

## Carl Suddler

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Curriculum vitae

### EDUCATION

- 2015 **Ph.D.**, Department of History, Indiana University  
Major field: U.S. History | Minor field: African American and African Diaspora Studies  
2010 **M.A.**, Department of History, Indiana University  
2008 **B.A.**, Department(s) of History and Black American Studies, University of Delaware

### PROFESSIONAL EMPLOYMENT

- 2019–Present **Assistant Professor**  
Department of History, Emory University
- 2017–2019 **Assistant Professor**  
Department of History, Florida Atlantic University
- 2016–2017 **Assistant Professor of Instruction**  
Department of Black American Studies, University of Delaware
- 2015–2016 **Postdoctoral Fellow**  
James Weldon Johnson Institute, Emory University
- 2011–2014 **Editorial Assistant**  
*Journal of American History*

### PUBLICATIONS

#### Books

*Presumed Criminal: Black Youth and the Justice System in Postwar New York* (New York University Press, 2019)

#### Articles

Carl Suddler, “The Color of Justice without Prejudice: Youth, Race, and Crime in the Case of the Harlem Six,” *American Studies Journal*, vol. 57, no. 1/2 (2018), pp. 57–78.

Yasser A. Payne and Carl Suddler, “Cope, Conform or Resist? Functions of a Black American Identity at a Predominantly White University,” *Equity and Excellence in Education* 47 (August 2014), pp. 385–403.

#### Other Writings

Carl Suddler, “How the Central Park Five expose the fundamental injustice in our legal system,” *Washington Post*, 12 June 2019

Carl Suddler, “Jackie Robinson Didn’t Just Shut Up and play. So Why Should Today’s Athletes,” *Bleacher Report*, 13 April 2018

Carl Suddler, “Remembering Michael Brown: Why black youth are branded as criminals,” *The Conversation*, 8 August 2016

## FELLOWSHIPS, GRANTS, AND PROFESSIONAL APPOINTMENTS

- 2019–2018 Department of History Research Award, Florida Atlantic University  
2019–2017 Peace, Justice and Human Rights, Affiliate Faculty, Florida Atlantic University  
2018 Peace, Justice and Human Rights, Professional Development Grant, Florida Atlantic University  
2016–2015 James Weldon Johnson Institute, Postdoctoral Fellowship, Emory University  
2015–2014 President’s Diversity Dissertation Fellowship, Indiana University  
2014 Kohlmeier Fellowship, Indiana University  
2014 Woodburn Fellowship, Indiana University  
2011 Wiseman Fellowship, Indiana University  
2008 African American Student of Distinction, University of Delaware

## TEACHING EXPERIENCE

- 2019–Present **Assistant Professor, Emory University**  
African American Urban History since 1945  
Sports in American History and Culture
- 2017–Present **Assistant Professor, Florida Atlantic University**  
African American History to 1877  
History of the African Diaspora  
African American History since 1877  
American Sports History  
U.S. History since 1865  
The Civil Rights Movement  
*Graduate Readings*: Mass Incarceration from the Early Republic through the New Jim Crow
- 2016–2017 **Assistant Professor of Instruction, University of Delaware**  
African American History to the Civil War  
African American History since the Civil War  
The Civil Rights Movement  
Prisons in American History  
African American Women’s History  
*Graduate Readings*: Historicizing the Carceral State
- 2015–2016 **Postdoctoral Fellow, Emory University**  
Twentieth-Century African American Urban History
- 2009–2013 **Instructor, Indiana University**  
Prison Spaces in American History  
Crime and Punishment\*  
Twentieth-Century Urban History\*  
Nineteenth-Century U.S. History of the South\*  
African American Women’s History\*  
\* – Denotes Teaching Assistant

## INVITED TALKS

- 2019 On *Presumed Criminal*, Program in History and Education, Teachers College, Columbia University, New York, NY
- 2019 Networking and Other Essential Skills, Graduate Students Workshop, Organization of American Historians Annual Meeting, Philadelphia, PA
- 2019 On *Presumed Criminal*, James Weldon Johnson Institute for the Study of Race and Difference Colloquium Series, Emory University, Atlanta, GA
- 2018 On *Between the World and Me*, University Honors Program, Florida Atlantic University
- 2018 “‘The Way I See It’: Reframing Black Youth and Racial Injustice,” Peace, Justice and Human Rights Initiative Colloquium Series, Florida Atlantic University
- 2018 A History of Black History Month, Renaissance Charter School, West Palm Beach, FL
- 2017 Civil Rights Movement, YALI Mandela Washington Fellowship, University of Delaware
- 2016 “The Color of Justice without Prejudice: Youth, Race, and Crime in the Case of the Harlem Six,” Race and Difference Colloquium Series, Emory University, Atlanta, GA
- 2011 Convocation Speaker, Department of Black American Studies, University of Delaware

## SELECTED CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS

(\*Denotes chair and/or commentator | \*\*Denotes organizer *and* speaker)

- 2019 Policing the City: Rethinking the Past and Future of American Policing, American Studies Association Annual Meeting, Honolulu, HI\*\*
- 2019 Gender and Policing in 20<sup>th</sup>-Century Urban America, Panel, Organization of American Historians Annual Meeting, Philadelphia, PA\*
- 2018 “Protecting New York City from Harlem,” New Directions in the History of Police and Cities, Roundtable, Urban History Association Biennial, Columbia, SC
- 2018 “‘Sportsmanship as Virtue for All Negro Youngsters’: Crime Prevention and the Politic of Play in Postwar Harlem,” Urban History Association Biennial, Columbia, SC\*\*
- 2018 “A Hit with the Kids: Jackie Robinson’s Fight against Juvenile Delinquency,” North American Society for Sport History Annual Meeting, Winnipeg, Manitoba
- 2017 “Potential Delinquents: Preventive Policing in Depression-Era New York City,” American Studies Association Annual Meeting, Chicago, IL\*\*
- 2015 “Young Forever: The Criminalization of Urban Youth,” Dark Tower Series, Department of African American Studies, Emory University, Atlanta, GA
- 2015 “Rumor Represents the Psychological Truth to Those Who Tell It: Youth Accounts of the 1943 Harlem Riot,” National Council of Black Studies, Los Angeles, CA\*\*
- 2014 “In All Our Harlems: Policing Black Youth and the Case of the Harlem Six,” American Historical Association, Washington, D.C.

- 2011 “Marginalized by the Margin: The Streets in Black Diaspora Studies,” Herman C. Hudson Symposium, Indiana University, Bloomington, IN
- 2009 “A Psycho-Historical Analysis of Black Men and Crime in the United States: How History Can Be Used By Psychologists to Better Understand and Reach Street Life Oriented Black Men in the Twenty-First Century,” with Yasser Payne, Association for the Study of African American Life and History, Cincinnati, OH
- 2008 “Cope, Conform, or Resist? How Black College Students Think About Double Consciousness in the Twenty-First Century,” Society for Psychological Study of Social Issues, Chicago, IL

### **SERVICE ACTIVITIES**

- 2019 Manuscript Reviewer, *Modern American History*
- 2019 Manuscript Reviewer, *Journal of American History*
- 2019 Book Reviewer, *Journal of African American History*
- 2019 Graduate Committee, Department of History, Florida Atlantic University
- 2018–2019 Faculty Associates Program, Florida Atlantic University\*  
\*Winner of Dr. Gary W. Perry Academic Partnership Award
- 2018 James Weldon Johnson Institute for the Study of Race and Difference Fellowship Selection Committee, Emory University
- 2018 Graduate Committee, Department of History, Florida Atlantic University
- 2015 Manuscript Reviewer, *Journal of American History*
- 2014 Managing Editorial Assistant, *Journal of American History*, Postdoctoral Search Committee
- 2013 Graduate Student Committee Member, African American History Search Committee, Department of History, Indiana University

### **RESEARCH AND TEACHING INTERESTS**

African American history; twentieth-century U.S. history; urban history; histories of crime and punishment; the carceral state; sport history; histories of childhood and youth.

### **PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS**

- Member, Organization of American Historians
- Member, American Historical Association
- Member, Association for the Study of African American Life and History
- Member, American Studies Association
- Member, Urban History Association
- Member, North American Society for Sport History