

## African American Leaders of the 20<sup>th</sup> Century (Fall 2020)

MODULE # 1	OBJECTIVES	ACTIVITIES	ASSESSMENTS	INTERACTIONS	COMPLETION TIME
August 25-28, 2020	Students' review of course syllabus and student introductions via Discussion Board	Read August Meier, <i>Negro Thought</i> (Ch. 1) Read the following essay: "George Floyd's Murder Shows once more that we cannot wait on White America to End Racism" and watch the following video clips: Cornel West on Racism (3:40); Cornel West "The Future of America Depends on How we Respond" (11:09) and Kimberly Jones "How Can We Win?" (6:46)		Blackboard group introductions and responses to a minimum of two of your classmates' introductory posts  <b>Black Board virtual class meeting #1 August 27<sup>th</sup> @ 1:30 p.m.</b>	3 hours
Module # 2: August 31-September 4, 2020	African American Political Experiences: The Heritage of Reconstruction	Read August Meier, <i>Negro Thought</i> (Ch. 2), Jacqueline Jones Royster, <i>Southern Horrors, Part I</i> and Elsa Barkley Brown, "The Labor of Politics" in <i>Major Problems</i> , pgs. 75-85. Watch the following video clips: "Ida B. Wells & Her Great Passion for Justice" (54:25); "Aftershock: Beyond the Civil War" (1:43); "The Origins of Lynching Culture in the United States" (10:30) and "A History of Lynching" (4:14)	Professor submitted Blackboard Forum question addressing the murders of Mr. George Floyd, Ms. Breonna Taylor, Mr. Ahmaud Arbery and the issue of systemic racism and violence against African Americans and people of color in America.	Blackboard Forum #1 submitted responses to the issue of systemic racism, police brutality and discrimination and violence against African Americans and people of color in America. <b>Forum responses due September 5th by 11:59 p.m.</b>	5 hours
Module # 3 September 7-11, 2020	"Ideologies in Flux": Accommodationism vs. Confrontationism	Read Meier, <i>Negro Thought</i> (Ch. 3) and Holt and Brown, eds, <i>Major Problems</i> , "Booker T. Washington Promotes Accommodationism, 1895," pgs. 159-161.	Professor submitted Blackboard Forum questions covering <i>Negro Thought</i> Chpts. 1-3 and <i>Southern Horrors</i> Part I	Blackboard Forum #2 submitted responses to chapter prompts. <b>Forum responses due September 12th by 11:59 p.m.</b>	4 hours

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			September 3 <sup>rd</sup> at 11:59 p.m. <b>Quiz # 1 submitted September 10<sup>th</sup> by 11:59 p.m. (MDT)</b>		
<b>Module # 4 September 14-18, 2020</b>	“Ideologies in Flux” Continued	Read Meier, <i>Negro Thought</i> (Ch. 7) Watch the following video clips: Dr. John Henrik Clarke on the Age of Booker T. Washington Parts 1-4 (44:4)			3 hours
<b>Module # 5 September 21-25, 2020</b>	“Self-Help and Racial Solidarity”	Read Meier, <i>Negro Thought</i> (Ch. 8) <b>Study Guide for Exam 1 provided September 22<sup>nd</sup></b>	<b>Quiz # 2 submitted by September 24<sup>th</sup> by 11:59 p.m. (MDT)</b>	<b>Black Board virtual class meeting # 2 September 24<sup>th</sup> @ 1:30 p.m.</b>	3 hours
<b>MODULE # 6</b>	<b>OBJECTIVES</b>	<b>ACTIVITIES</b>	<b>ASSESSMENTS</b>	<b>INTERACTIONS</b>	<b>COMPLETION TIME</b>
<b>September 28- October 2, 2020</b>	“The Lynching Factor”	Read Royster, <i>Southern Horrors</i> , Part II	<b>Exam # 1. Exam will open at 1:30 p.m. and close a 2:50 p.m. on September 29<sup>th</sup>.</b> Professor submitted BB Forum questions covering <i>Negro Thought</i> Chpt. 7-8 and <i>Southern Horrors</i> Part II	Blackboard Forum #3 submitted responses to chapter prompts. <b>Forum responses due October 3<sup>rd</sup> by 11:59 p.m.</b>	4.5 hours
<b>Module # 7 October 5-9, 2020</b>	“The Lynching Factor” continued	Read Franklin and Meier, eds., <i>Black Leaders of the Twentieth Century</i> (Ch. 3); Royster, <i>Southern Horrors</i> , Part II and <i>Vicksburg Evening Post</i> , “Most Horrible: Details of the Burning at the Stake of the Holberts.” Watch the following video clips: <i>Strange Fruit</i> by Billie Holiday (2:33) and <i>Strange Fruit</i> by Nina Simone (3:32)	<b>Miseducation of the Negro book review submitted by 11:59 p.m. (MDT) October 6<sup>th</sup></b>  Professor submitted Blackboard Forum questions covering Franklin and Meier, eds., <i>Black Leaders of the Twentieth Century</i> (Ch. 3)	Blackboard Forum #4 submitted responses to chapter prompts. <b>Forum responses due October 10<sup>th</sup> by 11:59 p.m.</b>	4.5 hours
<b>Module # 8 October 12-16, 2020</b>	“The Divided Mind”	Read Meier and Franklin, <i>Negro Thought</i> (Chpts.10-11)	<b>Quiz # 3 submitted October 15<sup>th</sup> by 11:59 p.m. (MDT)</b>		3.5 hours

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<p>Module # 9 <b>October 19-23, 2020</b></p>	<p>“The Divided Mind” continued</p>	<p>Meir and Franklin, <i>Negro Thought</i> (Ch.12); <i>Black Leaders</i> (Ch. 4) and Holt and Brown, eds, <i>Major Problems</i>, “The Niagara Men Pledge Themselves to Persistent Agitation, 1905,” pgs. 162-163; “Maggie Lena Walker Talks to Black Men about Racial Responsibility,” pgs. 163-167 and Winston James’s “Race Consciousness and Radicalism,” pgs. 177-183. Also, watch the following video clips: Du Bois Speaks! Socialism and the American Negro (34:53) and W.E.B. Du Bois Explains the Meaning of the “Negro Problem” (7:11)</p>	<p>Professor submitted Blackboard Forum questions covering Meier, <i>Negro Thought</i> (Chpts.10-12) and <i>Black Leaders</i> (Ch. 4)</p>	<p>Blackboard Forum #5 submitted responses to chapter prompts. <b>Forum responses due October 24<sup>th</sup> by 11:59 p.m.</b></p> <p><b>Black Board virtual class meeting # 3</b> October 20<sup>th</sup> @ 1:30 p.m.</p>	<p>5.5 hours</p>
<p>Module # 10 <b>October 26-30, 2020</b></p>	<p>In Hot Pursuit of Democracy and the 1920s</p>	<p>Meier and Franklin, <i>Negro Thought</i>, (Ch. 9); <i>Black Leaders</i> (Ch. 6) and Holt and Brown, <i>Major Problems</i>, “Marcus Garvey Assesses the Situation for Black People, 1922,” 169-170. Watch the following video clips: The Influence of Marcus Garvey Parts 1-2 (18:14)</p>	<p><b><i>Souls of Black Folk</i> book review submitted by 11:59 p.m. (MDT) October 29<sup>th</sup></b> <b>Quiz # 4 submitted. October 29<sup>th</sup> by 11:59 p.m. (MDT)</b></p> <p>Professor submitted BB forum questions covering Meir and Franklin, <i>Negro Thought</i> (Chpt 9 and Franklin and Meir, <i>Black Leaders</i> (Chpt. 6)</p>	<p>Blackboard Forum #6 submitted responses to chapter prompts. <b>Forum responses due November 1<sup>st</sup> by 11:59 p.m.</b></p>	<p>4.5 hours</p>
<p>Module # 11 <b>November 2-6, 2020</b></p>	<p>The “American Dilemma:” the Pre-</p>	<p>Franklin and Meier, <i>Black Leaders</i> (Chpts.</p>			<p>4.5 hours</p>

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	Civil Rights Movement Leadership	7-10). Watch and A. Philip Randolph clips (4:06) and (2:33)			
Module # 12 November 9-13, 2020	The “American Dilemma:” Continued	Read Meier, <i>Negro Thought</i> (Ch. 14) Watch the following video clip: Carter G. Woodson (6:22)			3.5 hours
<b>MODULE # 13</b>	<b>OBJECTIVES</b>	<b>ACTIVITIES</b>	<b>ASSESSMENTS</b>	<b>INTERACTIONS</b>	<b>COMPLETION TIME</b>
November 16-20, 2020	Civil Rights, Direct Action, the Pivotal 1960s and the “Black Revolution”	Franklin and Meier, <i>Black Leaders</i> (Chpts. 12-13) and Holt and Brown, <i>Major Problems</i> , “Martin Luther King, Jr., Writes from His Jail Cell, 1963,” 289-291 and watch the following video clips: Adam Clayton Powell on Black Power, 1968 (1:41); Martin Luther King, Jr., on the Montgomery Bus Boycott (1:55); Letter From Birmingham Jail (3:37); I’ve Been to the Mountaintop, April 3, 1968 (2:37); Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. “Black is Beautiful” (2:17) and Nina Simone, (Why the King of Love is Dead) 5:41	<b>Research Synopsis Paper submitted by 11:59 p.m. November 19<sup>th</sup></b>		4.5 hours
Module # 14 November 23-27, 2020	Civil Rights, Direct Action, the Pivotal 1960s and the “Black Revolution” continued	Franklin and Meier, <i>Black Leaders</i> (Chpts. 14-15) and Holt and Brown, <i>Major Problems</i> “Malcolm X Defines Revolution, 1963,” 293-294. Watch the following video clips: Malcolm X -Message to the Grassroots Part 2	Professor submitted Blackboard Forum questions covering Meier, <i>Negro Thought</i> (Chpts. 14) and <i>Black Leaders</i> (Chpts 13-14)	Blackboard Forum #7 submitted responses to chapter prompts. <b>Forum responses due November 25<sup>th</sup> by 11:59 p.m.</b>	4.5 hours

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		(10:00); Robert F. Williams (2:16); Malcolm X on the March on Washington (3:20); the Assassination of Malcolm X (2:49) and Whitney M. Young, Jr. (5:15)			
Module # 15 <b>November 30-December 3, 2020</b>	Final Exam Study Guide provided November 30 <sup>th</sup> at 12:00 a.m.	<b>Review for Final Exam</b>	<b>Review for Final Exam</b>	<b>Black Board Virtual class meeting # 4 December 3<sup>rd</sup> @ 1:30 p.m.</b>	<b>Reviews are Self-Paced</b>
Module # 16 <b>December 10, 2020</b>				<b>**Final Exam** Exam opens at 1:00 p.m. and closes at 3:45 p.m. (MDT) Quiz # 5 will be included with the Final Exam</b>	2.45 hours