

TRACIE CANADA

Curriculum Vitae

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EDUCATION

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| 2020 | Ph.D., Socio-Cultural Anthropology, University of Virginia
Dissertation: "A Team of Brothers: Race, Kin, and Order in College Football" |
| 2016 | M.A., Socio-Cultural Anthropology, University of Virginia |
| 2013 | B.A., <i>cum laude</i> , Cultural Anthropology and Spanish, Duke University |

ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS

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| 2021- | Assistant Professor, Department of Anthropology, University of Notre Dame |
| 2020-2021 | Postdoctoral Research Associate, Department of Anthropology, University of Notre Dame
Research Collaborator, Department of Anthropology, University of North Carolina-Chapel Hill |
| 2019-2020 | Visiting Scholar, Department of Anthropology, University of Pennsylvania |
| 2018-2019 | Visiting Scholar, Institute of African American Research, University of North Carolina-Chapel Hill |

AREAS OF SPECIALIZATION

United States – anthropology of sport – African-American ethnography – kinship and care – masculinity and gender studies – institutions of higher education – Spanish (non-native fluency)

PUBLICATIONS

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| 2021 | "Reflection, Theory, and Pedagogy: Engaging <i>The Second Generation of African American Pioneers in Anthropology</i> ." <i>History of Anthropology Review</i> , forthcoming. |
| 2020 | "Tackling Care and Capitalism in College Football." <i>SAPIENS</i> website, December 14, 2020.
https://www.sapiens.org/culture/college-football-racial-capitalism/ |
| 2019 | "A Kelleyan Approach to Anthropology." Member Voices, <i>Fieldsights</i> , July 8.
https://culanth.org/fieldsights/a-kelleyan-approach-to-anthropology |
| 2018 | "Power Players: US Football and French Rugby." <i>SAPIENS: A Podcast for Everything Human</i> , <i>SAPIENS</i> website, October 23, 2018.
https://www.sapiens.org/culture/paying-college-athletes-football-rugby/ |
| 2018 | "For the Love of Football." <i>Anthropology News</i> website, August 21, 2018.
http://www.anthropology-news.org/index.php/2018/08/21/for-the-love-of-football/ |

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- 2017 “Passionate Doubleness: Genius and Struggle in the Life and Work of W.E.B. Du Bois.” *Bérose, Encyclopédie en ligne sur l'histoire de l'anthropologie et des savoirs ethnographiques* website. August 28, 2017.
<http://www.berose.fr/?Passionate-Doubleness-Genius-and-Struggle-in-the-Work-of-W-E-B-Du-Bois>
- 2017 Review of *Raised Up Down Yonder: Growing up Black in Rural Alabama*, by Angela McMillan Howell. *Transforming Anthropology*, 25(1):69-71.
- 2016 (with Dr. Lee D. Baker) “Is It Worth It? Science Education of the Talented 2%.” *Transforming Anthropology*, 24(2):116-124.
- 2015 Review of *Lines of Descent: W.E.B. Du Bois and the Emergence of Identity*, by Kwame Anthony Appiah. *Transforming Anthropology*, 23(2):121-122.

AWARDS, GRANTS, AND FELLOWSHIPS

External

- 2020-2022
 (declined) University of North Carolina-Chapel Hill
 Carolina Postdoctoral Program for Faculty Diversity
- 2019, 2020 American Ethnological Society
 Student Diversity Travel Grant
- 2019 Ford Foundation Dissertation Fellowship Program
 Honorable Mention
- 2017-2018 National Collegiate Athletic Association (NCAA)
 Graduate Student Research Grant
- 2017-2018 Wenner-Gren Foundation for Anthropological Research
 Dissertation Fieldwork Grant
- 2017 Ford Foundation Predoctoral Fellowship Program
 Alternate
- 2016 The North American Society for the Sociology of Sport
 Gary Sailes Graduate Diversity Scholarship Award
- 2015-2020 National Science Foundation
 Graduate Research Fellowship Award
- 2015-2019 Social Science Research Council-Mellon Mays
 Predoctoral Research Grant
- 2011-present Andrew W. Mellon Foundation
 Mellon Mays Undergraduate Fellowship

Institutional

- 2020-2021 Institute for Scholarship in the Liberal Arts, University of Notre Dame
 ‘Race and Ethnicity in the United States’ Grant
- 2020 Department of Anthropology, University of Virginia
 Award for Best Dissertation Chapter
- 2018-2019 Department of Anthropology, University of Virginia

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	Small Grants for Graduate Student Research and Conference Support
2018	Graduate and Postdoctoral Diversity Programs, University of Virginia Professional Development Award
2016	Office of Graduate and Postdoctoral Affairs, University of Virginia Arts, Humanities, and Social Sciences Summer Research Award
2015-2016	Department of Anthropology, University of Virginia Preliminary Field Research Grant

CONFERENCE PARTICIPATION

Panels Organized

2020	“Paradoxical Games and Athletes’ Lived Experiences.” Roundtable at the Virtual Annual Conference of the North American Society for the Sociology of Sport, Virginia Beach, VA. November 5.
2020	(with Sara Rendell) “Intimate Protections: Care and Kin in the Face of Global Anti-Blackness.” Panel at the Spring Meeting of the American Ethnological Society, University of Texas-Austin. March 27. [conference cancelled]
2019	“Re-centering the Anthropology of Sport on the Athlete.” Panel at the Annual Meeting of the American Anthropological Association, Vancouver, Canada. November 23.

Conference Presentations

2021	“Playing through a Pandemic: Football Bodies and Institutionalized Care.” Paper presented at the Virtual Conference for the H.J. Lutcher Stark Center for Physical Culture and Sports, University of Texas-Austin. January 15. [upcoming]
2020	“‘The year my mom was born’: Black Mothering and American Football.” Paper presented at the Spring Meeting of the American Ethnological Society, University of Texas-Austin. March 27. [conference cancelled]
2019	“Black Players and the Team Ordering of College Football.” Paper presented at the Annual Meeting of the American Anthropological Association, Vancouver, Canada. November 23.
2019	“A Team of Brothers: Black Players and the Ordering of College Football.” Paper presented at the Annual Conference of the North American Society for the Sociology of Sport, Virginia Beach, VA. November 7.
2019	“‘The son that gets a lot of whoopings’: Performing Race and Navigating Violence in College Football.” Paper presented at the Biennial Conference of the Association for the Study of the Worldwide African Diaspora, Williamsburg, VA. November 6.
2019	“Black Players, Quotidian Violence, and the Ordering of College Football.” Paper presented at the Annual Meeting of the Association for the Study of African American Life and History, Charleston, SC. October 5.
2019	“Navigating Violence and Performing Race in the Ordering of College Football.” Paper presented at the Annual Physical Cultural Studies Graduate Student Conference, University of Maryland. April 12.

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- 2019 “College Football and Black Women’s Care Work.” Paper presented at the Institute for African American Research, University of South Carolina. April 5.
- 2019 “‘The year my mom was born’: An Ethnography of Care and Kin in College Football.” Poster presented at the Annual College Sport Research Institute Conference, University of South Carolina. April 5.
- 2019 “A Team of Brothers: Black Players and the Ordering of College Football.” Paper presented at the Spring Meeting of the American Ethnological Society, Washington University in St. Louis. March 16.
- 2018 “Black Ethnographers in Black Communities.” Panelist on “Recentering Domestic Ethnography, Decentering American Anthropology,” roundtable at the Annual Meeting of the American Anthropological Association, San Jose, CA. November 16.
- 2018 “Notes from the Football Field: An Ethnography of Race, Family, and Nation.” Paper presented at the Annual Research Committee Meeting of the National Collegiate Athletic Association, Indianapolis, IN. September 20.
- 2018 “Football Families: Kinship in College Football.” Paper presented at the Annual Graduate Research Symposium, College of William and Mary. March 17.
- 2018 “Care and Support in Big-Time College Football.” Poster presented at the Annual Black Student-Athlete Summit: The Power of Race in College Athletics, University of Texas-Austin. January 18.
- 2017 “Tackling the Everyday: Race, Family, and Nation in Big-Time College Football.” Paper presented at the Department of Anthropology Annual Graduate Research Symposium, University of Virginia. March 24.
- 2012 “Big-Time Football: Athletics, Masculinity, and the Student-Athlete.” Paper presented at the Mays Undergraduate Fellowship Southeast Regional Conference, Rice University. November 17.
- 2011 “Racial Politics in College Athletics.” Paper presented at the Mellon Mays Undergraduate Fellowship Southeast Regional Conference, Duke University. November 12.

INVITED PRESENTATIONS

Talks

- 2020 “Relating on a College Football Team,” Invited talk, Minorities in Social Sciences Virtual Lecture Series, Rice University. November 12.
- 2020 “A Team of Brothers: Tackling and Surviving College Football.” Invited talk, Department of Anthropology Virtual Speakers Series, Vanderbilt University. October 30.
- 2019 “An Ethnography of Race, Family, and Nation in Big-Time College Football.” Invited talk, Mellon Mays Undergraduate Fellowship Lecture Series, Bryn Mawr College. October 28.

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- 2018 “‘I do it for them’: Teammate Bonds and Constructed Brotherhood.” Invited talk, Institute of African American Research, University of North Carolina-Chapel Hill. November 12.
- 2014 (with Dr. Lee D. Baker) “Is It Worth It? Science Education of the Talented 2%.” Invited talk, Department of Anthropology Colloquium, Princeton University. March 26.

Lectures and Panels

- 2020 “Underrepresented in the Classroom, Overrepresented on the Playing Field.” Invited virtual lecture, Department of Anthropology, University of Notre Dame. October 20.
- 2019 “Exploited Labor and Legacies of Inequality.” Invited lecture, Department of Anthropology, University of Virginia. November 4.
- 2019 “Black Athletes and White Universities.” Invited lecture, Department of History, University of North Carolina-Chapel Hill. April 11.
- 2019 “Navigating Fieldsite Access when Studying Black Communities.” Panelist, Institute of African American Research, University of North Carolina-Chapel Hill. April 1.
- 2019 “Taking Care of Business: The Athlete Edition.” Panelist, United Black Athletes club meeting, Duke University. March 31.
- 2019 “Disciplining Football Bodies.” Invited virtual lecture, Department of Sociology and Anthropology, Carleton College. January 16.
- 2018 “For Students of Color Who Have Not Considered Research Because You Think Your Major is Enough.” Panelist, Undergraduate Research Support Office, Duke University. November 27.
- 2018 Graduate Student Panel. Panelist, Mellon Mays Undergraduate Fellowship Program Southeast Regional Conference, Duke University. November 4.
- 2018 “Science Education and Students of Color.” Invited lecture, Department of Anthropology, University of North Carolina-Chapel Hill. October 30.
- 2018 “Navigating Bureaucratic Structures during Fieldwork.” Panelist, Fieldwork, Ethics, and Ethnographic Writing Workshop, University of Virginia. October 26.
- 2018 “Athletics and Academics for Black Athletes.” Invited lecture, Department of Cultural Anthropology, Duke University. September 18.
- 2018 Graduate Student Panel. Panelist, Leadership Alliance Mellon Initiative Day, University of Virginia. July 11.
- 2018 “Ethnographic Fieldwork in Graduate School.” Invited lecture, Mellon Mays Undergraduate Fellowship meeting, Duke University. March 5.
- 2016 “Super Bowl 50: Race in America’s Game.” Invited lecture, Department of Anthropology, University of Virginia. March 4.
- 2015 “Overcoming Struggles during Summer Fieldwork.” Panelist, Pre-Fieldwork Forum, University of Virginia. October 15.

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2012 “Student-Athletes and Achievement.” Panelist, Research Network for Racial and Ethnic Inequality, Duke University. October 18.

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

2014-2015; 2017 Instructor, University of Virginia
Tournaments and Athletes; Advanced Academic Writing

2016-2017 Teaching and/or Grading Assistant, University of Virginia
Introduction to African-American and African Studies I; Introduction to African-American and African Studies II; Tournaments and Athletes; Black Femininities and Masculinities in the U.S. Media

2014-2015 Academic Tutor, University of Virginia, Athletic Academic Affairs
Introduction to Anthropology; Language and Gender

2012-2013 Teaching Assistant, Duke University
Anthropology of Race; Sports and Society

ACADEMIC SERVICE

2020-present Field Notes Associate Editor, *History of Anthropology Review*

2019-2020 Co-Founder and Organizer, Decolonizing Anthropology Workshop,
University of Virginia

2019 Alumni Interviewer, Undergraduate Admissions Office, Duke University

2018-2020 Mentor, Mellon Mays Gap Assistance Program, Mellon Mays-Woodrow
Wilson National Fellowship Foundation

2018-2019 Graduate Mentor, United Black Athletes, Duke University

2018-2019 Member, Department of Anthropology Speaker Series Committee,
University of Virginia

UNIVERSITY WORK EXPERIENCE

2020 Digital Pedagogy Intern, Arts & Sciences Learning Design & Technology
Team, University of Virginia

2020 Graduate Assistant, Provost’s Summer Mentorship Program (SMP), Office
of the Vice Provost for Student Engagement, University of Pennsylvania

2016-2017 Graduate Student Assistant, Leadership Alliance Mellon Initiative (LAMI),
Graduate and Postdoctoral Diversity Programs, University of Virginia

2016 Graduate Student Intern, Office of the Vice President and Chief Officer for
Diversity and Equity, University of Virginia

2014-2015 Tutor, Athletic Academic Affairs, University of Virginia

2013-2014 Staff and Research Assistant, Office of the Dean of Academic Affairs, Duke
University

2011-2012 Note Taker, Student Disability Access Office, Duke University

2011 Intern, Office of Football Relations, Duke University

2010-2011 Intern, Undergraduate Admissions Office, Duke University

PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS

American Anthropological Association (AAA)

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American Ethnological Society – Association of Black Anthropologists – Society for the Anthropology of North America – Society for Cultural Anthropology

Association for the Study of African American Life and History (ASALH)

Association for the Study of the Worldwide African Diaspora (ASWAD)

The North American Society for the Sociology of Sport (NASSS)