

Dr. Ravi K. Perry Select Publications

Teaching and Research Interests

African American/Black Studies, African American Politics, Urban Politics, Minority Political Representation, LGBTQ+ Politics and Policy, Black Political Thought, American Politics, American Public Policy, Leadership and Ethics, Contemporary Political Theory, Undergraduate and Graduate Research Design.

Research Publications

Books

- May 2015. *The Little Rock Crisis: What Desegregation Politics Says About Us*. New York: Palgrave Macmillan Press.
- November 2013. *Black Mayors, White Majorities: The Balancing Act of Racial Politics*. Lincoln, NE: University of Nebraska Press.
- April 2013. *21st Century Urban Race Politics: Representing Minorities as Universal Interests*. (Editor). Bingley, UK: Emerald Group Publishing Limited. Research in Race and Ethnic Relations Series. Chapter Contributions: Introduction; Chapter 9; Epilogue.

Refereed Articles

2009. "Black Mayors in Non-Majority Black (Medium-Sized) Cities: Universalizing the Interests of Blacks." *Ethnic Studies Review* 32 (1): 89-130.
2011. "Kindred Political Rhetoric: Black Mayors, President Obama and the Universalizing of Black Interests." *Journal of Urban Affairs*. Volume 33: 5, pages 567–590, December.
2012. "The Politics of Applied Black Studies: An Historical Synthesis for Understanding Social Science Impact." *Journal of Applied Social Science*. March. Vol 6. No. 1. p. 53-64.
2012. "First Impressions, 'America's Paper' and Pre-Primary Black Presidential Candidates: The New York Times Coverage of Rev. Jesse Jackson (1983), Rev. Al Sharpton (2003), and Sen. Barack Obama (2007) Campaign Announcements and Initial Days." *Ethnic Studies Review*. Volume 33:2. Pages 83-108: 2010. (Published, 2012).
2012. "Deval Patrick and the Representation of Massachusetts' Black Interests." *Trotter Review*. Vol. 20. Issue 1. April, pages 9-41.
2017. Black Lives Matter Special Issue, *Ethnic Studies Review*, Volumes 37 & 38, Guest Editor (developed the call for papers, solicited and edited submissions prior to double-blind external review) and introductory article "Black Lives Matter: Imagining and Realizing an Equitable Black Future."
2018. "Challenging the Black Church Narrative: Race, Class, and Homosexual Attitudes." (with Yasmyn A. Irizarry). *Journal of Homosexuality*. Volume 65 (7): 884-911

Book Chapters

2013. "Money Changes Everything? African American Class-Based Attitudes Toward LGBT Issues" in *Living with Class: Philosophical Reflections on Identity and Material Culture*. Ron Scapp and Brian Seitz, Eds. Palgrave Macmillan. With Yasmiyn Irizarry and Timothy J. Fair.
2015. "LGBT Politics and Rights through the Obama Era" in Donald Cunnigen and Marino Bruce's *Race in the Age of Obama*, Vol. 2, Emerald Group Publishing. (with Joseph P. McCormick II)
2017. "Cases Studies of Black Openly Lesbian and Gay Candidates: Winning and Identity Politics in the Obama Era" In *LGBTQ Politics: A Critical Reader*. Marla Brettschneider, Susan Burgess, and Cricket Keating, Eds, 2017
2017. "Black Gay Me & Academe" in *Reflections on Academic Lives: Identities, Struggles, and Triumphs in Graduate School and Beyond*, eds. Staci Zavattaro and Shannon Orr (New York: Palgrave Macmillan), 2017.
2019. Forthcoming. "Shingles on the Campaign Trail." in *An Unorthodox Guide to Field Research*. Columbia University Press. Ora Szekely and Peter Krause, Eds.
2020. Forthcoming. "Mobilizing the Invisible." in *Oxford Encyclopedia of LGBT Politics and Policy*, Oxford University Press. Don Haider-Markel, Editor. (with Aaron D. Coleman)

Encyclopedia Entries

2009. "Voting Rights Act of 1965." In *Encyclopedia of African American Education*, ed. Kofi Lomotey. New York: Sage Publications, p. 242.
2010. "Minority Representation." In *The Encyclopedia of Political Science*. Eds. George Thomas Kurlan, James E. Alt, Simone Chambers, Geoffrey Garrett, Margaret Levi, Paula D. McClain. Washington, D.C.: CQ Press, pp. 1044-1046.

Research in Preparation

Book With Accepted Contract

Black Queer Electoral Politics: Introducing America's Openly Lesbian and Gay Black Politicians (2020, New York University Press)