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EDUCATION

Emory University, Atlanta, GA
Candler School of Theology
Doctor of Ministry (2018)

Prairie View A&M University, Prairie View, TX
Master of Arts (2006)
Major: Sociology

Southern Methodist University, Dallas, TX
Perkins School of Theology
Master of Divinity (2005)

Texas Southern University, Houston, TX
Bachelor of Arts (1992*)
Major: Mathematics

*Requirements were completed in the Fall 1992. At the time the University did not confer degrees during the Fall Term; therefore, the degree was conferred in the Spring 1993.

TEACHING EXPERIENCE () - denotes the cumulative number of sections taught.

Prairie View A&M University; Prairie View, TX; (2009-present)
Courses: Social Stratification (2), Seminar in Race Relations, Sociology of Minorities (36), Social Deviance, General Sociology (15), Juvenile Delinquency (6), Sociology of Probation and Parole, Criminology (3), Poverty, Correctional Treatment and Public Policy (3), Sociology of Gender and Sex Roles (2), Social Statistics (10), Social Problems, Urban Sociology, Sociological Theory (6), Theory of Criminal Justice System; Aspects of Poverty, Classical Sociological Theory (4), Contemporary Sociological Theory, Social Stratification in America (2), Political Sociology (2), Sociology of Religion (4), Sociology of Comparative Religions, Sociology of Education, Collective Behavior (2) and Social Change, Social Movements (2), Environmental Sociology

Houston Graduate School of Theology; Houston, TX; Adjunct Faculty (2008-2009)
Courses: Preaching in the African American Tradition, Preaching on Contemporary Issues, Principles of Preaching

Lone Star College (formerly North Harris Montgomery Community College District); Tomball College, former-Willow Chase Center, University Park, Kingwood, Cy-Fair; Adjunct Faculty (2005-present)
Courses: Social Psychology, Principles of Sociology (42), Introduction to World Religions (7), Introduction to Philosophy (4), Introduction to Ethics, Old Testament Survey, New Testament Survey

Blinn College; Brenham, Bryan and Sealy Campuses, Texas Department of Criminal Justice-Wallace Pack Unit, O.L Luther Unit; Adjunct Faculty (2005-2011)
Courses: Introduction to Sociology (5), Social Problems, Marriage and Families (2), Developmental Mathematics (32), Minority Studies (3)

Cypress-Fairbanks Independent School District; Houston, TX, *Cypress Ridge H.S.* (2004-2005)
Course: Mathematics

Royal Independent School District; Pattison, TX, *Royal H.S., Royal M.S.* (2000-2004)
Course: Mathematics

Houston Independent School District, Houston, TX, *Hamilton M.S. Davis H.S., Skills Enhancement Center, Media Center* (1993-2000)
Courses: Mathematics, Health Education, Student Referral Center Coordinator, Teacher Specialist.

PUBLICATIONS

African American Civil Religion: The Pendulum Guided by the Invisible Hand, London, UK: Routledge Publishing, a part of the Classical and Contemporary Social Theory Series (under contract)

Racial Healing from the Pulpit: Reconciliation and Rebuilding, Portland, OR: Wipf and Stock Publishing, (under contract)

Snead-Greene, Cheryle D. and Michael D. Royster. "Labeled Public Enemy Number One: Popular Media Portrayal of the Souls of Imprisoned Black Women" in *Caged Women: Incarceration, Representation, and Media*. Shirley A. Jackson and Laurie Gordy, eds. (New York, NY: Routledge) pp. 64-74 (2018)

"Ambivalence in Counterterrorism Efforts: The Case of South Africa" in *The Palgrave Handbook of Global Counterterrorism*, ed. Scott Romaniuk, (Palgrave MacMillan: London, UK) pp. 1055-1068 (2017)

"The Message from the Wilderness" in *Urban God Talk: Constructing a Hip Hop Spirituality*, ed. Andre E. Johnson, (Lanham, MD: Lexington Books) pp 21-36 (2013)

"The African American Context" in *Religious Leadership: A Reference Handbook*, ed. Sharon Henderson Callahan, (Thousand Oaks, CA: Sage Publication), pp 11-19 (2013)

Royster, Michael D. and Kamesha S. Spates; "Religious Convictions" in *Crime and Criminal Behavior*, a part of Key Issues in Crime and Punishment Series, ed. William Chambliss (Thousand Oaks, CA: Sage Publication), pp 197-212 (2011)

Spates, Kamesha S. and Michael D. Royster, "Religious Rights" in *Corrections*, a part of Key Issues in Crime and Punishment Series, ed. William Chambliss, (Thousand Oaks, CA: Sage Publication), pp 245-260 (2011)

Hadnot, Kathryn, Michael D. Royster "Emotional Withdrawal", *The Sage Encyclopedia of War: Social Science Perspectives*; ed. Paul I. Joseph; Thousand Oaks, CA: Sage Publication, pp. 549-551(2017)

"War Crimes Tribunals", *Encyclopedia of Transnational Crime and Justice*; ed. Margaret Beare, (Thousand Oaks, CA: Sage Publication) pp 453-457 (2012)

"Faith-Based Initiatives", *Encyclopedia of Community Corrections*; ed. Shannon M. Barton-Bellessa, (Thousand Oaks, CA: Sage Publication), pp. 153-157(2012)

