Committee

1996-1997. Served on the School's Search Committee for broadcast sequence faculty 1995. Re-elected to the School's Graduate Studies Committee

1993. Elected to the School's Graduate Studies Committee.

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1992. Chairperson, School Admissions Committee.

1991-1994. Member, School Publications Committee.

1989-1992. Member, School Admissions Committee.

1989-1990. Member, School Research Committee.

Activities for the Discipline

2018. Reviewed manuscripts for the *Howard Journal of Communications*, a scholarly publication for the journalism and communication discipline that focuses on African Americans and *American Journalism*, a scholarly publication for journalism and mass communication history.

2018. Reviewed manuscripts submitted to be considered for presentation at the AEJMC and the American Journalism Historians Association conferences.

2018. Reviewed papers submitted for presentation in the Communication History, Mass Communication and Ethnicity, Race in Communication divisions for the International Communication Association.

2017. Reviewed “Racialism and the Media,” a book manuscript for Peter Lang Publishing, Inc.

2017. Reviewed manuscript for special Diversity Issue of the *Journal of Advertising Education*.

2017. Reviewed manuscripts for the *Howard Journal of Communications*, a scholarly publication for the journalism and communication discipline that focuses on African Americans and *American Journalism*, a scholarly publication for journalism and mass communication history.

2017. Reviewed manuscripts submitted to be considered for presentation at the AEJMC and the American Journalism Historians Association conferences.

2017. Reviewed papers submitted for presentation in the Communication History, Mass Communication and Ethnicity, Race in Communication divisions for the International Communication Association.

2017. Judged entries for the Denman Undergraduate Research Forum.

2016. Reviewed papers submitted for presentation in the Mass Communication and Ethnicity, Race in Communication divisions for the International Communication Association.

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- 2016. Served on the committee to select the winner of the Lionel C. Barrow Jr. Award for Distinguished Achievement in Diversity in Research and Education.
- 2016. Reviewed chapters in upcoming digital textbook for Strategic Communication Writing.
- 2016. Served as external reviewer for a promotion & tenure candidate at Ithaca College.
- 2016. Reviewed manuscripts submitted to be considered for presentation at the AEJMC and the American Journalism Historians Association conferences.
- 2016. Co-planned the “Scholastic Journalism and Minorities and Communication Luncheon,” at the AEJMC annual meeting in Minneapolis, Minn.
- 2015. Served as panelist for a discussion titled “Made in Africa,” a program sponsored by Model Africa Union and African Youth League. I was responsible for speaking on the history of media, its effects on society and its relationship with people of color.
- 2015. Conducted workshop on “Race and the Media” at the Community Engagement Conference sponsored by the College of Social Work.
- 2015. Reviewed manuscripts submitted to be considered for presentation at the AEJMC and the American Journalism Historians conferences.
- 2015-2016. Served as advisor for the Society of Professional Journalists, student chapter
- 2014. Served as external reviewer for a promotion & tenure candidate at the University of Nebraska-Lincoln.
- 2014. Discussant for poster session, Minorities and Communication Division, AEJMC national meeting, Montreal, Canada.
- 2014. Reviewed manuscripts submitted to be considered for presentation at the AEJMC and the American Journalism Historians conferences.
- 2013. Moderator/Discussant. “Latinos and Latinas in the Media Spotlight,” a refereed paper session for the Minorities and Communication Division at the AEJMC annual meeting in Washington, D.C.
- 2013. Served on the committee to select the winner of the Lionel C. Barrow Jr. Award for Distinguished Achievement in Diversity in Research and Education.

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2013. Presided and co-planned the “Scholastic Journalism and Minorities and Communication Luncheon,” at the AEJMC annual meeting in Washington, D.C.
2013. Reviewed manuscripts submitted to be considered for presentation at the AEJMC and the American Journalism Historians conferences.
2013. Reviewed manuscripts submitted to be considered for the Midwinter Conference in Norman, Okla.
2012. Selected panels and planned 2013 program for the AEJMC Council of Divisions during the AEJMC Midwinter meeting in Dallas, Texas.
2012. Discussant. “The Best of MAC Research Papers,” a refereed paper session for the Minorities and Communication Division at the AEJMC annual meeting in Chicago.
2011. Selected panels and planned 2012 program for the AEJMC Council of Divisions during the AEJMC Midwinter meeting in Louisville, Ky.
2011. Reviewed textbook manuscript for Oxford University Press.
2011. Presided and selected speaker for the “Scholastic Journalism and Minorities and Communication Luncheon,” at the AEJMC annual meeting in St. Louis.
2011. Moderated, “To Papers in Minorities and Communication,” a refereed paper session for the Minorities and Communication Division at the AEJMC annual meeting in St. Louis.
2011. Reviewed textbook manuscript for Bedford/ St. Martin Press.
2010. Planned the 2011 program for the AEJMC Council of Divisions during the AEJMC Midwinter meeting in Albuquerque.
2010. Reviewed “Media Bias, Perspective, and State Repression: The Black Panther Party” for *Journalism History*.
2010. Discussant, “Current Issues and Challenges for Ethnic and Mainstream Media,” a paper session of the Minorities and Communications Division at the AEJMC annual meeting in Denver.
- 1990-present. Reviewed manuscripts for papers to be presented at AEJMC annual meetings.
- 1998-present. Reviewed manuscripts for American Journalism Historians Association for presentations at its annual meetings.

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- 2000-present. Served on editorial boards and reviewed manuscripts for *American Journalism*, *Howard Journal of Communications* and *Journalism History*, scholarly publications for journalism and communication
- 2007-present. Served as advisor to the student chapter of the National Association of Black Journalists.
2009. Discussant for paper and poster presentations for the Media and Ethics and Minority and Communication divisions at the AEJMC annual meeting, Boston, Aug. 6-9.
2008. Reviewed “What is News? Explaining the News” a textbook proposal under consideration for publication at Bedford/St. Martin’s
2008. Reviewed *Taking on the Trust: The Epic Battle of Ida Tarbell and John D. Rockefeller* for the book review section of *American Journalism*.
2008. Conducted workshop on teaching Comm. 221 for graduate teaching assistants.
2008. Conducted workshop titled, “Current Events Writing,” for The Ohio State University Young Scholars Program.
- 2007-2010. Judge, news coverage of weekly Ohio newspapers, for Osman C. Hooper Newspaper Show, Columbus.
- 2007-2008. Served on the Strategic Plan Design Team for AEJMC.
2007. Conducted a workshop on teaching to undergraduate student assistants.
2007. Presented talk on “The Cleveland *Call and Post* and the Election of Carl B. Stokes” to a forum at the African-American Studies Extension Center.
2007. Served on the committee to select the winner of the Lionel C. Barrow Minority Scholarship for AEJMC.
2007. Reviewed a manuscript for *Ethnoscapas: An Interdisciplinary Journal on Race and Ethnicity in the Global Context*, a journal of the Kirwan Institute for the Study of Race and Ethnicity.
2006. Reviewed a manuscript for *Journalism and Mass Communication Quarterly*.
2006. Sponsor, OSU Student Research Opportunity Program.

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2004. Moderator, "On Stage With Online," a paper session sponsored by the Advertising Division of AEJMC at its annual meeting in Toronto, Ontario, Canada.
2004. Panelist, "The Media's Role in Creating Multicultural Understanding and Tolerance," a program sponsored by Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, Inc. at Otterbein College in Westerville, Ohio.
2004. Featured Speaker, "Black History Month Recognition," at Girl Scout Troop 442.
2003. Moderator-Discussant, "Using Media to Improve the Lives of Minorities and Immigrants," a paper session sponsored by Minorities and Communication Division of AEJMC at its annual meeting in Kansas City, Missouri.
2003. Moderator, "Maintaining Cultural Integrity in Publishing About Race," a discussion sponsored by Minorities and Communication Division of AEJMC at its annual meeting in Kansas City, Missouri.
2003. Speaker, "Careers in Communications" a program sponsored by the South Area Black Student Association at The Ohio State University.
2003. Judged books for the History Award, for the History Division of AEJMC.
2003. Keynote speaker, "Professionalism in the African-American Community," for the Ohio State University Black Law Students Association.
2002. Judge, coverage of family news, for Osman C. Hooper Newspaper Show, Columbus.
2002. Moderator, "The Application of Communication Theories to African-American Experiences," a discussion sponsored by the African American Communication & Culture Division of the National Communication Association, at its annual meeting in New Orleans.
2002. Keynote speaker, "Media Portrayals of African-Americans," for the Ohio State University Black Law Students Association.
2001. Member, "Gallery of Greats Selection Committee," for the National Newspaper Publishers Association Foundation. Selected editors/publishers of African-American newspapers to be featured on a 2002 calendar. The calendar commemorates the 175th anniversary of the African-American press.
2001. Panelist, "NOT Preaching to the Choir: Teaching Diversity in a Non-Diverse Classroom," a discussion sponsored by the Media Management and Economics and Minorities and Communication divisions of AEJMC at its annual meeting in Washington, D.C.

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2001. Discussant, "Historical Perspectives on Race/Ethnicity," refereed paper session of the History Division of AEJMC at its annual meeting in Washington, D.C.
2001. Re-elected, "Newsletter Editor," for the Commission on the Status of Minorities for AEJMC.
2001. Reviewed manuscripts for *Howard Journal of Communication*, *Journalism Monographs*, *Journalism History* and *American Journalism*.
2000. Conducted workshop on "Diversity in the Media," for the Ohio Newspaper Women's Association's annual meeting.
2000. Radio Guest, "Media Portrayals of African-Americans," *Columbus Today*, a call-in program on WSMZ-FM.
2000. Reviewed textbook manuscript for McGraw-Hill.
2000. Reviewed a manuscript for *Journalism Monographs*.
2000. Elected, "Newsletter Editor," for the Task Force on the Status of Minorities for AEJMC.
2000. Co-coordinator, "Communication Workshop for Minority High School Students," an eight-week workshop sponsored by the Columbus Association of Black Journalists, Columbus. Have coordinated, as well as participated in this workshop since 1994.
1999. Reviewed, book titled *Mary Ann Shadd Cary: The Black Press and Protest in the Nineteenth Century* by Jane Rhodes for *Journalism History*.
1999. Reviewed, a manuscript for the *Howard Journal of Communications*, a scholarly publication for the journalism and communication discipline that focuses on African Americans.
1998. Instructor, "Advanced Feature Writing," for the Journalism Association of Ohio Schools high school workshop.
1998. Moderator/Discussant, "The African-American Press," paper session at the annual meeting of American Journalists Historians Association in Louisville, Kentucky.
1998. Reviewer, a textbook manuscript for Wadsworth Publishing Co.
1998. Discussant, "Television Portrayal of African-Americans and Koreans," paper session sponsored by the Minorities and Communication Division of AEJMC

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1998. Chairperson, Minority Scholarship Committee of the AEJMC Communication, Theory and Methodology Division
1998. Reviewer, manuscripts for the American Journalism Historians Association's paper session(s) for the annual meeting in Louisville, Ky.
1997. Instructor, "Basic Feature Writing," for the Journalism Association of Ohio Schools high school workshop.
1997. Sponsor, OSU Student Research Opportunity Program, Columbus.
1997. Associate Member Representative, Region VI, at the annual meeting of the National Association of Black Journalists, Chicago.
1997. Reviewer, a manuscript for *American Journalism*, a scholarly publication for the journalism discipline that focuses on journalism history.
1997. Reviewer, a textbook manuscript for Wadsworth Publishing Co.
1997. Participant, "170 Years of the Black Press," a panel sponsored by the Society of Professional Journalists annual regional meeting, Columbus.
1997. Editor, *1997 Blue Chip Profile*, a reference directory that includes profiles on successful African-Americans in Central Ohio.
1996. Judge, coverage of family news, for Osman C. Hooper Newspaper Show, Columbus.
1996. Participant, "How To Get Into Graduate and Professional School," a program sponsored by the Frank Hale Black Cultural Center.
1995. Reviewer, a book for *Journalism History*, a scholarly publication for the journalism discipline that focuses on journalism history.
1994. Reviewer, a manuscript for *Journalism Monographs*, a scholarly publication for the journalism discipline.
1994. Discussant, "African-Americans, Asians and Hispanics in the Media," paper session sponsored by Minorities and Communication division of AEJMC at its annual meeting in Atlanta.

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1994. Keynote Speaker and Panel Discussant, "Blacks and the Mass Media" a two-day program sponsored by Georgia Southern University, Statesboro, Ga. in recognition of Black History Month.
1994. Radio guest, "The Black Press in Ohio," *Black Studies Broadcast Journal*, WOSU Radio, Columbus.
1993. Interviewed about "Black Portrayals and Black Journalists in the Media" for an article in *Columbus Alive* .
1993. Moderator, "The Media Content: Antecedents, Processes and Consequences," paper session sponsored by the Communication, Theory & Methodology Division of AEJMC at its annual meeting in Kansas City.
1993. Reviewer, a manuscript for *Journalism History*, a scholarly journal.
1992. Moderator/Discussant, "The Black Press in the Middlewest, 1865-1920," paper session at the annual meeting of the Association of African-American Life and History held in Kansas City.
1992. Moderator, "Mixed Messages," paper session sponsored by the History Division of AEJMC at its annual meeting in Montreal.
1992. Co-coordinator, "NABJ Region VI Conference," sponsored by the Columbus Association of Black Journalists.
1992. Guest lecturer, "Portrayal of Non-whites in the Media," Ohio Wesleyan University communication class, Delaware.
1991. Judge, news coverage of weekly Ohio newspapers, for Osman C. Hooper Newspaper Show, Columbus.
1991. Organizer and moderator, "Using the African-American Press as a Teaching and Research Tool," panel sponsored by the AEJMC annual meeting, Boston.
1991. Guest lecturer, "Magazine Writing Techniques," OSU College of Agriculture *Agri-Naturalist* magazine staff, Columbus.
1991. Guest lecturer, "Portrayal of Non-whites in the Media," Ohio Wesleyan University communication class, Delaware.
1991. Discussant, "Minorities in the Media," panel sponsored by Ohio Wesleyan University Black Faculty Staff Organization, Delaware.

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1990. Moderator, "Communication Politics and Minorities," paper session sponsored by the AEJMC annual meeting, Minneapolis.

1990-92. Sponsor, OSU Student Research Opportunity Program, Columbus.

1989-2001. Co-advisor, AAMA, Columbus.

1989. Television guest, "'List' Format Magazine Articles," *Evening Newswatch 4*, Columbus.

1988. Television guest, "The Black Press," *State Watch*, Columbus.

Other Service Activities

2018. Reviewed applications for the 2019 Lucy Shelton Caswell Research Award for the Billy Ireland Cartoon Library.

2018. Faculty presenter for Young Scholars Program 9th Grade Campus Visit Day. Discussed stereotypes in the media at one of the sessions.

2018. Participated in breakfast with high school students recruited by Colleges of Arts & Sciences.

2015. Represented the school at an event the School co-sponsored with the Dept. of English that featured a lecture about a 19th century black newspaper artist.

2014. Co-planned School of Communication's recognition of News Engagement Day, an initiative of AEJMC in which communication units across the country recognized the important role the news media plays in our society. Using the incidents that occurred in Ferguson, Mo., we invited panelists who discussed the relationship between race, the news media and law enforcement. Several classes of communication students attended the activity.

2011. Participated in organizing and cleaning the King Arts Complex for Partners Achieving Community Transformation.

2009-2010. Participated in Honors Scheduling Bonanza.

2007-2009. Co-conducted a workshop on "Teaching the Independent Course" as part of graduate teaching assistant training for the University Center for Advancement of Teaching (UCAT) formerly Faculty and Teaching Assistant Development (FTAD).

2008. Spoke to minority first-year students about having productive relationships with faculty.

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2007-2009. Graded essays of honors admissions applicants.

2005-2008. Judged entries for the Denman Undergraduate Research Forum.

1999. College of Social and Behavioral Sciences Faculty Coordinator, 1999 Campus Campaign

1993. Presenter, "Black Student Leadership Awards," program honoring outstanding OSU Black graduate and undergraduate students.

1991. Discussant, "Graduate School Opportunities," panel sponsored by OSU chapter of Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, Columbus.

1991. Guest lecturer, "Curriculum in the OSU School of Journalism," OSU University College, Columbus.

1991. Racial equality lecturer, "Portrayal of Nonwhites in the Media," OSU University College, Columbus.

1991. Focus group participant, OSU mission statement, College of Social and Behavioral Sciences, Columbus.

1991. Judge, Warren H. Jennings community mental health award, Columbus.

1990. Discussant, "OSU Graduate School Opportunities," panel sponsored by Kent State University, Kent.

1990. Judge, OSU Black Student Leadership Awards, Columbus.

1990. Participant, in video promoting OSU graduate school opportunities, Columbus.

1990. Participant, OSU Experience Arts and Sciences Day Program for Black High School Seniors, Columbus.

1989. Discussant, "Journalism Education at OSU," panel sponsored by School Alumni Association, Columbus.

1989-1991. Co-coordinator, OSU *Lantern* minority sensitivity workshops, Columbus.

1988-1989. Mentor, OSU Mentoring Program, Columbus.

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