

27th Annual Comparative Literature Intra-Student Faculty Forum (CLIFF)
March 10-12th 2023, University of Michigan, Ann Arbor

Friday, March 10th

Location: [Haven Hall](#), Room 5670, 5th floor

10 am - 10:30 am Breakfast

10:30 am -10:45 am Opening remarks by Frieda Ekotto

10:45 am - 12:15 pm **Panel 1: *Counterinstitutional representations***

Respondent:

Renée Ragin Randall

Presenters:

Abigail Cowan (Grad student, Pennsylvania State University), *Fear of Decentering Whiteness: The Little Mermaid Controversy*

AunRika Tucker-Shabazz (Grad student, University of Michigan), *Gender and the Global Color Line in Gender-based Violence: Globalizing Incest in American History*

Basmah Arshad (Grad student, University of Michigan), *Proofs of Survival: Analyzing the Relationship Between Zainichi Koreans and Museums*

12:15 pm - 1:15 pm Lunch

1:15 pm - 2:45 pm **Panel 2: *Spain, Mexico and Pakistan: lessons from the international insurgent past***

Respondent:

Daniel Nemser

Presenters:

Bruno Renero-Hannan (Assistant Prof. of Anthropology, SUNY), *Walking with Álvaro: An Insurgent Life, Political Prison, and Oral History*

Peter Gelderloos (Movement participant and writer), *Riots and Remembrance on the Streets of Barcelona: the collective learning of subversive techniques*

Shehryar Qazi (Undergrad student, Cornell University), *Theorizing Islam and Insurgency: The Case of Pakistan*

2:45 pm - 3 pm Coffee Break

3 pm - 4:30 pm **Panel 3: *Tech-tics and theories of insurgency and counterinsurgency***

Respondent:

~~Bryan Roby~~

Presenters:

Mike (Activist), *Insurgent Possibilities? Drones and DIY Small Arms*

Max Segal (Undergrad student, University of Pittsburgh), *Social War*

Samriddhi Agrawal (Grad student, NYU), *Seeing with [FB]Eyes*

5:30 pm - 7 pm

[Book signing and reading with Joy James](#)

Location: [Third Mind Books](#)

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Saturday, March 11th

Location: [Rackham Assembly Hall](#), 4th floor

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| 9:30 - 10 am | Breakfast |
| 10 am - 11:15 am | Keynote address by Joy James |
| 11:15 am - 11:25 am | Coffee Break |
| 11:25 am - 12:45 pm | Panel 4: <i>Writing the revolution: theses and rhymes</i>
Respondent:
Amitai Ben-Abba
Presenters:
Tom Nomad (Researcher, Institute for the Study of Insurgent Warfare),
<i>Nine Theses On Conflict: A Discourse On The George Floyd Uprising</i>
Cheryl Emerson (PhD, SUNY at Buffalo), <i>After the Shootings: Buffalo's</i>
<i>Jillian Hanesworth, 'The Revolution Will Rhyme'</i> |
| 12:45 pm - 1:45 pm | Lunch |
| 1:45 pm - 2:45 pm | Panel 5.I: <i>Fugitive pedagogies: human and nonhuman bodies</i>
Respondent:
AunRika Tucker-Shabazz
Presenters:
Raechel Anne Jolie (Researcher, Cleveland Sex Workers Alliance),
<i>Criminal Sex and Other Lessons in Insurgent Fugitivity</i>
Sue McRae (Grad student, University of North Texas), <i>Expanding</i>
<i>Decolonial Thought to Animals: The Case for Decolonizing Factory</i>
<i>Farmed Animal Bodies</i> |
| 2:45 pm - 2:55 pm | Coffee Break |
| 2:55 pm - 4 pm | Panel 5.II: <i>Fugitive pedagogies: practices from the Undercommon</i>
Respondent:
Anna Almore
Presenters:
Emmanuel Orozco Castellanos (Alumn, University of Michigan), <i>Our</i>
<i>(His)torias of Migration: Towards a Translation of the Undercommon</i>
Parker Miles (Grad student, University of Michigan), <i>Constructing Third</i>
<i>Space 'loopholes of retreat': Theorizing fugitive digital literacies in</i>
<i>after school makerspace</i> |
| 4 pm - 5 pm | Closing remarks and reception |
| 5:30 pm - 7 pm | Conversation with Joy James and local activists
Location: Bridge Community Café (Ypsilanti) |

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Sunday, March 12th, 10 am - 4 pm - [Informal Workshops](#)

Location: [Tisch Hall](#), 2nd floor, Room 2024