

Center of Inquiry

WABASH COLLEGE

Black Studies Workshop

The purpose of this workshop is an expansion of the "Black Studies" monocular of the Malcolm X Institute of Black Studies. That is, participants will create a program of study designed to equip students with the intellectual skill-set for researching the African American experience, familiarity with the major problems in African American scholarship, and a critical appreciation of African American cultural productions. Building on the strength of existing course offerings, faculty and curricular structure, participants will craft an academic program of black studies at Wabash College.

The goal of the workshop is to produce a blueprint for black studies at the college. A black studies program will enhance an already strong liberal arts education by offering students a sustained treatment of doings and strivings of African Americans.

Participants	Institution
John Aden	Wabash College
Walter Blake	Wabash College
Joy Castro	Wabash College
Timothy Lake	Wabash College
Dan Rogalski	Wabash College
Warren Rosenberg	Wabash College
Horace Turner	Wabash College
James Turner	Cornell University

Agenda

Wednesday, June 15

4:00 PM	Dr. James Turner arrives on campus
5:00 PM	Reception & tour (<i>MXI</i>)
6:00 PM	Dinner (<i>off-campus</i>)

Thursday, June 16

8:30 – 9:30 AM	Continental Breakfast (<i>Trippet 325</i>)
9:00 AM – 12:00 PM	Background to Black Studies: history, mission, methodology(ies) (<i>Trippet 325</i>)
12:00 – 1:00 PM	Lunch (<i>Trippet 325</i>)
12:15 – 2:30 PM	Models of Black Studies (<i>Trippet 325</i>)
2:30 – 5:00 PM	Black Studies at Wabash College (<i>Trippet 325</i>)
5:00 – 8:00 PM	Dinner with members of college administration (<i>Caleb Mills House, first floor</i>)

Friday, June 17

8:30 – 9:30 AM	Continental Breakfast (<i>Trippet 325</i>)
9:00 – 11:30 AM	Evaluating Black Studies: opportunities, challenges, & recommendations (<i>Trippet 325</i>)
11:30 AM	Dr. James Turner departs for airport
12:00 – 1:00 PM	Lunch (<i>Trippet 325</i>)
1:00 – 5:00 PM	Identifying major points; summary; draft (<i>Trippet 325</i>)
6:00 PM	Dinner (<i>off-campus</i>)