

ADVISORY COMMITTEE APPLICATION FOR BOARD APPOINTMENT

<p>It is the applicant's responsibility to keep the information on this form current. To advise the County of any changes please contact Christine Coble by telephone at 606-5300 or by e-mail at CobleC@leoncountyfl.gov</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Applications will be discarded if no appointment is made after two years.</p>		
Name: David H. Jackson, Jr.		Date: April 20, 2009
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Occupation: Professor of History	Employer: Florida A&M University	
Please check box for preferred mailing address.		
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Work Address: Florida A&M University, Suite 411 Tucker Hall City/State/Zip: Tallahassee, Florida, 32307		
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Home Address: 8133 Blenheim Lane City/State/Zip: Tallahassee, Florida 32312		
Do you live in Leon County? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes No If yes, do you live within the City limits? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes No Do you own property in Leon County? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes No If yes, is it located within the City limits? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes No		
For how many years have you lived and/or owned property in Leon County? <u>9</u> years		
Are you interested in serving on any specific Committee(s)? If yes, please indicate your preference		
1st Choice: <u>2010 Complete Count Census Committee</u> 2nd Choice: _____		
If not interested in any specific Committee(s), are you interested in a specific subject matter? If yes, please check those areas in which you are interested, or describe other areas not listed:		
Human Services __ Housing __ Health Care __ Science __ Library Services __ Growth Management __ Tourist Development __ Transportation __ Bicycle/Pedestrian __ Parks & Recreation __ Code Enforcement __ Other Areas _____		
Have you served on any previous Leon County committees? Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		
If Yes, on what Committee(s) have you served? _____		
How many days per month would you be willing to commit for Committee work? 1 <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 2 to 3 <input type="checkbox"/> 4 or more <input type="checkbox"/>		
And for how many months would you be willing to commit that amount of time? 2 <input type="checkbox"/> 3 to 5 <input type="checkbox"/> 6 or more <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		
What time of day would be best for you to attend Committee meetings? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Day <input type="checkbox"/> Night		

(OPTIONAL) Leon County strives to meet its goals, and those contained in various federal and state laws, of maintaining a membership in its Advisory Committees that reflects the diversity of the community. Although strictly optional for Applicant, the following information is needed to meet reporting requirements and attain those goals.

Race: Caucasian African American Hispanic Asian Other
Sex: Male Female Age: 40 Disabled? Yes No

Persons needing a special accommodation to participate in an Advisory Committee should contact Christine Coble by telephone at 606-5300 or e-mail at CobleC@mail.co.leon.fl.us

In the space below briefly describe or list the following: any previous experience on other Committees; your educational background; your skills and experience you could contribute to a Committee; any of your professional licenses and/or designations and indicate how long you have held them and whether they are effective in Leon County; any charitable or community activities in which you participate; and reasons for your choice of the Committee indicated on this Application. Please attach your resume, if one is available.

I currently serve as the Chairman of the Board for the John G. Riley Museum and Cultural Center and as a member of the University Press of Florida Advisory Board. I have also served on the Florida Historical Commission and the National Register Review Board. I hold a Ph.D. in History, an M.S. in Public Administration, and a B.S. in History Education. I have worked as a Financial Analyst for International Paper Company, a public school teacher and currently work as a Professor of History and Chairman of the Department of History, Political Science, Public Administration, Geography and African American Studies at Florida A&M University. My educational achievements, employment history and community service endeavors will allow me to bring insight and make various contributions to this committee. Commissioner Bill Proctor recommended the aforementioned Census committee to me and I found it to be of interest.

References (you must provide at least one personal reference who is not a family member):

Name: Dr. Donald Palm Telephone: 850-321-6246

Address: 168 Sandpine Trail, Crawfordville, Florida 32327

Name: Attorney Reginald Mitchell Telephone: 850-528-9550

Address: 1303 Conservancy, Tallahassee, Florida 32312

IMPORTANT LEGAL REQUIREMENTS FOR ADVISORY COMMITTEE MEMBERSHIP

AS A MEMBER OF AN ADVISORY COMMITTEE, YOU WILL BE OBLIGATED TO FOLLOW ANY APPLICABLE LAWS REGARDING GOVERNMENT-IN-THE-SUNSHINE, CODE OF ETHICS FOR PUBLIC OFFICERS, AND PUBLIC RECORDS DISCLOSURE. THE CONSEQUENCES OF VIOLATING THESE APPLICABLE LAWS INCLUDE CRIMINAL PENALTIES, CIVIL FINES, AND THE VOIDING OF ANY COMMITTEE ACTION AND OF ANY SUBSEQUENT ACTION BY THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS. IN ORDER TO BE FAMILIAR WITH THESE LAWS AND TO ASSIST YOU IN ANSWERING THE QUESTIONS BELOW, YOU MUST COMPLETE AN ORIENTATION BEFORE YOUR APPLICATION IS DEEMED COMPLETE.

Have you completed the Orientation? Yes No

Are you willing to complete a financial disclosure form, if applicable? Yes No

Will you be receiving any compensation that is expected to influence your vote, action, or participation on a Committee? Yes No If yes, from whom? _____

Do you anticipate that you would be a stakeholder with regard to your participation on a Committee? Yes No

Do you know of any circumstances that would result in you having to abstain from voting on a Committee due to voting conflicts? Yes No If yes, please explain _____

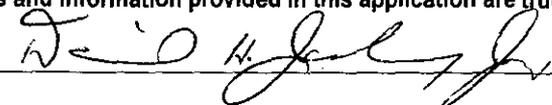
Do you or your employer, or your wife or child or their employers, do business with Leon County? Yes No

If yes, please explain I'm not sure if Florida A&M University does any business with Leon County; however, I do not personally.

Do you have any employment or contractual relationship with Leon County that would create a continuing or frequently recurring conflict with regard to your participation on a Committee? Yes No

If yes, please explain _____

All statements and information provided in this application are true to the best of my knowledge.

Signature: 

Please return Application to Christine Coble, Agenda Coordinator
Leon County Board of County Commissioners
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Tallahassee, FL 32301

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OBJECTIVE: To obtain a teaching position at an institution seeking an individual with demonstrated teaching, leadership, public speaking, research, and analytical abilities.

EDUCATION: Continuing Education

1999 The Florida State University, Tallahassee, FL.
Completed course certification for "Supervising Student Teachers."

1997 **Doctor of Philosophy**
The University of Memphis, Memphis, TN.
Major: History
Cum. G.P.A.: 3.87/4.00

1991 **Master of Applied Social Science**
Florida A&M University, Tallahassee, FL.
Major: Political Science Concentration: Public Administration
Cum. G.P.A.: 3.82/4.00

1990 **Bachelor of Science**
Florida A&M University, Tallahassee, FL.
Major: History Education (*Magna cum laude*)
Cum. G.P.A.: 3.63/4.00
Major G.P.A.: 3.95/4.00

RELEVANT EXPERIENCE:

2005-Present **Florida A&M University**
Department Chair, for History, Political Science/Public Administration,
Geography and African American Studies

- Manage scheduling for all department faculty.
- Direct SACS re-accreditation process for department.
- Devised the department's Academic Learning Compacts (SACS)
- Advise students on graduate school and employment opportunities.
- Supervise 55 regular and adjunct faculty members.
- Coordinate Master of Applied Social Science Program.

- 2004-Present **Florida A&M University**
Professor of History
- Teach American, African-American and African History Courses.
 - Counsel students on graduate school and employment opportunities.
 - Conduct research and writing regularly.
 - Present papers at historical conferences.
 - Give speeches at on-campus and off-campus functions.
- 2000-2004 **Florida A&M University**
Associate Professor of History (Tenured)
- 1997-2000 **Florida A&M University**
Assistant Professor of History
- 1994-1997 **Watkins Overton High School**
Social Studies Teacher (Tenured)
- Chaired Social Studies Department.
 - Chaired Southern Association of Colleges & Schools (SACS) committee.
 - Formulated lesson plans for 150 students in General & Honors World History, American History, Government, and Geography courses.
 - Counseled students on college, trade school, and military options, available after graduation.
- 1995 **Shelby State Community College**
Adjunct Professor, History Department
- Taught United States history classes (from the colonial period to the present).
 - Counseled students on undergraduate and employment opportunities.
- 1991-1994 **International Paper Company**
Financial Analyst
- Assisted in the management of three business portfolios containing over 800 active accounts.
 - Performed risk analyses on marginal accounts with credit limits up to \$3.0 million and recommended action plans to minimize bad-debts.
 - Prepared first credit departmental manual documenting the area's accounts-receivable suspense process.
- 1991 **Smith-Williams Service Center**
Public Administrator
- Designed and implemented male youth development program for 40 latch-key children.
 - Counseled youth who needed assistance in their respective social situations.

1990-1991 **Florida A&M University**
Graduate Assistant

- Counseled students on graduate school opportunities and financial aid resources.
- Coordinated graduate recruitment fair for student body.

1990 **Florida A&M University High School**
Student Teaching

- Formulated lesson plans for 70 students in World History classes.
- Implemented a social and educational club for 35 males, ranging from grades 9 to 12.

DOCTORAL CONCENTRATIONS:

- Major Field - **U. S. History Since 1865** (emphasis, African-American Studies).
- Minor Field - **Ancient Africa** (emphasis, Egypt).
- Minor Field - **Latin America** (emphasis, Brazil).
- Minor Field - **Political Science** (emphasis, Public Admin.,).

CLASSES TAUGHT:

- AMH 2010 – U.S. History to 1865
- AMH 2020 – U.S. History since 1865
- AMH 2091 - Introduction to African American History
- AMH 3571 - African American History to 1865
- AMH 3572 - African American History since 1865
- AMH 4573 - Black Americans in the 20th Century
- AFA 3104 - The African American Experience
- AFH 4100 - History of Africa to 1600
- AFH 4200 - History of Africa since 1600
- SSE 3360 - Teaching Social Studies in the Secondary School
- AFS 5151 - Life and Culture in Sub-Saharan Africa (graduate course)
- ISS 6305 - Research Methods (graduate course)

PUBLICATIONS:

1. "American Reactions to the Haitian Revolution, 1791-1804," Selected Papers from the Consortium on Revolutionary Europe, (1998).
2. "Charles Banks and Racial Uplift: A Philosophy of Economic Development, 1900-1915," The Griot, 18, No. 1, (Spring, 1999).
3. "Charles Banks: 'Wizard' of Mound Bayou, 1873-1915," Journal of Mississippi History 62, no. 4 (Winter, 2000).
4. "Forum: Reconsidering Race Relations in Early Twentieth Century Florida," Florida Historical Quarterly 79, No. 3 (Winter, 2001).
5. "Attracting and Retaining African American faculty at HBCUs," Education 125, No. 1 (Fall 2002).
6. "Booker T. Washington's Tour of the Sunshine State, March 1912," Florida Historical Quarterly 81, no. 3 (Winter 2003).
7. and Ivory R. Rollins, "Generation Classification on Drop Out, Retention, and Graduation Rates in Leon County, Florida," Journal of the Florida A&M University McNair Program (2003).
8. "Dorothy Irene Height," in African American Lives. Edited by Henry Louis Gates, Jr., & Evelyn B. Higginbotham (New York: Oxford University Press, 2004). **Encyclopedia entry.**
9. "Perry Wilbon Howard," in African American Lives. Edited by Henry Louis Gates, Jr., & Evelyn B. Higginbotham (New York: Oxford University Press, 2004). **Encyclopedia entry.**
10. Vibrant Lives: The Life & Times of Black Floridians, 1890-1960 (Eatonville: The Association to Preserve the Eatonville Community, Inc., 2004).
11. and Tasha Phipps, "Relationship between African Self-Consciousness and taking African American History," Journal of the Florida A&M University McNair Program (2004).
12. "African American Religious and Fraternal Organizations," in Alton Hornsby, Jr., ed., A Companion to African American History (Malden, MA: Blackwell Publishing, 2005). **Book chapter.**
13. "The Growth of African American Cultural and Social Institutions," in Alton Hornsby, Jr., ed., A Companion to African American History (Malden, MA: Blackwell Publishing, 2005). **Book chapter.**

14. "African American Businesspeople in Jacksonville, Florida in the Age of Jim Crow," (Jacksonville: Ritz Theatre & LaVilla Museum Project, 2005).
15. "Josiah T. Settle," in African American National Biography. Edited by Henry Lous Gates & Evelyn B. Higginbotham (New York: Oxford University Press, 2008). **Encyclopedia entry.**
16. "Thomas W. Stringer," in African American National Biography. Edited by Henry Louis Gates, Jr., & Evelyn B. Higginbotham (New York: Oxford University Press, 2008). **Encyclopedia entry.**
17. "Selena Sloan Butler: Atlanta Club Leader, Reformer, Educator," in Larry E. Rivers and Canter Brown, Jr., eds., The Varieties of Women's Experiences: Portraits of Southern Women in the Post-Civil War Century (Gainesville: University Press of Florida, 2009). **Book Chapter.**

BOOKS

1. Co-editor, The African American Experience (Boston: McGraw-Hill Primis Custom Publishing, 2001).
2. A Chief Lieutenant of the Tuskegee Machine: Charles Banks of Mississippi (Gainesville: University Press of Florida, 2002). Paperback edition, 2008.
3. Co-editor, Retrieving the American Past: A Collection of Readings in African-American History (Boston: Pearson Custom Publishing, 2004).
4. & Canter Brown, eds., Go-Sound the Trumpet! Selections in Florida's African American History (Tampa: University of Tampa Press, 2005).
5. Booker T. Washington and the Struggle Against White Supremacy: The Southern Educational Tours, 1908-1912 (New York: Palgrave Macmillan, 2008).

Book Reviews:

- Fifty Years of Segregation: Black Higher Education in Kentucky, 1904-1924 in the Journal of Negro History, 85 (Summer, 2000).
- My Face is Black is True: Callie House and the Struggle for Ex-Slave Reparations in the Florida Historical Quarterly 85, No. 1, (Summer, 2006), 91-94.

Newspaper Articles:

- "Examining AME's radical preacher-activist," Tallahassee Democrat, Nov. 21, 1998.

- “Message of King’s Speech was distorted by columnist,” Tallahassee Democrat, January 25, 1999.
- Black History Month feature, Tallahassee Democrat, February 13, 2007.

ONGOING RESEARCH PROJECTS:

- The Life of James Carroll Napier of Tennessee. Book. (Grant Funded).
- Black Businessmen in Florida, 1880-1930. Book.

GRANTS AND CONTRACTS:

- “The African American Experience,” Instructional Development Mini-Grant,” (\$2,500). FAMU, Awarded August 28, 2000.
- “Center for the Study of Civil Rights at HBCUs,” Spencer Foundation, (\$50,000). Awarded July 24, 2001.
- The Life of James C. Napier, FAMU Faculty Research Awards Program, (\$5,000). Awarded, 2002.
- The Life of James C. Napier, FAMU Faculty Research Awards Program, (\$5,000). Awarded, 2004.

HONORS:

National Dean’s List, Who’s Who Among American College Students, Certificate of Outstanding Achievement in History, Certificate of Academic Excellence, Certificate of Merit, White and Gold Honor Society (FAMU), Gold Key National Honor Society (FAMU), Alpha Kappa Mu Honor Society (FAMU), Phi Kappa Phi National Honor Society (Univ. of Memphis), Phi Alpha Theta National Honor Society (Univ. of Memphis), Who’s Who Among America’s Teachers, Most Influential Teacher (Overton High School, 95-96), Most Influential Teacher (Overton High School, 96-97); Outstanding Young Men of America; Teacher of the Year (FAMU, 99-00); Rattler Pride Award for Community Leadership (FAMU, 99-00); Who’s Who Among America’s Teacher, Multiple Year Honoree (2002); Certificate of Appreciation, Graduate Association for African American History (University of Memphis, 20026); Certificate of Appreciation, The Florida Department of State, Division of Historical Resources, Bureau of Historic Preservation, Acquisition and Development Grant Reviewer, 2005; Advanced Teacher of the Year (FAMU, 05-06); Omicron Delta Kappa Leadership Honor Society, (FAMU 2008).

ACTIVITIES & MEMBERSHIPS:

Florida A&M University Marching & Symphonic Bands, Kappa Kappa Psi National Band Fraternity, Alpha Phi Alpha Fraternity, Inc., (Chaplain, Historian, Advisor, Chairman of Intake); American Beauty Lodge #858 F&AM; John G. Riley Consistory #207 (32nd Degree); Ahmed Temple #37 (Shriner); National Black MBA Association, Junior Achievement, Toastmasters Club, Overton High School Track Coach, Memphis Education Association, Tennessee Education Association, National Education Association, The Association for the Study of Afro-American Life and History, Inc., The Southern Conference on Afro-American Studies, Inc., The Consortium on Revolutionary Europe, Mississippi Historical Society, Florida Historical Society, Georgia Association of Historians, Southern Historical Association; Organization of American Historians; Former Board Member, Florida National Register Review Board; Chairman, Board of Directors, John G. Riley House Museum and Resource Center of African American History and Culture; Former Board Member, Florida Historical Commission; Former Board Member, National Alliance for Equity in Higher Education; Board Member, Historic Mound Bayou Foundation; Editorial Advisory Board Member, University Press of Florida; Editorial Board Member, The GRIOT.

REFERENCES:

Available upon request.