Rethinking the Black American Speaking Subject
4 June 2012
McCune Conference Room (HSSB 6020)

Schedule of Events

8:30-8:55am
Breakfast

9:00-9:55am
Black Sociolinguistics: Where We’ve Been, Where We’re Going
Simanique Moody, Department of Linguistics
University of California, Santa Barbara

10:00-10:40am
Middle Class African American English… Not So Lame!
Tracey Weldon, Department of Linguistics
University of South Carolina

10:40-10:55am
Discussion

11:00-11:40am
Linguistic Harassment: Discourse and Discrimination in the Workplace
John Baugh, Department of Anthropology
Washington University in St. Louis

11:40-11:55am
Discussion

12:00-1:15pm
Lunch Break

1:15-1:55pm
Rethinking Social and Linguistic Taxonomies: A Study of Language Use in Black New York
Renee Blake, Department of Linguistics
New York University

1:55-2:10pm
Discussion
2:15-2:45pm
By Way of West Africa: The Relations of Rhetorical Discourse Strategies in Cape Verdean Languages and Hip Hop Languages
Jessica Barros, Department of Black Studies
University of California, Santa Barbara

2:45-3:45pm
Panel Discussion

3:45-4:00pm
On Emergent Black Subjectivities
Nathaniel Dumas, Department of Linguistics
University of California, Santa Barbara

4:00-4:15pm
Discussion

4:15-4:30pm
Closing Remarks