

# Conversations with Theodore C. ("Ted") DeLaney, Jr.

## Appendix

### *Curriculum Vitae*

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EDUCATION

Ph.D. in History, 1995, The College of William and Mary in Virginia.  
Fields: Nineteenth Century United States, Colonial North America, Colonial Latin America.  
Dissertation: "Julia Gardiner Tyler: A Nineteenth-Century Southern Woman."  
  
B.A. in History, 1985, *cum laude*, Washington and Lee University.  
United States and Latin American History.

EMPLOYMENT

Washington and Lee University, Department of History, 1995-2019.  
  
Professor of History Emeritus, 2019 – 2020.  
  
Professor of History, 2018-19.  
  
Director, Africana Studies Program, 2013-17.  
  
Chair, History Department, 2007-13.  
  
Director, African American Studies Program, 2005-07.  
  
Associate Professor of History, 2001-18.  
  
Assistant Professor of History, 1995-2001.  
  
State University of New York-Geneseo, 1993-95.  
  
Instructor in History.  
  
Washington and Lee University, Department of History, 1991-93.  
  
ABD Fellow and Visiting Professor of History.  
  
The Ashville School, North Carolina, 1985-88.  
  
History Instructor, Dormitory Advisor.  
  
Washington and Lee University, Department of Biology, 1963-83.  
  
Technical Assistant.

## HONORS

NAACP, Lexington/Rockbridge County, Virginia, “Ted DeLaney Youth Opportunity Grant,” est. 2020.

Theodore C. DeLaney Visiting Speakers Fund in Africana Studies, Washington and Lee University, est. 2020.

“Ted DeLaney ’85 Scholarship,” Washington and Lee University, est. 2020.

Doctor of Letters, *honoris causa*, Washington and Lee University, 2019.

NAACP Community Service Award, Lexington/Rockbridge County, Virginia, 2018.

Phi Beta Kappa, Gamma of Virginia at Washington and Lee University, faculty inductee, 2013.

Emilia Galla Struppa Fellow, Virginia Foundation for the Humanities, 2009-10.

Harry F. and Mary Jane W. Redenbaugh Term Professorship for Excellence in Teaching, 2009-12.

Doctor of Humane Letters, *honoris causa*, St. Paul’s College, Lawrenceville, Virginia 2005.

Omicron Delta Kappa, Washington and Lee University, 2001.

ABD Fellowship, Washington and Lee University, 1991, 1992.

Virginia Commonwealth Fellowship for outstanding academic achievement (nominated by the History Department of the College of William and Mary), 1991.

## WORK IN PROGRESS

”Our Voices: Desegregation in Western Virginia Schools and Southern Identity.”

(A community study of four counties in Western Virginia: Augusta, Rockbridge, Botetourt, and Roanoke. The methodology entails tape recording interviews and manuscript research in school board minutes and local newspapers.)

## PUBLICATIONS

“Pieces of a Larger Mosaic.” Forward to Sheree Scarborough, *African American Railroad Workers of Roanoke: Oral Histories of the Norfolk & Western*. Charleston and London: The History Press, 2014.

“American Royalty: The ‘Reign’ of First Lady Julia Gardiner Tyler.” *The Journal of Western Civilization*, 25 (December 30, 2011), Korean Society of Western Civilization.

“Introduction” to *Wilsonianism and Other Visions of Foreign Policy*, coedited with Joel Hodson. Special edition of *White House Studies*, 10, 4, (2010).

“Telling Our Stories: School Desegregation in Four Western Virginia Counties.” *Proceedings of the Rockbridge Historical Society*, vol. 14 (Lexington, VA, 2006-2010).

“The Sit-In Demonstrations in Historic Perspective.” *The North Carolina Historical Review*, 87, 4 (October, 2010).

“Thoughts on the Ku Klux Klan and William Christenberry’s Tableau.” *Studies in American Culture*, 32, 1 (October, 2009).

“Surviving Defeat: The Trials of ‘Mrs. Ex-President Tyler.’” In *Virginia’s Civil War*, eds. Peter Wallenstein, Bertram Wyatt-Brown. Charlottesville: University Press of Virginia, 2005.

“Fred Carrington Cole.” *Dictionary of Virginia Biography*, vol. 3. Library of Virginia, 2002.

“John Chavis.” *American National Biography*. Oxford University Press, 1999.

“Julia Gardiner Tyler.” *American National Biography*. Oxford University Press, 1999.

“Aspects of Black Religious and Educational Development in Lexington, Virginia, 1840-1928.” *Proceedings of the Rockbridge Historical Society*, vol. 10 (Lexington, VA, 1980-89).

Contributing author: *Harcourt Horizons: Virginia*, ed. Michael J. Berson. New York: Harcourt, 2003. (A fourth grade Virginia history textbook.)

## BOOK REVIEWS

Caitlin Rosenthal. *Accounting for Slavery: Masters and Management*. Harvard University Press, 2018. In *North Carolina Historical Review*. July, 2020.

Howard Bodenhorn. *The Color Factor: The Economics of African-American Well-Being in the Nineteenth Century American South*. Louisiana State University Press, 2015. In *North Carolina Historical Review*, April, 2016.

Marie Tyler-McGraw. *An African Republic: Black and White Virginians in the Making of Liberia*. University of North Carolina Press, 2007. In *North Carolina Historical Review*, April, 2009.

Ann Denkler. *Recapturing Heritage: Exploring Issues of Public History, Tourism, and Race in a Southern Town*. Lanham, MD: Rowan and Littlefield, 2007. In *Virginia Magazine of History and Biography*, 116 (2008).

T. Stephen Whitman. *Challenging Slavery in the Chesapeake: Black and White Resistance to Human Bondage, 1775-1865*. Baltimore, MD: Maryland Historical Society, 2007. In *North Carolina Historical Review*, 85 (January, 2008).

Adam Fairclough. *A Class of Their Own: Black Teachers in the Segregated South*. Cambridge: Belknap Press, 2007. In *Virginia Magazine of History and Biography*, 116 (2008).

Robert Louis Paquette, Louis A. Ferleger, eds. *Slavery, Secession, and Southern History*. University of Virginia Press, 2000. In *West Virginia History*, 59 (2001-03).

Sherry Lamb Schirmer. *A City Divided: The Racial Landscape of Kansas City, 1900-1960*. University of Missouri Press, 2002. In *The Journal of Southern History*, 69 (November, 2003).

Jeffrey Ruggles. *The Unboxing of Henry Brown*. Library of Virginia, 2003. In *The North Carolina Historical Review*, 81 (2004).

Josephine F. Pacheco. *The Pearl: A Failed Slave Escape on the Potomac*. University of North Carolina Press, 2005. In *The North Carolina Historical Review*, 82 (October, 2005).

#### SELECTED PRESENTATIONS

“W&L History: Traditions, Transformations and the Consequences of Change.” Convocation address, Washington and Lee University, September 5, 2018.

“Ben Franklin as Abolitionist.” W&L Alumni College, July 22, 2018.

“Passage of Lewis and Clark.” W&L Traveling Alumni College, August, 2016.

“Racial Desegregation.” Series of four lectures at Konyang University, Daewon Foreign Language High School, Seoul National University, U.S. Embassy, South Korea, June 18-20, 2014.

Keynote address, Twentieth Anniversary of the St. George Tucker Society, Augusta, GA, July 27, 2012.

“An Overview of School Desegregation in Western Virginia.” Roanoke Historical Museum, June 26, 2012.

“Why Meriwether Lewis Is Not a W&L Alumnus.” Alumni chapters in Portland and Seattle, February, 2012.

Organizer: Virginia Forum with Governor Linwood Holton, Washington and Lee University, March 22, 2011.

“Washington and Lee Founders.” Alumni chapter, Greenwich, CT, February, 2011.

“The Sit-In Demonstrations in Historic Perspective” Mid-Atlantic People of Color Legal Scholarship Conference, University of Virginia School of Law, January 28, 2010.

“‘Segregation is God’s Sweetest Law’: The Struggle for School Desegregation in Public Schools of Four Western Virginia Counties.” Southern Historical Association Conference, Louisville, KY, November 6, 2009.

Public Outreach Presentation, Virginia Foundation for the Humanities, Charlottesville, VA, October 7, 2009.

“Perceptions of Lee Today.” Founders’ Day Convocation, Washington and Lee University, January 11, 2007.

“Telling Our Stories: School Desegregation in Western Virginia.” Banner Lecture, Virginia Historical Society, February 22, 2007.

Conference Organizer: “Brown vs. Board of Education Fifty Years Later.” Washington and Lee University, 2004.

“John Chavis.” Founders’ Day Convocation. Washington and Lee University, January 19, 2001.

Other presentations at or to: Randolph Macon Women’s College, Mary Baldwin College, Sweetbriar College, Dabney S. Lancaster Community College; Covington NAACP Chapter; Roanoke Chapter of the Southern Christian Leadership Conference, National Association of the African American Honors Program, Virginia Historical Society (Richmond), Historical Society of Western Virginia (Roanoke), Rockbridge Historical Society, Daughters of the American Revolution, The Ashville School (NC), Lovett School (Atlanta), Rockbridge County High School, Lylburn Downey High School, Randolph Street Methodist Church, Cedar Hill Baptist Church.

#### DOCUMENTARY FILM APPEARANCES

“Sherman’s March to the Sea.” The History Channel, April 21, 2007.

“Lee Beyond the Battles.” Dir. Robert de Maria and Drew Perkins.

“A Documentary History of Lexington.” WVPT Public Television, 2000.

## RADIO APPEARANCES

*Virginia Insight*, WMRA.

A conversation with Professor Sascha Goluboff on the African American Exhibition at the Brownsburg Museum, 2012.

\_\_\_\_\_. A conversation about the Civil War with Ed Ayers, Civil War Historian and President of the University of Richmond, November 21, 2011.

\_\_\_\_\_. A conversation about Civil War humor with Cameron Nickels, Professor Emeritus, James Madison University, January 17, 2011.

*Right Now!* WINA, Charlottesville. A discussion of his research with Coy Barefoot, January 7, 2010.

*Virginia Insight*, WMRA. A discussion of school desegregation, February 22, 2007.

## COURSES TAUGHT

“History of the United States to 1876.”

“History of the United States since 1876.”

“Early American History to 1788.”

“Natives and Strangers.”

“Colonial North America.”

“The American Colonies, 1605-1763.”

“The American Revolution, 1763-1787.”

“Acquiring Louisiana”

“The Civil War.”

“Slavery in the Americas.”

“The Old South.”

“The New South.”

“Introduction to African-American Studies.

“Introduction to Africana Studies”

“History of the African-American People to 1877”

“History of the African-American People since 1877.

“The Jim Crow Era”

“The Civil Rights Era.”

“The Intellectual History of the Civil Rights Movement from W. E. B. DuBois to Barack Obama.”

“Civil Rights from Brown to Bakke.”

“Freedom Ride: The Struggle for Civil Rights in the American South.”

“Gay and Lesbian Life in the Twentieth Century United States.”

“The Harlem Renaissance and the Jazz Age.”

“Uncovering W&L History.”

Supervisor: 12 Senior or Honors Theses; 17 Independent Studies, 6 R. E. Lee Summer Scholars.

Lecturer: 12 Alumni Colleges, 12 Alumni Chapters.

## SERVICE TO THE PROFESSION

Consultation: Susan R Gregson, *Nat Turner: Rebellious Slave*. Mankato, MN: Bridgestone Books (Capstone Press), 2003.

Southern Historical Association.

Nominating Committee, 2015.

John Hope Franklin Lifetime Achievement Committee, 2007.

Minorities Committee, Chair, 2003-06.

Membership Committee, 2001; Chair 2014.



Saint George Tucker Society.

President, 2012-14.

Founding Member, 1995- .

Virginia Foundation for the Humanities.

Board of Trustees, 2008-10.

Woodrow Wilson Presidential Library

Board of Trustees, Chair, Education Committee, 2008-10.

#### SERVICE TO WASHINGTON AND LEE

President's Commission on Institutional History and Community, 2017-18.

Director, Africana Studies Program, 2013-17.

Society of the Cincinnati Awards, 2012-13.

Alumni College Advisory Board, 2012.

College-wide Johnson Chair Search Committee, 2010-11.

Honorary Degrees, 2008-09.

Grievance Procedure Working Group, 2008.

Chair, History Department, 2007-13.

Ad hoc Ombudsman Committee, 07.

Advisory Committee, 2006-09.

Getty Steering Committee, 2004-06

General Education Committee, 2004-05.

Faculty Review Committee, 2002-05.

Co-Founder and Director, Program in African American Studies, 2005-07.

Chair, Committee on Inclusiveness, 2001-04.

Graduate Fellowships Committee, 1999-2003

Executive Committee, 1996-98.

Alumni Committee, 1996-99.

Student Affairs Committee, 1996-99.