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1. EDUCATION

Doctor of Philosophy (PhD)

Social Anthropology Program, Black Studies

The University of Texas at Austin

May 30, 2012

Master of Arts

Social Anthropology, African Diaspora

The University of Texas, at Austin

May, 2008

Bachelor of Arts

Communication Studies, Journalism

Universidade de Ribeirão Preto, Brazil

December, 2003

2. PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

TEACHING

University of California, Santa Barbara, present

Assistant Professor, full time tenure track

Department of Black Studies

College of Staten Island, 2015-2018

Assistant Professor of Anthropology, full time tenure track

Department of Sociology & Anthropology

Universidad Icesi, 2013-2014

Visiting Professor of Anthropology & Sociology

Department of Social Sciences

The University of Texas at Austin, 2012

Lecturer, Cultural Anthropology

Department of Anthropology

Afrobras-Faculdade Zumbi dos Palmares, 2010

Adjunct, Social Sciences

Department of Education

3. **REFEREED PUBLICATIONS**

BOOK

Alves, Jaime. The Anti-Black City: Police Terror and Black Urban Life in Brazil. Minneapolis: University of Minnesota Press, 2018.

PEER-REVIEWED ARTICLES

**Alves, Jaime**, and João Costa Vargas. "The spectre of Haiti: structural antiblackness, the far-right backlash and the fear of a black majority in Brazil." *Third World Quarterly*, 2020 (42)1: 643-662.

Alves, Jaime. “Esa paz blanca, esa paz de muerte”: Peacetime, Wartime, and Black Impossible Chronos in Postconflict Colombia.” *The Journal of Latin American and Caribbean Anthropology*. 24, 2019(3):653-671.

Alves, Jaime. “Refusing to Be Governed: Urban Policing, Gang Violence, and the Politics of Evilness in an Afro‐Colombian Shantytown.” *PoLAR: Political and Legal Anthropology Review*, *42, 2019*(1), pp.21-36

James, Joy, and **Jaime Alves**. “States of Security, Democracy´s Sanctuary, and Captive Maternals in Brazil and the United States.” Policing. ***Souls: A Critical Journal of Black Culture, Politics and Society,* 19(4): 2018, 1-23*.*** [co-authored w/ Joy James].

**Alves, Jaime,** and Joao Costa Vargas. "On deaf ears: anti-black police terror, multiracial protest and white loyalty to the state." *Identities* 24, (2017)3: 254-274.

Alves, Jaime. “‘Blood in Reasoning’: State Violence, Contested Territories and Black Criminal Agency in Urban Brazil." *Journal of Latin American Studies* 48 (2016): 61-87.

Alves, Jaime. "On Mules and Bodies: Black Captivities in the Brazilian Racial Democracy." *Critical Sociology* 42.2: 229-248, 2015.

Alves, Jaime. “Neither Humans nor Rights:” Some Notes on the Double Negation of Black Social Suffering in Brazil. *Journal of Black Studies* 45(2): 143-162, 2014.

Alves, Jaime. “From Necropolis to Blackpolis: Necropolitical Governance and Black Spatial Praxis in São Paulo, Brazil.” *Antipode: Radical Journal of Geography*, 46(1):323-339, 2013.

Alves, Jaime. “Narratives of Violence: White ImagiNations and the Making of Black Masculinity in City of God.” *Revista de Ciencias Sociales*, 13(2):313-347, 2013.

Alves, Jaime. “Dialectics of the African Diaspora: The Glocality of Race and Resistance in a Neoliberal City.” *Cultural Dynamics*, 24(1):31-58, 2012.

Vargas, Joao Costa, and **Jaime Alves**. “Geographies of Death: An intersectional Analysis of Police Lethality in the City of São Paulo.” *The Journal of Ethnic Racial Studies,* 33(4):611-636, 2010.

Alves, Jaime. “Topografias da Violência: necropoder e governamentalidade espacial em São Paulo. ” *Revista do Departamento de Geografia*, 22(2):14-37, 2011.

Alves, Jaime. “Necropolítica Racial: a espacialização da morte na cidade de São Paulo.” *Revista da ABPN*, 2(3):31-45, 2010.

CHAPTERS IN BOOKS

Alves, Jaime. “Elas estao parindo um novo Brasil.” (preface). In: Debora Maria Silva (ed.) *As vitimas invisiveis da democracia.* São Paulo: Editora: Nós por Nós, 2019, pp.12-15.

Alves, Jaime. “Gubernamentalidad Espacial y Agencia Criminal Negra en Cali y São Paulo: Aproximaciones para una antropología ‘fuera de la ley’”. In Jorge Geraldo. *Territorio y Sociabilidades Violentas*, Universidad Eafit, 2017, pp.15-71.

**Alves, Jaime** and Aurora Vergara Figueroa. “In the Brunch of Paradise: Geographies of Racial Dispossession and Geographies of Privilege in Santiago de Cali/Colombia.” In: Ollie Johnson and Kwame Dixon (eds). *Handbook on Afro-Latin American Politics*, New York: Rutledge, 2018, pp.183-210.

**Alves, Jaime** and Joy James. “Guerras de Securitização Doméstica: Brasil, Estados Unidos e as Afinidades Imperiais da Anti-Negritude.” (with Joy James). In Ana Flauzina Pinheiro e Joao Costa Vargas (editors). *Motim: Horizontes do Genocídio.* Rio de Janeiro: Brado Negro, 2018, pp. 33-56.

**Alves, Jaime** and Dina Alves. “Drug and Drug Control in Brazil.” In: Pan-African Issues in Drugs and Drug Control: An International Perspective (Anita Kalunta-Crumpton, editor). Ashgate Publishing, 2015, pp.85-106.

Reprintings

Alves, Jaime. “Inimigo Público: a imaginação racista branca, o terror policial e a construção da masculinidade negra em Cidade de Deus. ” In: *Antinegritude: o impossível sujeito negro na formação social brasileira.* Joao Costa Vargas and Osmundo Pinho(Editors). Editora da Universidade Federal do Recôncavo Baiano. 2016, pp.35-51.

BOOK REVIEW

Alves, Jaime. “Álvaro Guzmán Barney (ed.) (2018). *Violencia en cinco ciudades Colombianas, a finales del siglo XX y principios del siglo XXI*. Cali: Universidad Autónoma de Occidente, 811 pp.” *Revista CS* (23):2018, 200-207.

Alves, Jaime. “*Afro-Politics and Civil Society in Salvador da Bahia, Brazil* by Kwame Dixon. Miami: University of Florida Press, 2017.” *National Political Science Review* 10(22):2018, 65-72.

Alves, Jaime. "Graham Denyer-Willis 2015: The Killing Consensus: Police, Organized Crime, and the Regulation of Life and Death in Urban Brazil. Durham: Duke University Press." *International Journal of Urban and Regional Research* 40.6 (2016): 1247-1250.

ENCYCLOPEDIA/DICTIONARY ENTRIES

“Fray David” [1000 words]. Dictionary of Caribbean and Afro‐Latin American Biography,(Co-authored w/ Joao Vargas). Eds. Henry Louis Gates, Jr., and Franklin Knight. New York: Oxford University Press, 2012.

IV. **OTHER PUBLICATIONS**

NON-REFEREED ARTICLES, OP-EDs AND PROCEEDINGS

“Antiblackness and the Brazilian Elections.” *NACLA Report on Americas,* Available at [https://nacla.org/news/2018/11/21/antiblackness-and-brazilian-elections November 20](https://nacla.org/news/2018/11/21/antiblackness-and-brazilian-elections%20November%2020), 2018.

“Más allá de la paz negativa: voces marginadas de la Colombia urbana del pos-acuerdo.” *LaSillaVacia,* Dicember, 2018. Available at <https://lasillavacia.com/silla-llena/red-pacifico/historia/mas-alla-de-la-paz-negativa-voces-marginadas-en-la-colombia-urbana>

“Marielle Franco´s Assassination.” *The Black Agenda Report.* Available at <https://www.blackagendareport.com/marielle-francos-assassination-one-tens-thousands-black-murders-brazil> March 18, 2018.

“Lula da Silva como pesadilla.” *Open Democracy* [https://www.opendemocracy.net/democraciaabierta/jaime-amparo-alves/lula-da-silva-muerto-ser-un-m-rtir-encarcelado-ser-un-h-roe-en- February 10](https://www.opendemocracy.net/democraciaabierta/jaime-amparo-alves/lula-da-silva-muerto-ser-un-m-rtir-encarcelado-ser-un-h-roe-en-%20February%2010), 2018.

“Rebellion in the Brazilian Graveyard: Our Dead have a Voice!” (Co-authored w/ Debora Silva). *LASA Forum*, 48(2):31-33, 2017

A Failure of Imagination: Donald Trump, the US-Brazil’s White Nationalism and the Need for an African Diasporic Abolitionist Program. *Abolition Journal*. Available at <https://abolitionjournal.org/a-failure-of-imagination-donald-trump-the-u-s-brazils-white-nationalism-and-the-need-for-an-african-diasporic-abolitionist-program/> Nov 2016.

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# “Una requisa, negro”! Sobre amnesia, privilegios y verdad racial en tiempos de cólera. *Adital: Red Latinoamericana de Comunicación.* Available at: <http://site.adital.com.br/site/noticia.php?lang=ES&cod=86751> August 2015.

“Police Terror in Brazil.” *Open Democracy.* Available at: <https://www.opendemocracy.net/jaime-alves/police-terror-in-brazil> May 2015.

“Beyond samba and football: The Brazilian protests in context.” *Open Democracy.* Available in: <http://www.opendemocracy.net/jaime-amparo-alves/beyond-samba-and-football-brazilian-protests-in-context> Feb 2014.

“De Ferguson a São Paulo: Entre a zona do não-ser e a rebelião permanente.” *Jornal Brasil de Fato.* Available at http://www.brasildefato.com.br/node/29553 August 2014

“Racializar las politicas públicas para promover la igualdad racial.” *Observatório de Politicas Publicas* (9):2013:22-24.

“A ditadura dos mass media e a esfera pública.” *Observatório da Imprensa.* Available at <http://www.observatoriodaimprensa.com.br/news/view/_ed694_a_ditadura_dos_mass_media_e_a_esfera_publica> January 2011.

“Identidade Explosiva.” *Jornal Brasil de Fato.”* In: <http://www.brasildefato.com.br/node/9751> Nov 2013.

“Descontruir o Racismo e Forjar a Utopia Revolucionária Negra.” [Co-authored w/ Douglas Belchior] Uneafro-Brasil. In <http://www.uneafrobrasil.org/?pg=opiniaonot&id=197> Nov 2013.

“A morte dos maus: uma nova etapa na biopolitical racial brasileira.” *Jornal Brasil de Fato*, Sao Paulo, Available at: http://antigo.brasildefato.com.br/node/5151. November, 26, 2010

“Arrogância, cinismo e fascismo social na mídia brasileira.” *Observatorio da Imprensa.* Available at: http://observatoriodaimprensa.com.br/feitos-desfeitas/arrogancia-cinismo-e-fascismo-social-na-midia-grande/ January, *12, 2010*

“Treze de Maio Brasileiro: porque devemos queimar a bandeira.” *Boletim Uneafro-Brasil,* Sao Paulo. available at: http://uneafrobrasil.org/treze-de-maio-porque-devemos-queimar-a-bandeira-brasileira/ May, 13, 2010.

**3. FELLOWSHIPS / GRANTS AWARDED**

The International Development Research of Canada (IDRC)

Santiago de Cali, Colombia

Co-Investigator, $ 240,000

Project “Mi Barrio, Mi Cuerpo”: Peacebuilding, Gender and Racial Justice in a Zone of Post-Conflict.”

Spring 2017-Spring 2019

The National Center for Institutional Diversity Pop-Up Grants

Sao Paulo, Brazil

Primary Investigator, $2,000

Project “Cartographies of Racial Violence: GIS Mapping of Violence in Brazil.”

Spring, 2018

Latin American Studies Association-Ford Foundation

New York City, New York

“Insurgencies: Police Terror and Racism in the Americas”

Co- PI, $12,340

Spring 2016

Social Science Research Council

Santiago de Cali, Colombia

“Racialized Geographies of Violence: Drug-trafficking, Policing and Gang Violence in a Colombian Shantytown”

Primary investigator, $ 28,000

Fall 2013-Spring 2014

CRAFT-Ruth Simmons Hamilton Award

Minnesota, Twin Cities

“Dialectics of the African Diaspora”

Only investigator, $ 10,000

Summer, 2010

Inter-American Foundation Grassroots Fellowship Program

Sao Paulo, Brazil

Dissertation Fellowship, $ 18,000

Fall 2009-Spring 2011

# Professional Staff Congress of the City University of New York (PSC CUNY) Award

# College of Staten Island of the City University of New York

“The Anti-Black City: Police Violence, urban Crime and the Struggle for Black Urban Life in Brazil”

Principal Investigator (P.I).

Summer, 2016

Postdoctoral Researcher

Africana Research Center

Penn State University

Fall-Spring, 2014

Visiting Research Scholar

Tereza Losano Institute for Latin American Studies

The University of Texas, at Austin

Spring-2013\* Research Abroad (Brazil-Colombia)

**4. LECTURES AND PAPERS PRESENTED**

Invited Lectures

“Whitopia: The Biopolitics of Brazil’s Lethal Democracy.” *The Brazilian Innitiative Speak Series,* Brown University. Providence, Feb 12, 2020.

“Anti-black Cities: the racialization of urban spatiality.” *Oficina Internacional Violência, racialização e resistências num mundo antinegro*. University of Lisbon, June 2, 2019.

“The Politics of Urban Inequality in Brazil & South Africa: a roundtable discussion.” *LSE:London School of Economics*, March 1, 2019.

“Bye-Bye Brazil?: Anti-Black Rage and the Vitality of Bolsonaro´s Anti-Black Democracy.” *University of Cambridge,* Center for Latin American Studies, Feb 27, 2019.

“A World of Complete Disorder: Gang Violence and Racial Politics in Afro-Latin America.” *Barnard College,* Columbia University, December 4, 2017.

“Policing as the Afterlife of Slavery: Racial Violence and the Refusal to be Governed in an Afrocolombian Shantytown.” Policing the City: Violence, Visibility and the Law*. Stanford University,* March 30, 2017.

“Zone of Nonbeing: White Civil Life and Antiblack Racial Terror in the Brazilian Polity”. *Brazilian Studies Program*, University of Oklahoma, Feb 9, 2017.

“Bloody transactions: police terror, white civil society and black protest in Brazil”. *ESRC workshop on Austerity, Racism and Resistance,* University of Glasgow, September 7, 2016.

“New Configurations of Racism in Latin America”. Centro de Estudios Afrodiasporicos, Universidade Icesi. Agosto 23, 2016.

“On our Own terms: police terror and black insurgency in Brazil.” Latin American Series. *Center of Latin American Studies. Cambridge University*, March, 2016.

On Deaf Ears: police terror, white loyalty and the black protest. Geography Emerging Scholars Series, *Penn State,* March 2015.

“Spatial transgressions: Black Criminality and Black Agency in Colombia and Brazil.” African and African Diaspora Series. *The University of Texas, at Austin*, November 10, 2014.

Conference Papers

“La Anti-negritud y (en) la Investigación Activista.” Balance y perspectivas de la Investigación Acción Participante (IAP), Universidad Nacional, Bogotá May, 2018.

“Granting Rights and Denying Life: ethnic politics and enduring racial order in Brazil and Colombia. Latin American Studies Association. New York, May 29, 2016.

“[Refusing to be Governed: ‘Terrocratic Security’ and Black Insurgency in a Colombian Shantytown](https://aaa.confex.com/aaa/2015/webprogram/Paper54055.html).” America Anthropological Association, Denver Colorado, December 2015.

“Outlawed Subjects: Drug Trafficking, State Violence and Black Criminal Agency in Brazil and Colombia.” America Anthropological Association, Washington DC, December, 2014

Ferguson and Global White Supremacy. Public Forum, Penn State University. October, 2014

`The African Diaspora as Social Praxis. The Africa Conference, UT Austin, April 2014

`Killing the Anthropologist: Some Predicaments on the Politics of Fieldwork in “Dangerous” Places. Abriendo Brechas Conference, UT Austin 2013.

“Gobernanza necropolitical: notas provisorias sobre la maldad en Cali y Sao Paulo.” Conferencia REDUNIPAZ. Universidad Univalle, Cali, 2013.

“Neither Humans Nor Rights: Sovereign Power, Social Suffering and Racial Anthropophagi in a Racial Democracy.” Law & Society Conference, Honolulu, June 2012.

“Living-in-Death: Conversation on Deadly Geographies and (Un)Grievable Deaths.” Society for Cultural Anthropology Conference, Providence, May 2012.

“Black Spatial Praxis: The Politics of Race and Resistance in São Paulo/Brazil.”Center for African and African Diaspora, University of Texas at Austin, April 2012.

*“‘*Vamo’a Portarnos Mal’: Toward a Short Critique of Latinidad and Identity Politics in Calle 13.” ILLASSA/2012. University of Texas at Austin.

“Police get Off Me: Spatial Governmentality and Racial Discipline in a Brazilian Favela.” Brazilian Faculty Seminar. Tereza Losano Latin American Institute, University of Texas at Austin, April 2012.

“On the Left of Karl Marx”? The Brazilian Black Movement in Search for an Alternative Political Imagination. Uneafro-Brazil General Assembly, Sao Paulo, August 20, 2011.

“Black Captivities: Race and Criminal Justice System in Brazil.” Imprisoned Intellectuals: America's *Political Prisoners* Write on Life, Liberation, and Rebellion, a Colloquium. The Center for African And African American Studies, University of Texas, at Austin, April 12, 2011.

**5. OTHER PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES** (ORGANIZER)

 "Escrita en el Cuerpo": Social Death, Spatial Injustices and Black Women's Activism in Colombia's "Post" War. Roundtable. Black Studies, Nov 2020.

“Cities on Fire: Police Terror, Black Protest and (the Limits of) Racial Solidarity.” Online Public Forum, Black Studies, June, 2020.

“We Can’t Breathe: Global Antiblackness and the Racial Politics of Covid-19.” Online Public Forum, Black Studies, May 2020.

“Del Luto a la Lucha: Madres en Resistencia.” Encuentro Internacional, Cali, Colombia 7-15 de September, 2018.

“Grief as Resistance: Black Mothering Politics in the Americas.” International Meeeting. University of Chicago, Summer 2017.

“Insurgencies: geographies of Policing and Pedagogies of Resistance in the Americas: an International Workshop.” College of Staten Island, Summer 2017.

ACTIVITIES AS REVIEWER

Peer reviewer for *ACME: International E-Journal of Geography, 2013-present*

Peer reviewer for *Antipode: A Radical Journal of Geography, 2015-present*

*Peer reviewer for the Journal of Latin American Studies, 2017-present*

*Peer reviewer for Ciencias Sociales, 2013-present*

Peer reviewer for *Journal of Black Studies*, 2014-present

Peer reviewer for *American Political Science Review, 2016*

Peer reviewer for *Public Culture, 2018*

Peer reviewer for *American Ethnologist,* 2016

Peer reviewer for *Critical Sociology*, 2014

Peer reviewer for *Revista da UFC, 2016*

Peer reviewer for *Economia y Historia, 2017*

**6. TEACHING PORTFOLIO (list courses taught)**

**University of California Santa Barbara**

BLST 117: Slavery and Modernity, Fall 2019

BLST 174: From Plantation to Prison, Spring 2020

BLST 2: Black Globalization, Spring 2020

**College of Staten Island**

ANT 201: *Cultural Anthropology*. Fall 2015; Spring 2016; Fall 2016; Spring 2017; Fall 2017 - ANT 305: *Power and Society in Latin America*. Spring 2016; Spring 2017 - SOC 240: *Minority Groups*. Fall 2017.

**Universidad Icesi (Colombia)**

Anthropology of Post-Conflict, Fall/Spring 2018;

Debates Contemporaneous: Spring 2014;

Race, Power and Society. Spring 2013

Latinoamérica: Miedo, Inseguridad y Violencia. Fall 2013

**The University of Texas, at Austin**

ANT 301: Cultural Anthropology. Fall 2012

**Faculdade Zumbi dos Palmares (Brazil)**

Afro-Brazilian History. Spring 2010

Cultural Anthropology. Fall 2010.

7. **RECORD OF SERVICE**

Corresponding Editor: Current Anthropology, present.

Editorial Board Review: *Journal of Latin American Studies,* 2019-present.

Editorial Board Review: Identities: Global Journal of Culture and Politics, present.

Scholars for Social Justice (SSJ), Member, 2018

Affiliated Researcher, Centro de Estudios Afrodiasporicos (Colombia), 2013-present.

COMMUNITY

Member of Uneafro-Brasil / Sao Paulo-Brazil, 2008-present

Member of Intersecccionalidades / Cali-Colombia, 2014-present.