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African Studies Conference

The Middle States African Studies Association is seeking papers and panel proposals for its first conference, "Shadow of the Past," March 23-26, 2000, Cultural Center, Charleston, WV. Papers will be accepted from all disciplines. Priority will be given to the following: Indigenous Knowledge Systems, Historical Legacy, Racism, Ethnicity, Religion, Traditional Literature and Restoration, Diaspora Studies and Pan-Africanism, Africa, Caribbean, and Latin American International Relationships, and Curriculum Innovations. The deadline for 200 word abstract submission is December 22, 1999. Interested presenters, please submit abstracts to: Dr. C. Stuart McGehee, Chair, Department of History, 307 Hill Hall, Campus Box 162, West Virginia State College, Institute, WV 25112-1000; Telephone: (304) 766-3240; Fax: (304) 766-5186.

African Diaspora Conference

The California State University Sacramento Center for African Peace Conflict Resolution, in collaboration with the African Studies Coalition and Pan African Studies Program presents its 9th Annual African Diaspora Conference, entitled "Africans in the Americas: Past, Present & Future, May 4-6, 2000. The conference will identify and define critical issues facing the African Diaspora in America, as well as provide some perspectives for understanding her socio-cultural dynamics and policy formulations. For questions or paper presentation, please contact: Dr. Ernest E. Uwazie, Director, Center for African Peace & Conflict Resolution, California State University, Sacramento, CA 95819-6085; Telephone: (916) 278 -6282; FAX (916) 278 -7692; Email:uwazieeee@csus.edu.

Pan-Africanist Conference

The Africana Studies Department of the University at Albany, State University of New York is having a conference on Garvey, Malcolm, Nkrumah, and the New Millennium April 6-8, 2000. The objective of the conference is to facilitate scholarly discussions of the Pan-Africanist visions of Garvey, Malcolm, and Nkrumah. The aim is to examine how relevant their visions are in the Twenty First Century. Papers will be accepted on these and other topics: Continental Leadership and Management; Strengthening of Continental Africa's Relationship with Africans in the Diaspora; Institutional Building for Foreign, Economic, Military, and Security Policies; Creations of an African Continental Currency; Fixing the

Core/Periphery Relationships. The Program Committee reserves the right to create panels from papers submitted on similar topic areas. Abstracts submitted after the deadline date of February 15, 2000, risk not being considered for the program. Interested presenters please submit a 200 word abstract and a cover sheet providing your name, institutional affiliation, address, phone number, and email to: Dr. Kwadwo A. Sarfoh, Chair, Department of Africana Studies, University at Albany (SUNY), 1400 Washington Ave., BA 115, Albany, NY 12222; Telephone: (518) 442-4730; Fax: (518) 422-2569; Email: rms99@cnsunix.albany.edu.

Transnational and Transcultural Studies

Passages: Journal of Transnational and Transcultural Studies invites submissions for a number of upcoming special issues. The themes include border studies, transnational sexualities, cities and globalization, conquest and culture. Essays on other themes related to the interest of the Journal are also welcome. Interdisciplinary work is highly encouraged. All essays should be accessible to readers across various fields. Send inquiries and submissions to: Mohammed A. Bamyeh, 715 Broadway, New York, NY, USA 10003-6806; Email: mohammed.bamyeh@nyu.edu.

MEETING CALENDAR

AHA Annual Meeting

The American Historical Association's (AHA) 114th Annual Meeting is January 6-9, 2000, in Chicago, IL. The theme for the meeting is "History for the Twenty-First Century: Continuity and Change." Of particular interest to Africanists is a roundtable entitled "Exploring the World: Twentieth-Century Historical Developments, Retrospects and Prospects: African History" that is scheduled for Saturday, January 8, 2000, 9:30-11:30 AM. The roundtable features Edward Alpers of UCLA, Emmanuel Akyeampong of Harvard, Barbara Cooper of NYU, Sandra Greene of Cornell, Joseph Harris of Howard, Luise White of University of Florida, and Joseph Miller of UVA. Information about the meeting, including housing and preregistration forms and the program, are available at the AHA website. For information contact: Sharon K. Tune, Convention Director, AHA, 400 A St. S.E., Washington, D.C. 20003, Telephone: (202) 544-2422 ext. 101; Email: stune@theaha.org; Website: www.theaha.org.

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