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**Urban Studies 22nd Annual Student Research Forum**

Friday, April 28, 2017, 12-6 pm
UWM Alumni Fireside Lounge
Keynote: Stefanie Deluca, John Hopkins University
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ALL USP EVENTS ARE FREE AND OPEN TO THE PUBLIC
SUMMIT SCHEDULE

7:00 - WELCOME AND INTRODUCTIONS
   Joel Rast, Urban Studies Director

7:10 - PANEL DISCUSSION
   A Frank Conversation about Race in Milwaukee
   Moderator: Robert Smith
   Panelists: Anne Bonds
             Reverend Willie Brisco
             Alderman Ashanti Hamilton
             Keisha Krumm
             Susan Lloyd

8:00 - AUDIENCE QUESTIONS
   If you would like to submit a question for the panelists, please write your question on the note card provided on your chair. Cards will be collected around 7:45; please pass your card to the aisle to be collected by our volunteers.

8:30 - RECEPTION
   Lobby

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MODERATOR PROFILE

ROBERT SMITH

Dr. Robert Samuel Smith is Associate Professor in History and Urban Studies at UW-Milwaukee. He serves as Director of the Cultures & Communities Program and Associate Vice Chancellor for Global Inclusion & Engagement. Rob's research and teaching considers the intersection of race and law. He teaches courses on African American History, the history of African Americans and the law, as well as courses on U.S. Legal History.

PANELIST PROFILE

ANNE BONDS

Dr. Anne Bonds is an Associate Professor in Geography and Urban Studies at UW-Milwaukee. Her research and teaching interests center upon geographical approaches to political economy, feminist and critical race theory, and critical poverty and prison studies. Her work draws from feminist and anti-racist theories to analyze and contest poverty, unequal political economic landscapes, and geographies of white supremacy. She is involved in several projects that bring together gender, race, and post-incarceration geographies.
For the past five years Keisha Krumm has served as Lead Organizer for Common Ground of Southeastern Wisconsin, a nonpartisan community organization creating solutions to address important social issues in our region. Prior to that she worked as an organizer for 10 years in Los Angeles and Seattle/Tacoma for the Industrial Areas Foundation, of which Common Ground is a member. Keisha has a master’s degree from the Mennonite Brethren Biblical Seminary in Christian Community Development. Currently Keisha works with leaders on Common Ground’s most challenging campaign to date: Milwaukee Neighborhoods Now.

Reverend Willie E. Brisco is an Associate Minister at the New Covenant Baptist Church under the leadership of Pastor Fred L. Crouther. Reverend Brisco is President Emeritus of MICAH, the current president of the state organization WISDOM, and the president of the African American Leadership Council of the national Gamaliel network. He was born in Mississippi, educated in the public school system of Milwaukee and attended UW-Madison. He is married with children and grandchildren which makes it imperative that he remain active in the work of social justice.

Alderman Ashanti Hamilton was elected to the Milwaukee Common Council in 2004 representing the 1st District, and most recently was re-elected by an overwhelming margin in 2016. On April 19, 2016, Alderman Hamilton was elected by his peers to serve as the 48th known president of the Milwaukee Common Council. He is the fourth African American in city history to serve in that role. Alderman Hamilton co-chairs the Black Male Achievement Advisory Council and is a standing board member of the Local Initiatives Support Corporation, Northwest Side Community Development Corporation, the Wisconsin Center District, and the National League of Cities. He is a graduate of Riverside University High School and earned a BA in English from Marquette University.

Susan Lloyd, Ph.D., directs the Zilber Family Foundation. The Foundation awards grants to nonprofits that address basic human needs, increase access to opportunity, and improve the quality of community life. In 2008 the Foundation began an initiative to support local leaders and neighborhood groups as they develop and carry out plans for comprehensive community improvement. Previously, Susan directed grant programs at The MacArthur Foundation for 13 years; conducted academic research on the causes and consequences of violence for six years; and worked in human services agencies for ten years. She holds a master’s and doctoral degrees in human development and social policy from Northwestern University, where she also was a National Science Foundation fellow on race and urban inequality.