

2018 Atlanta Studies Symposium “Atlanta: City + Region”

April 20, 2018

9:00 am to 7:00 pm

Program



Sponsors

the Emory Center for Digital Scholarship, the James Weldon Johnson Institute for the Study of Race and Difference, the Bill & Carol Fox Center for Humanistic Inquiry, the Stuart A. Rose Manuscript, Archives, and Rare Book Library, and the Office of Government and Community Affairs at **Emory University**, the **Federal Reserve Bank of Atlanta**, the School of City and Regional Planning at the **Georgia Institute of Technology**, and the Urban Studies Institute and the Department of History at **Georgia State University**



Registration: 8:30–5:00

Welcoming Remarks: 9:00–9:20 **Jones Room**

Yolanda Cooper, University Librarian, Emory University

Jesse P. Karlsberg, Managing Editor, *Atlanta Studies*, Emory University

Session 1: 9:30–11:00

Full Panel Session

Teaching FX's Atlanta **Jones Room**

Chair: Matthew Dischinger, Georgia Institute of Technology

Panelists: Matthew Dischinger, Georgia Institute of Technology
Joycelyn Wilson, Georgia Institute of Technology
Scott Heath, Georgia State University
Amy King, Georgia Institute of Technology
Erich Nunn, Auburn University

Individual Paper Session

Health, Transportation, and Infrastructure **Rose Teaching and Learning Studio**

Chair: Karen Leone de Nie, Federal Reserve Bank of Atlanta

Papers: **Take Me to Grady: The Hospital as Urban Institution**
Bisan Salhi, Emory University

Atlanta Regional Bicycling and Walking Safety Action Plan
Byron Rushing, Atlanta Regional Committee

The Social Impacts of Transportation Access for Refugees in Atlanta
Leanna Greenwood, Georgia State University

Full Panel Session

Impacts of Future Growth in Atlanta's Urbanized Area
 Rose Woodruff Commons Seminar Room

Chair: Thomas Douthat, Georgia Institute of Technology
 Panelists: Thomas Douthat, Georgia Institute of Technology
 Anna Nord, AECOM
 Sara Douglass, Georgia Institute of Technology
 Laurie A. Garrow, Georgia Institute of Technology

Full Panel Session

Atlanta Housing Interplay: Plotting Atlanta on the Interwar Housing Map
 Rose Woodruff Commons Conference Room

Chair: Christina Crawford
 Panelists: Christina Crawford, Emory University
 Kelsey Fritz, Emory University
 Courtney Rawlings, Emory University
 William Ulman, Emory University
 Toson Nwadei, Emory University

Session 2: 11:15–12:45

Individual Paper Session

Culture and Technology Jones Room

Chair: Jesse P. Karlsberg, Emory University

Papers: **Jitterbugging during Jim Crow: Atlanta's Music Venues and Dance Halls in the Swing Era**
 Nicole Baran, Georgia Institute of Technology

People-centered Planning for Smart Cities: Exploring the Use of Smart City Technologies for Citizen Engagement in and around the Proctor Creek Watershed in Atlanta, Georgia
 Emma French, Georgia Institute of Technology

Non-state Policing at Anchor Institutions: Race, Development, and Mapping Police Power with Mobile Technology
 Stephen Sherman, University of Illinois

Full Panel Session

The Case of Black Atlanta, the Black Mecca: Class and Culture Politics
Rose Teaching and Learning Studio

Chair: Maurice Hobson, Georgia State University
Panelists: Maurice Hobson, Georgia State University
Michael Simanga, Georgia State University
R. Candy Tate, Emory University
Joycelyn Wilson, Georgia Institute of Technology

Full Panel Session

Tools for Housing All of the Region's Residents **Rose Woodruff Commons Seminar Room**

Chair: William McFarland, Georgia Advancing Communities Together
Panelists: William McFarland, Georgia Advancing Communities Together
Gail Williams, Metro Fair Housing Services
Christopher Norman, Atlanta Land Trust

Full Panel Session

Urban Form in Gwinnett County: Evolution or Revolution?
Rose Woodruff Commons Conference Room

Chair: Jennifer Ball, Douglas C. Allen Institute for the Study of Cities
Panelists: Jennifer Ball, Douglas C. Allen Institute for the Study of Cities
Marsha Anderson Bomar, Gateway 85 Gwinnett Village Community Improvement District
Jonathan Gelber, Bleakly Advisory Group
Jerry Miller, Fabric Developers

Interactive Workshop

Reviving Without Redoing: Enhancing Coursework with Atlanta's African American Archival Collections **Woodruff Library 314**

Chair: JoyEllen Freeman
Panelists: JoyEllen Freeman, Kennesaw State University and Atlanta Black Archives Alliance
Tiffany Atwater Lee, Robert W. Woodruff Library, Atlanta University Center
Gabrielle Dudley, Emory University

Lunch: 12:45–1:45 Jones Room

Poster Session Emory Center for Digital Scholarship

Corporations and the Fate of Legacy Residents: Analyzing Westside Residents' Responses to Mercedes-Benz Stadium

Snotti St. Cyr, Georgia State University

Tunnels Fixing Atlanta's Transportation Problem

Andre Westbrook, Auburn University

Honoring New Histories: Memorialization and Atlanta Historical Markers

Kelly Kristin Jones

Physical Activity Participation and Ninth Graders' Achievement in Georgia Public School

Ramesh Ghimire, Atlanta Regional Commission

Spatial Disparities of Uber Accessibility: An Exploratory Analysis in Atlanta

Mingshu Wang, University of Georgia

Come Share Our Dream—But Don't Look Past the Silt Fence

Alison Hopkins, Agnes Scott College

Came From Nothing: An Interactive Documentary

Nick Tippens, Georgia Institute of Technology

The Phoenix Project

Sara Norman, Georgia State University

Where the Sidewalk (Costs) End: Valuing Sidewalks in Midtown, Atlanta

Daniel Walls, Georgia Institute of Technology

Iberian/Latino American Heritage in Atlanta Buildings

María M. Carrión and students, Emory University

The Storytellers Project: "There's Something About Summerhill"

Richard Laupus, Shadows to Light

Demographic Inequities in Health Outcomes and Air Pollution Exposure in the Atlanta Area and its Relationship to Urban Infrastructure

Tate Davis, Georgia Institute of Technology

Session 3: 1:45–3:15

Full Panel Session

Transnational Atlanta: Exploring Diasporic Regional Geographies Jones Room

- Chair: Kali-Ahset Amen, Emory University
- Panelists: Kali-Ahset Amen, Emory University
Regine O. Jackson, Agnes Scott College
Asia Leeds, Spelman College
Mark Bilal King, Morehouse College
Justin Hosbey, Emory University

Individual Paper Session

Food Insecurity Rose Teaching and Learning Studio

- Chair: Jeffrey Trask, Georgia State University
- Papers: **Food Insecurity in Atlanta, Georgia's, Adamsville Neighborhood: Physical and Financial Considerations of the Community Food Landscape**
Evan Daily, La Universidad EARTH
- Supermarket Redlining and Small Store Stimulus: Analysis of Snap Retailers in Metro Atlanta After the Great Recession**
Jerry Shannon, University of Georgia
- A Seat at the Table: Hunger and Collegiate Food Pantries in Atlanta, Georgia**
Melaine Ferdinand-King, Spelman College
- Residential Segregation, Migration, and Food Access Disparity in Atlanta**
Cathy Yang Liu and Joowon Jeong, Georgia State University

Full Panel Session

Schooling, Equity and Sustainability in Metro Atlanta's Past and Present

Rose Woodruff Commons Seminar Room

- Chair: Ruth Yow, Georgia Institute of Technology
- Panelists: Ruth Yow, Georgia Institute of Technology
Michael Bryan II, Georgia Institute of Technology
Daniel Amsterdam, Georgia Institute of Technology
Suzanne Haerther, US Green Building Council

Full Panel Session

Rethinking the Urban University in Atlanta

Rose Woodruff Commons Conference Room

Chair: Jean-Paul Addie, Georgia State University

Panelists: Jean-Paul Addie, Georgia State University
 Sam Williams, Georgia State University
 Mary Beth Walker, Georgia State University
 Bruce Stiftel, Georgia Institute of Technology
 Robert M. Franklin Jr., Emory University
 Rita Gibson, AUC University Community Development Corporation

Full Panel Session

Geographies of Neoliberal Governance in Metro Atlanta

Rose Billops-Hatch Seminar Room

Chair: Coleman Allums, University of Georgia

Panelists: Coleman Allums, University of Georgia
 Taylor Hafley, University of Georgia
 Scott Markley, University of Georgia
 Rachel Will, University of Georgia

Session 4: 3:30–5:00

Individual Paper Session

Sprawl and Urbanization

Jones Room

Chair: Anna Joo Kim, Georgia Institute of Technology

Papers: **“Perfectly Positioned”: The Blurring of Urban, Suburban, and Rural Boundaries in a Southern Community**

Betsie Garner, Tennessee Tech

Renting the Dream: The Rise of the Single Family Rentership in the Sunbelt Metropolis

Dan Immergluck, Georgia State University

Visualizing Eight Decades of Metropolitan Atlanta Growth with The Sprawling of Atlanta Digital Project

Joe Hurley and Katheryn Nikolich, Georgia State University

How the Car Won the Road: The Surrender of Atlanta’s Public Streets, 1899–1929

Laura Drummond, Georgia State University

Full Panel Session

Green Card Youth Voices: Immigration Stories from an Atlanta High School
Rose Teaching and Learning Studio

- Chair: Darlene Xiomara Rodriguez, Kennesaw State University
- Panelists: Darlene Xiomara Rodriguez, Kennesaw State University
Tea Rozman Clark, Green Card Voices
Jan Anglade, DeKalb International Student Center
Julie Goldberg, Clarkston High School
Jacob Eismeier, Cross Keys High School
Yehimi Cambron, Cross Keys High School
Eliezer Velez, Latin American Association
Rigoberto Rivera, Latin American Association
Lara Smith-Sitton, Kennesaw State University
Paul N. McDaniel, Kennesaw State University
Sanjuana Rodriguez, Kennesaw State University
Kimberly Henghold, Kennesaw State University
Brian Wooten, Kennesaw State University

Full Panel Session

The Great Speckled Bird Newspaper: Reflections on Its Impact in Atlanta
Rose Woodruff Commons Seminar Room

- Panelists: Andrew Reisinger, Georgia State University
Nan Orrock, Georgia State Senate
Stephanie Coffin, Community Activist
Steve Wise, Community Activist

Individual Paper Session

Housing Affordability and Atlanta's Black Mecca Status
Rose Woodruff Commons Conference Room

- Chair: Elora Raymond, Clemson University
- Papers: **Ghetto Mecca: Perceptions of Class, Race and Identity in Atlanta**
Jonathan Grant, Georgia State University
- Black Migration and Socioeconomic Inequality in Atlanta:
Has It Changed in the Past 35 Years?**
Charles Jaret, Georgia State University
- A Typology of Housing Voucher-accessible Neighborhoods in Great Recession Atlanta**
Renee Skeete, Georgia State University

Linking GSE Post-Foreclosure Crisis Policy to Housing and Neighborhood (In)Stability

Jermaine Durham, Clemson University

Elora Raymond, Clemson University

Cliff Kuhn Memorial Keynote Lecture: 5:15–6:00**Rose Teaching and Learning Studio****Retrofitting Suburban Atlanta in Response to
Changing Demographics and Desires**

Ellen Dunham-Jones

Reception: 6:00–7:00 Rose Woodruff Commons**Symposium Committee**

Jesse P. Karlsberg, Emory University, Chair

Ashley Bozarth, Federal Reserve Bank of Atlanta

Marni Davis, Georgia State University

Katherine Hankins, Georgia State University

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