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Curriculum Vitae  
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**EMPLOYMENT**

Assistant Professor, Political Science, John Jay College of Criminal Justice- City University of New York, 2014

**EDUCATION**

Ph.D., Political Science, University of Chicago, 2014

*Dissertation:* The Development of Political Identity in Public Housing Spaces  
*Chairs:* Cathy J. Cohen (Co-Chair), Omar McRoberts (Co-Chair)

M.A., Political Science, University of Chicago, 2009

B.A., Political Science and Center for Afroamerican and African Studies (high honors), University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, 2007

**AWARDS, FELLOWSHIPS & GRANTS**

2013 Sammy Younge Best Student Paper Award , National Conference of Black Political Scientists, Chicago, IL.  
2012-2014 Carter G. Woodson Pre-Doctoral Fellowship, University of Virginia  
2012-2013 American Association of University Women Dissertation Fellowship, *declined*  
2012-2013 Ford Foundation Dissertation Fellowship, *alternate*  
2012 Founders Student Symposium Award, National Conference of Black Political Scientists, Las Vegas, NV  
2012 Doolittle-Harrison Fellowship, University of Chicago  
2012 Department of Political Science Travel Grant, University of Chicago  
2011 Grodzkins Lectureship, University of Chicago  
2010, 2011 Research Initiative Grant, University of Chicago  
2009 Office of Multicultural Affairs Travel Grant, University of Chicago  
2008 NSF AGEPS/SBE Summer Collaborative Grant  
2007-2012 Five-Year Social Sciences Division Fellowship, University of Chicago

## **PUBLICATIONS**

Moffett-Bateau, Alexandra J. "Feminist Erasure: The Development of a Black Feminist Methodological Theory." *Feminist Erasures: Challenging Backlash Culture*. Silva, K. and Mendes, K. (eds.) Basingstoke: Palgrave MacMillan. 2015.

## **PUBLICATIONS UNDER REVIEW**

Moffett-Bateau, Alexandra J. (revise and resubmit) *Political Creativity and the Negotiation of Political Engagement in Public Housing Spaces*. 2014

## **INVITED TALKS**

2013 Panelist. "Scandalous: Race, Sex and Politics in the Age of Olivia Pope." Carter G. Woodson Institute, University of Virginia, April 25

2012 Panelist. "The Haunted and the Hunted: A Flash Seminar on Stop and Frisk." Carter G. Woodson Institute, University of Virginia, November 5.

2012 Panelist. "Building a Good Intellectual Foundation in your Discipline." Social, Behavior and Economic Sciences (SBE) Symposium, University of Chicago, May 25.

2012 Panelist. "Black Studies/Chronicle of Higher Education Controversy: Circumstances, Context, Meaning." Center for the Study of Race, Politics and Culture, University of Chicago, University of Chicago, May 23.

2012 "Developing Vision: On Becoming a Black Feminist Academic." Keynote Presentation at the Women and Gender Studies Undergraduate Conference, Roosevelt University, Chicago, IL, March 30.

2011 "Public Housing Spaces and Political Imagination." Political Psychology Workshop, University of Chicago, November 18.

2010 "Young Black People, Political Efficacy and Hip-Hop." Race and Religion Workshop, University of Chicago, April 13.

## **CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS**

2013 "Citizenship, Community and Belonging: The Impact of the Public Housing Experience on Political Engagement." Accepted at the Midwest Political Science Association Conference, Chicago, IL, April 11-14.

2012 "Political Creativity in Urban Spaces: How Public Housing Shapes the Political Participation of Low-Income Residents." Presented at the Minority Graduate Student Association Conference, University of Chicago, May 5.

2012 "Public Housing and the Development of Political Imagination." Presented at the Midwest Political Science Association Conference, Chicago, IL, April 12-15.

2012 "Public Housing and the Development of Political Imagination." Presented at the National Conference for Black Political Scientists, Las Vegas, NV, February 15-17.

2010 "Police Brutality and Political Cynicism." Presented at the Midwest Political Science Association Conference, Chicago, IL, April 22-25

2010 "Misogyny, Gender and Race: Effects of Rap Music on Political Efficacy and Political Attitudes of Young People." [Poster] Presented at the Midwest Political Science Association Conference, Chicago, IL, April 22-25

2009 "Young Black Women and the Politics of Rap Music." Presented at the National Conference of Black Political Scientists, Houston, TX, March 18-21

2007 "The Influence of Black Feminist Academics on Black Female Activists." [Poster] Presented at the Midwest Political Science Association Conference, Chicago, IL, April 12-16.

## **OTHER PRESENTATIONS AND SPEAKING ENGAGEMENTS**

2010 "Young People and the 2010 Election." Presented at the Applied Research Center Facing Race Conference, Chicago, IL, September 24-25.

2010 "The Politics of Young People and the Black Youth Project." Presented to the University of Chicago Summer Links Program, Chicago, IL, August 20.

2010 "Young People, Research and the Black Youth Project." Presented at the Youth Voices Network Training, Chicago, IL, January 29-30.

2009 "Civic and Political Engagement Beyond 2008." Presented at the Ford Foundation Convening, Washington, D.C., December 7-9.

2009 "Starting a Research Project." Presented for the Woodlawn Community Charter School, Chicago, IL, October 29.

## **TEACHING EXPERIENCE**

### **Instructor/Lecturer**

2012 Violence and the Politics of Black Women, University of Chicago (Spring)

## **Preceptor**

2011-2012 Public Policy BA Thesis Colloquium

2009, 2010, 2011 Mellon Mays Summer Undergraduate Fellowship Program

## **Teaching Assistant**

2010-2011 Research Learning Program, Kenwood Academy, Chicago, IL

2010 Politics of the U.S. Congress, University of Chicago

2010 Black Feminist Politics, University of Chicago

## **RESEARCH EXPERIENCE**

2011-2012 Nonresident Student Fellow for the Learning Ecologies, Networks and Pathways Research Project, University of California-Irvine

2009-2011 Project Manager for the Mobilization, Change, Political and Civic Engagement Project, (Prof. Cathy J. Cohen), University of Chicago

2010 Research Assistant, Prof. John Mark Hansen, University of Chicago

2008-2010 Research Assistant, Black Youth Project (Prof. Cathy J. Cohen), University of Chicago,

2006 Research Assistant, Dr. Nesha Haniff, South Africa, University of Michigan

2005-2006 Research Assistant, Dr. Nesha Haniff, University of Michigan

2005 Intern, Global Intercultural Experience for Undergraduates, Jamaica, University of Michigan

2004 Research Assistant, Prof. Vincent Hutchings, University of Michigan

## **PROFESSIONAL SERVICE**

2011-2012 University of Chicago, The Office of Multicultural Student Affairs Graduate & Professional Student (GPS) Mentoring Program

2011-2012 University of Chicago, Chicago Careers in Higher Education Mentoring Program

2011-2012 University of Chicago, Graduate Student Mentor, Departmental Political Science Association

2008-2009 University of Chicago, The Collegiate Mentoring Program

**PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS**

American Political Science Association

Midwestern Political Science Association

National Conference of Black Political Scientists