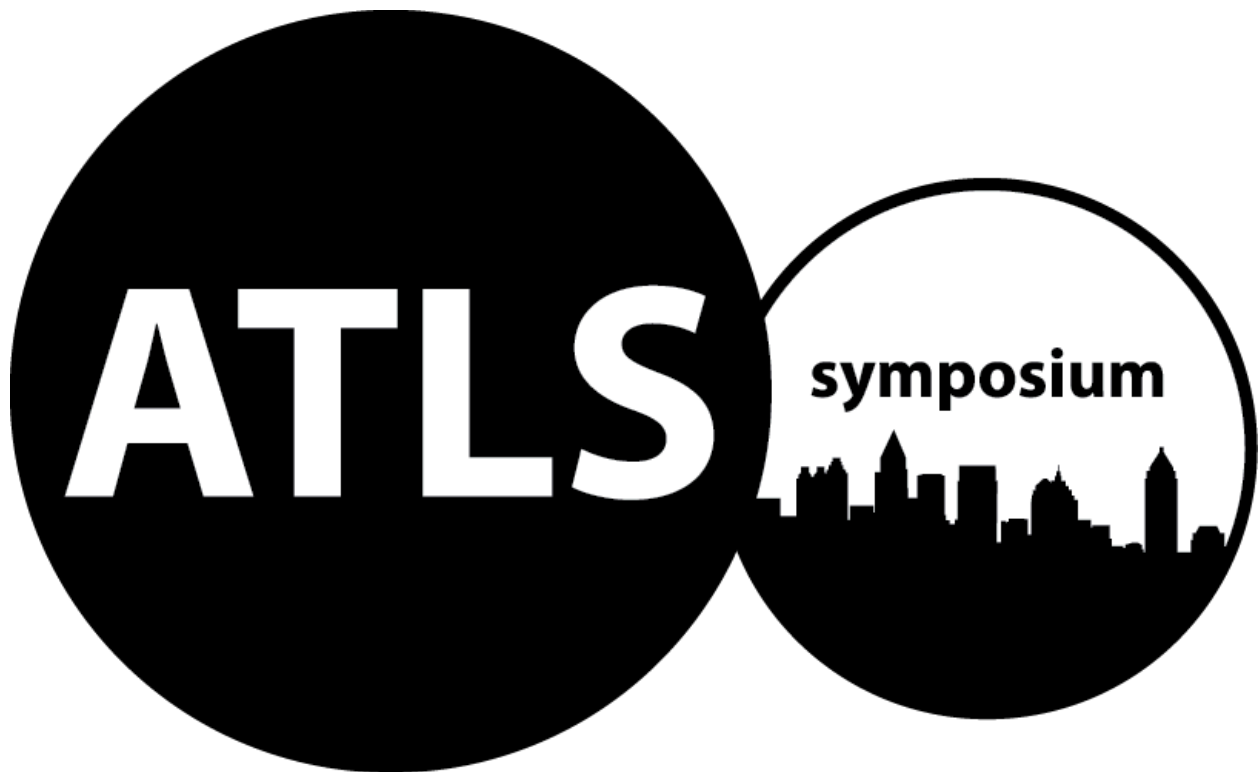


Eighth Annual Atlanta Studies Symposium

Inclusive Innovation: Designing the Future of Atlanta



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Schedule

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(each session has two concurrent panels on separate zoom links)

8:30-9:00	Opening Remarks	Loretta Parham, CEO and Director, AUC Woodruff Library
9:00-10:15	Session 1	a) Housing b) Claiming Space
10:30- 11:45	Session 2	a) Innovative Collaboration b) Uniting Atlanta
11:45-12:45	Break	Social Hour
12:45-2:00	Session 3	a) Urban Design b) Mapping Atlanta
2:15-3:30	Session 4	a) Lightning Round Presentations
3:45-4:45	Cliff Kuhn Memorial Lecture	b) Akira Drake Rodriguez (Introduction by Clint Fluker)
4:45-5:00	Closing Remarks: Martina Dodd	

Planning Notes:

All presentations are live.

Paper presenters/Panelists: 10-15 minutes each

Poster presenters: 5 minutes each

Tech Run for presenters: May 24/25, time TBD

Schedule

Opening Remarks

8:30 - 9:00am

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Session 1

9:00 - 10:15am

Housing (Track A)

Chair: Elora Raymond

- Housing Stability, Evictions, and Subsidized Rental Properties: Evidence From Metro Atlanta, Georgia (Austin Harrison)
- Evictions and Student Displacement in Atlanta (Pearse Haley)
- Gentrifying Atlanta: Investor Purchases of Rental Housing, Evictions and the Displacement of Black Residents (Michaela McKinney)
- Technological Path Dependence, Neighborhood Isolation, and Racial Segregation in Atlanta, Georgia from 1864 to 1937 (Matthew Reeves)

Claiming Space (Track B)

Chair: Jean Paul David Addie

- Lives on the (Belt)Line - Greenway Public Discourse in a Time of Crises (Robert Lloyd)
- Caribbean Carnival as Cultural and Spatial Practice (Regine Jackson)
- Anita Bryant and the growth of Atlanta Pride in the 1970s (Martin Padgett)
- Preserving Hip Hop (Joyceln Wilson)

Session 2

10:30 - 11:45am

Innovative Collaboration (Track A)

Chair: Brian Etheridge

- Classroom Learning as Participatory Development at Georgia Gwinnett College: An Interdisciplinary Approach to Student-Community Engagement (Todd Lindley and Brian Etheridge)
- Metro Atlanta Eds/Med, Collaboration vs Competition (Sam Williams)
- The Right to the Climate: Towards New Principles for Equitable Participation in Climate Adaptation Planning (Paul DeMerritt)
- Emergent Future Visions of a Resilient, Sustainable, and Equitable Atlanta (Lelani Mannetti)

Uniting Atlanta (Track B)

Chair: Katherine Hankins

- Imagining a United Atlanta: Atlanta United FC, Imagined Community, and Inequality in Modern Atlanta (Declan Abernethy)
- The 'Atlanta Way': Repression, Division, and Mediation of Black Resistance from 1906 to the 2020 George Floyd Uprising (Kayla Edgett and Sarah Abdelaziz)
- Blandtown Banners: Art, Awareness, Activism & Agitprop (Gregor Turk)
- Augmented History: The Case of Battle of Atlanta Cyclorama (Aryabrata Basu)

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Session 3

12:45 - 2:00pm

Urban Design (Track A)

Chair: Kathleen Leuschen

- Shared-Equity: Balancing Affordability and Community Ownership (Antariksh Tandon)
- Measuring disparities in food access and its implications for nutrient-related diseases: an empirical study in metropolitan Atlanta (Yilun Zha)
- Learning From Residual Spaces Through Experiential Methods (Carley Rickles)

Mapping Atlanta (Track B)

Chair: Ben Miller

- Climate Vulnerability Assessment for Downtown Atlanta (Jairo Garcia)
- ATLMaps Meets the Map Room (Yanni Loukissas and Brennan Collins)
- Telling Stories with Data: Building an Asset Map of West Atlanta (Katie O'Connell)
- Considering the Past, Designing for the Future: African American Archival Collections and Atlanta Smart City Design (Brittany Newberry)

Session 4

2:15 - 3:30pm

Poster Presentations (Track C)

Chair: Lauren Highsmith

- Joanna Mundy & Jay Varner - OpenTour Builder: an open source platform for highlighting Atlanta stories in the lived environment of the city
- Katie O'Connell - From Urban Renewal to the BeltLine: Atlanta's Use of

Public Health Narratives to Reshape the City

- Atlanta Thriving: Application of the Savannah thriving framework and case study (Meaghan McSorley and Nisha Botchwey)

Cliff Kuhn Memorial Keynote Lecture **3:45 - 4:45pm**

Planning at the Margins: Shifting the Power Dynamics of the Atlanta Way

Akira Drake Rodriguez, University of Pennsylvania

Closing Remarks **4:45 - 5:00pm**

Martina Dodd, Curator of Object Based Learning, AUC Woodruff Library

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