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#### Education

Ph.D.: University at Albany, State University of New York, Latin American & Caribbean Studies, May 2002

Academic Career:

- Professor of Caribbean and Latin American Studies at Jackson State University
- Director of the MA program in History
- Chair of the History Department Fall 2019 to Summer 2020

## Editorial/Advisory Board

- University Press of Mississippi
- Caribbean Writer (2016-2020)
- International Journal of Women's Studies
- Journal of Indentureship and its Legacies
- South Asian Diaspora
- Indenture Papers
- Journal of Ethnicities
- Journal of Labor History
- Open Journal of Women's Studies
- Global Girmit Institute (Fiji)
- Indenture Labor Route

#### Reviewer

- Cambridge University Press
- Grant Applications for the National Endowment of Humanities (Program Officer) 2016, 2018
- American Academy in Berlin
- Oxford University Press (manuscript)
- External Reviewer for a dissertation from the Acharya Nagarjuna University (India)
- External Reviewer for a dissertation from the University of KwaZulu-Natal (South Africa)

- External Reviewer for a dissertation from the University of the West Indies
- External Reviewer for the University of the West Indies on a faculty promotion
- Routledge (book proposal)
- Palgrave (book proposal)
- Rowan Littlefield (book proposal)
- Book Reviewer for the American Journal of Indic Studies
- Geographical Journal
- ACME: International Journal of Critical Geographers
- Journal of Indenture Papers
- Journal of Economic History Review
- Journal of American Historical Review
- Journal of Studies in Travel Writing
- Journal of Imperial and Commonwealth History
- Journal of Sage Open
- Journal of Ethnicities
- Journal of Social and Economic Studies
- Journal of Labor History
- Journal of South Asian Diaspora (5 times)
- Journal of Latin American & Ethnic Studies
- Journal of Small Axe
- Journal of Caribbean Quarterly (4 times)
- International Journal of Women's Studies (4 times)
- Journal of Caribbean Writer
- Journal of Identities: Global Studies in Culture and Power
- Journal of Slavery & Abolition
- Journal of New West Indian Guide

# **Research Interests**

• Caribbean labor, migration, ethnicity, and identity

# Courses Taught

Jackson State University (2012 - )

- Graduate course: The History of the Caribbean 530 (also online)
- Graduate course: Caribbean Migration and Identity 551 online
- Graduate course: Latin American Seminar 532 online
- World Civilization 101 HISTORICAL (also online)
- World Civilization 102 MODERN (also online)
- History of Colonial Latin America 327
- History of Modern Latin America 328
- History of the Caribbean 329
- Historiography 344

• Research Seminar 447

University of the Virgin Islands (2002-2012)

- Introduction to the Social Sciences 100
- Introduction to Sociology 121
- World History or World Civilization 181 (also on Blackboard)
- World History or World Civilization 182 (also on Blackboard)
- Physical & Cultural Anthropology 225
- History of the United States 320 (also on Blackboard)
- Virgin Islands History 342
- Caribbean History 341 (also on Blackboard)
- US-Caribbean Relations 330
- Latin America 350 (also on Blackboard)

Skidmore College (2006-2007)

- Colonial Latin America 108
- Modern Latin America 109
- US-Caribbean Relations 217
- Caribbean Revolutions 217
- Colonial Caribbean 330
- Modern Caribbean 331

State University of New York at Albany (2000-2002)

- Introduction to Latin America 100
- The Caribbean: People, History, and Culture 269
- Latin America: Culture & Society 502 (co-taught this graduate class with former Chancellor of the University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee, Dr. Carlos Santiago)

Book Publications:

- 1. *Indian Caribbean: Migration and Identity in the Diaspora,* Jackson: University Press of Mississippi, 2018.
- 2. Indian Indenture in the Danish West Indies, London: Palgrave MacMillan, 2016.
- 3. *Indo-Caribbean Indenture: Resistance and Accommodation*, Kingston, Jamaica: University of the West Indies Press, 2007.

# Edited Books

- 1. *Historical and Contemporary Aspects of Indian Indenture and Migration*, edited by Maurits S. Hassankhan, Rachel Kurian, **Lomarsh Roopnarine** and Ashutosh Kumar. Manohar Publishers & Distributors (Forthcoming)
- 2. Nationalism, Transnationalism and Identity in the Age of Post-Slavery Indenture and Migration, edited by Maurits S. Hassankhan, Kalpana Hiralal, Cristiana Bastos and Lomarsh Roopnarine, Manohar Publishers & Distributors, 2023.

- 3. The Legacy of Indian Indenture: Historical and Contemporary Aspects of Migration and Diaspora. Maurits Hassankhan, Lomarsh Roopnarine and Hans Ramsoedh (Eds), New Delhi: Manohar Publisher & Distributors, 2016.
- 4. Social and Cultural Dimensions of Indian Indentured Labour and its Diaspora: Past and Present. Maurits S. Hassankhan, Lomarsh Roopnarine and Radica Mahase (Eds), New Delhi: Manohar Publisher & Distributors, 2016.
- Legacy of Slavery and Indentured Labour: Historical and contemporary issues in Suriname and the Caribbean. Maurits S. Hassankhan, Lomarsh Roopnarine, Cheryl White and Radica Mahase (Eds), New Delhi: Manohar Publisher & Distributors, 2016.
- 6. Islam, Muslims and Indentured Labour: Diaspora Experiences of a Minority Group in Plural Societies, Maurits S. Hassankhan, Lomarsh Roopnarine and Goolam Vahed (Eds), New Delhi: Manohar Publisher & Distributors, 2016

## Book Chapters:

- 1. "Labor Migrations of the Nineteenth Century" in *The Cambridge History of the Caribbean* edited by Edward Rugemer; Kristen Block; Anne Eller; Matthew Smith, Cambridge: Cambridge University Press (forthcoming).
- 2. "Not so Anchored: Remigration of Indians within the Caribbean Region" In *Indenture and After: Gender, Agency and Resistance Amongst South Asian Overseas Migrants.* Crispin Bates (ed), pp 148-164, Cambridge: Cambridge University Press, 2023.
- 3. "Berbice and Beyond: My Improbable Journey" In *Girmitiyas: The Making of Their Memory-Keepers from the Indian Indentured Diaspora*, Brij Lal (ed). Pp 21-32. New Delhi Primus Books, 2022.
- 4. "The African Caribbean Experience: Continuity and Change" In *Africana Studies: A Survey of Africa and the African Diaspora,* Mario Azevedo (ed), pp. 181-192, Durham, North Carolina: Carolina Academic Press 2018.
- 5. "Three Controversial issues in Guyana: Border controversy, Out-Migration and Landownership" *The Contemporary Caribbean: Issues, Challenges and Opportunities,* Clinton Beckford (Ed). Hauppauge, NY: Nova Science Publisher, 2018.
- 6. "Transnational migration during East Indian Indenture in British Guiana and Trinidad" *The Legacy of Indian Indenture: Historical and Contemporary Aspects of Migration and Diaspora*. Maurits Hassankhan, Lomarsh Roopnarine and Hans Ramsoedh (Eds), pp 15-36, New Delhi: Manohar Publisher 2016.

- 7. "Resistance and Adaptation among Indentured Indian Laborers in British Guiana during Indentureship" In *Resistance and Indian Indenture Experience: Comparative Perspective,* Mauritus S. Hassankhan, Brij V. Lal & Doug Munro (Eds), pp 157-182, New Delhi: Manohar Publishers, 2014.
- 8. "Environmental Policy Challenges and Growth in Guyana" *In Living at Borderlines: Issues in Caribbean Sovereignty and Development*. Cynthia Barrow-Giles and Don Marshall (Eds.), pp 276-303.Kingston, Ian Randle Publishers, 2003.

## Journal Articles:

- 1. "South Asian Diaspora in the Caribbean." In The Oxford Research of Oxford Research Encyclopedia of Latin American History. Ed. New York: Oxford University Press, <u>https://doi.org/10.1093/acrefore/9780199366439.013.1131</u>.
- 2. "Internal Migration and Integration among Indians between 1920 and 1940 in British Guiana." *Indenture Papers: Studies On Girmityas* Vol. 2 (2022):99-118.
- 3. "Managing Guyana's Newfound Oil and Gas Wealth: Controversy and Challenge" *Caribbean Studies* Vol. 50. No. 1. (2022): 3-33.
- 4. "Intra-regional Caribbean labor migratory dynamics of Conflict and Solidarity in the United States Virgin Islands, 1950-2020" *Caribbean Quarterly* Vol. 63. No. 3 (2021): 304-319.
- 5. "Puerto Ricans and Dominicans in the United States Virgin Islands" *Caribbean Studies* Vol.49. No. 1, (2021): 61-84.
- 6. "Jews and Frenchies: White Ethnic Minority in the United States Virgin Islands" *Small Axe: Journal of Criticism* Vol. 65. (2021): 69-82.
- 7. "White American Migration to the United States Virgin Islands: Development or Dominance. *Researcher* Vol. 30. No. 1 (2020): 1-20.
- 8. "Contract Labor Migration as an Agent of Revolutionary Change in the Danish West Indies" *Labor History* Vol. 61. Issue 5-6, (2020): 692-705.
- 9. "The Village Peeper" (short story) Caribbean Writer Vol. 32 (2018): 122-128.
- 10. "Muslim Faith and Work Ethic in the United States Virgin Islands" *Journal of Muslim Minority Affairs* Vol. 36. Issue 1 (2016): 62-73.
- 11. "East Indian Women and Leadership Roles during Indentured Servitude in British Guiana 1838-1920, *Journal of International Women Studies*, Vol. 16. No. 3 (July 2015): 174-185.
- 12. "East Indians in the United States Virgin Islands" *Social and Economic Studies* Vol.63. No. 1 (2014): 89-110

- 13. "A Critique of East Indian Indentured Historiography in the Caribbean" *Labor History* Vol. 55. No. 3 (2014): 389-401.
- "Guyana Population Movements and Societal Development" Institute of Developmental Studies, University of Guyana Special Series Paper #712 to commemorate the 50<sup>th</sup> Anniversary (1963-2013) of the University of Guyana, (2013).
- "A Comparative Analysis of two failed Indenture Experiences in Post-emancipation Caribbean: British Guiana (1838-1843) and Danish St. Croix (1863–1868)" *Iberoamericana: Nordic Review of Latin American and Caribbean Studies,* Institute of Latin American Studies, Stockholm University, Vol. 42. No. 1 & 2 (2012): 203-230.
- 16. "Regulations and Remittances from British Indentured Guianese," *Comparative Studies of South Asia, Africa and the Middle East* Vol. 32. No. 3 (2012): 662-671.
- 17. "Draputie's Vanishing Hopes" (creative short story) *Arts Journal*, (University of Guyana) Vol. 7, No 1 & 2 (Spring 2012): 50-54.
- 18. "St. Croix's Secession Movement in the United States Virgin Islands: Sentimental or Serious," *Journal of Eastern Caribbean Studies* Vol. 36, No. 1, (2011): 43-65
- 19. "Indian Migration during Indentured Servitude in British Guiana and Trinidad, 18501920," *Labor History* Vol. 52. No. 2, (2011): 173-192.
- "The Challenges of CARICOM Integration: The Barbadian-Guyanese Impasse," *Transition*, Institute of Developmental Studies at the University of Guyana Vol. 40, (2011): 62-91.
- 21. "Maroon Resistance and Settlement on Danish St. Croix," *Journal of Third World Studies* Vol. 27, Issue 2, (2010): 89-108
- 22. "Social Identity in the Modern United States Virgin Islands," *Social Identities: Journal for the Study of Race, Nation and Culture* Vol.16, No.6. (November 2010): 791-807.
- 23. "The Indian Sea Voyage between India and the Caribbean during the second half of the Nineteenth Century." *Journal of Caribbean History* Vol. 44. No. 1. (2010): 48-74.
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- "Indian Social Identity in Guyana, Trinidad and North American Diaspora," Wadabagei: A Journal of the Caribbean and its Diaspora Vol. 12. No. 3. (2009): 87-125.

- 26. "The First and Only Crossing: Indian Indenture on Danish St. Croix 1863-1868" South Asian Diaspora Vol. 1. No. 2, (2009): 113-140.
- 27. "United States Virgin Islands Migration," *Social and Economic Studies* Vol. 57: 3 & 4, (2008): 131-156.
- The Repatriation, Readjustment, and second-term Migration of Ex-indentured Indian Laborers from British Guiana and Trinidad to India 1838-1955" New West Indian Guide Vol. 83. No.1 & 2, (2009): 71-97.
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- 30. "Eastern Caribbean Islanders in St. Croix: Intra-Island Migration and Ethnic Relations" *Journal of Caribbean Studies*. Vol. 22. No. 3. (2008): 137-154.
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- 32. "The Return of East Indian Indentured servants from the Caribbean to India 18381920" *Journal of Caribbean History* Vol. 40, No. 2, (2006): 308-324.
- 33. "Indo-Caribbean Social Identity," Caribbean Quarterly, Vo. 52. No. 1, (2006): 1-11.
- "Small-scale Gold Mining and Environmental Policy Challenges in Guyana's Interior Region." *Canadian Journal of Latin American and Caribbean Studies*, Vol. 31. No.61. (Spring 2006):115-144.
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- 36. "The Dilution of the Caste System among Caribbean East Indians", *La Torre*, Vol. 10. No. 36-37, (2005): 275-287.
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- 39. "Wounding Guyana: Gold Mining and Environmental Degradation." *European Review* of Latin American and Caribbean Studies Vol. 73, (October 2002): 83-91.
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- 2. Gregor Benton, *Chinese Indentured Labor in the Dutch East Indies 1880–1942: Tin, Tobacco, Timber and the Penal Sanction*, Palgrave Macmillan, 2022, *Journal of Indentureship and its Legacies* (forthcoming).
- Arunima Datta, Fleeting Agencies: A Social History of Indian Coolie Women in British Malaya. Journal of Asian and African Studies, Volume 58. Issue 7. <u>https://doi.org/10.1177/00219096231206954</u>
- 4. Don Fitz, *Cuban Health Care: The Ongoing Revolution*, New York: Monthly Review Press 2020, *International Journal of Cuban Studies* Vol. 15. No. 2 (2023); 318-320.
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- 6. Baytoram Ramharack, *Jung Bahadur Singh of Guyana (1886-1956): Politician, ship doctor, labor leader and protector of Indians,* San Juan, Trinidad: Chakra Publishing, 2019, *Journal of Caribbean History* Vol. 56. No. 1 (2022): 100-101.
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- 8. Jerome Teelucksingh. *Beyond the Legacy of the Missionaries and East Indians*, Leiden: Brill. 2020. *New West Indian Guide*. Vol. 95. No. 1-2 (2020): 71-72.
- Allison Klein, Anglophone Literature of Caribbean Indenture: The Seductive Hierarchies of Empire. London & New York: Palgrave, MacMillan 2019, New West Indian Guide Vol. 94 (2020): 353-354.
- 10. David Gilmour, *The British in India: A Social History of the Raj*, Farrar, Straus, and Giroux: New York, 2018. *The Historian* Vol. 81 No. 4 (Winter 2019):718-19.

- Radhika Mongia, Indian Migration and Empire: A Colonial Genealogy of the Modern State. Durham, NC: Duke University Press, 2018 The Historian Vol. 81 Issue. 3 (Fall 2019): 510-511.
- 12. Marilyn Krigger, *Race Relations in U.S Virgin Islands: St. Thomas –A Centennial Retrospective*. Durham, North Carolina: Carolina Academic Publishing. 2018. *Ethnic and Racial Studies*. Vol. 42. Issue 11 (2019): 2387-2389.
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- Colbert I. Nepaulsingh, *The Birth of the Kabir Panthi Movement in Trinidad*. Port of Spain, Paria Publishing Co. Ltd, 2018. *Caribbean Quarterly*. Vol. 65. Issue 2 (2019): 308-310.
- Edwin L. Martin, *Stranded Batsman*, Meadville, Pennsylvania: Create Space Independent Publishing Platform, 2017. *Journal of Caribbean History* Vol. 53. No. 1 (2019): 181-185.
- 17. Llana Barber, *Latino City: Immigration and Urban Crisis in Lawrence, Massachusetts, 1945-200*, Chapel Hill: University of North Carolina Press, 2017 *Latin Americanists* Vol. 62. No. 3 (2018): 606-607.
- Vilbert C. Cambridge Musical Life in Guyana: History and Politics of Controlling Creativity. Jackson, Mississippi, University Press of Mississippi. 2015, Caribbean Writer Vo. 32 (2018): 236-239.
- 19. Steven Hyland, *More Argentine than You: Arabic-Speaking Immigrants in Argentina*. Albuquerque: University of New Mexico Press, 2018. *The Latin Americanists*, Vol. 62. No. 2 (2018): 308-310.
- 20. Mary Njeri Kinyanjui, *Women and the Informal Economy in Urban Africa: From the Margins to the Centre*. Zed Books, London. 2014. *International Journal of Women's Studies* Vol. 19. No. 2 (2018): 264-265.
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- 22. Tony Martin, *Caribbean History: Pre-Colonial Origins to the Present*, Boston: Pearson, 2012, *Nordic Review of Latin American and Caribbean Studies* Vol. 45. No. 1. (2016): 3-5.

- 23. Sabir Nakhuda, *Bengal to Barbados: A 100-Year History of East Indians in Barbados*, Self-published, St. James, Barbados, 2013, *Caribbean Quarterly* Vol. 61. No. 4, (2016): 160-61.
- 24. Keith Tinker, *The Migration of Peoples from the Caribbean to the Bahamas*, Gainesville: University Press of Florida, 2010, *Ethno History* Vol. 63. No. 1 (2016): 203-204.
- 25. Hillary McD Beckles, *Britain's Black Death: Reparations for Caribbean Slavery and Genocide,* Kingston: University of the West Indies Press, 2013 *Journal of Third World Studies* Vol. 32. No. 1 (2015): 351-352.
- Robert E. May, Slavery, Race and Conquest in the Tropic: Lincoln, Douglas and the Future of America, Cambridge: Cambridge University Press, 2013, Journal of Mississippi History Vol. LXXVII, No. 1 & 2 (2015):100-101.
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- 2. Interviewed by Samantha Harlow on the radio program Caribbean Conscious on Indian identity on October 18, 2018.
- Interviewed by Suman Guha Mozumder for India Abroad Magazine on Indo-Caribbean community mourning the death of Nobel laureate Naipaul on August 15, 2018.
- 4. Interviewed by Aisiri Amin, Correspondent for *Little India Magazine* on Beyond Coolie Identity in the Caribbean on October 1, 2017.
- 5. Interviewed by Sidsel Nyholm, U.S. correspondent, for the Daily Danish newspaper, *Kristeligt Dagblad* on the occasion of the 100th anniversary of Denmark's sale of the Virgin Islands to the United States on March 15, 2017.

- 6. Interviewed by Danish Journalist Jon Mathorne on Danish West Indies with regard to The constitutional match providing conflict in the former Danish colony on March 13, 2017.
- 7. Interviewed by Samantha Harlow on the radio program Caribbean Conscious on Indo-Caribbean History, and their interactions with/contributions to history and culture in the United States Virgin Islands on May 10, 2016.
- 8. Interviewed by Samuel Oakford, VICE News' UN correspondent, based at the Secretariat in New York on Guyana's ongoing border controversy with Venezuela on October 25, 2015.

## **Conference Presentations**

- 1. "Brij Lal's Subaltern Approach to the Study of Indenture" A paper presented at the Conference: Celebrating Girmitiya Identities and Lives: Documenting, Researching, Writing, and Communicating Histories and Lives in Fiji, May 12-15, 2023.
- 2. "Indo-Caribbean Migration, Cultural Continuity, Change, and Identity Formation" University of Wisconsin, Madison, Department of South Asian Studies, Center for Leadership & Involvement Virtual Lecture series, March 4, 2021.
- "Contesting and Contextualizing: Caribbean East Indian Identity," A paper presented at Calibanías y Caribeñidades: Espacios y Topografías Calibans and Caribbeanisms: Spaces and Topographies Calibanismes et Antillanismes: Espaces et Topographies conference at the Department of Languages, Literatures and Cultures Marquette University, Milwaukee, WI 5 April -7 April 2018.
- "Misconceptions of Indian Plantation Indenture" A paper presented at the conference on The State of Indian Caribbean Diaspora 100 years after the Abolishment of Indenturedship," at Columbia University, New York on December 2, 2017.
- "Combating Decay during Indian Indentured Servitude in the Nineteenth Century", a paper presented at the 45<sup>th</sup> Annual Conference on South Asia in Madison, Wisconsin, October 19-24, 2016.
- 6. "Ethnic Conundrum in the United States Virgin Islands" a paper presented at the National Association of African American Studies & Affiliates in Baton Rouge, Louisiana on February 11, 2016.
- 7. "Indentured Indian Historiography in the Anglophone Caribbean", a paper presented at the Indian Diaspora: Identity, Trajectories and Tran nationalities conference at the University of the West Indies in Trinidad, May 12-16, 2015.

- 8. "Reconstructing and Reconstituting Caste Customs on the Returning Ships from the Caribbean to India during Indenture", a paper presented at the 40th annual Caribbean Studies Association conference at the Hilton Riverside Hotel, New Orleans, May 24-29, 2015.
- 9. "Transnational Connections during Indenture" a paper presented at the Indentured Labor Route International Conference in Mauritius on November 2-5, 2014.
- 10. "Hispanic Hybridization in the United States Virgin Islands" a paper presented at National Association of African American Studies & Affiliates at Mississippi College, Clinton Mississippi on April 29, 2014.
- 11. "African Heritage in the Caribbean" a paper presented at the Annual Spring Colloquium at Baltimore City Community College on April 10, 2014.
- 12. "Lecture on 150<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the Arrival of East Indians in Danish St. Croix", a paper presented to the Landmark Society of St. Croix, United States Virgin Islands on March 10, 2014.
- 13. "Black Radicalism in the United States Virgin Islands," a paper presented at the Radical Caribbeans conference, in New Orleans, Louisiana on October 4, 2013.
- 14. "Problems and predictions in Caribbean East Indian Indentured Historiography" a paper presented at the 150<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the Abolition of Slavery and Indenture conference in Suriname on June 6, 2013.
- 15. "Hispanics on St. Croix: Migration and Identity," a paper presented at the National Association of Hispanic and Latino Studies Conference, Baton Rouge Louisiana, on February 14, 2013.
- 16. "African Identity in the Caribbean: Cultural Continuity and Change," a paper presented at Jackson State University October 30, 2012.
- 17. Conversation with Dr. William W. Boyer on the occasion of the second edition of his book America's Virgin Islands: A History of Rights and Wrongs (2010) via Skype at the Institute of Caribbean Studies, University of Puerto Rico on December 2, 2010.
- "Asian Identity in the Caribbean." A paper presented at the Conference on The Islands in Between: Language, Literature, and Culture of the Eastern Caribbean on 6 November 2009, Dominica.
- 19. "St. Croix Secession Movement in the United States Virgin Islands: Independence or Insularity," a paper presented at the University of Puerto Rico on October 10, 2008.

- 20. "Indo-Caribbean Resistance and Accommodation," a paper presented at the University of Puerto Rico on October 10, 2008.
- 21. "Intra-Caribbean Migration: St Lucians to the United States Virgin Islands, St. Croix," a paper presented at the Association of Caribbean Historians Conference in Commemoration of the 200<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of the Abolition of the African Slave Trade in Trinidad in May 2006.
- 22. "Indo-Caribbean Migration within the Caribbean," a paper presented at the International Literary Conference: "Caribbean Migrations: Negotiating Borders" at Ryerson University, Toronto, Ontario, Canada on the 18-22, July, 2005.
- 23. "The Social Transformation of Caribbean East Indians," a paper presented at the International East Indian Diaspora Conference: East Indians in the Caribbean: Reflections of the Past; Charting the Way Forward at the University of the West Indies, Trinidad on the 28<sup>th</sup> and 29<sup>th</sup> of May 2005.
- 24. "Cultural Change and Continuity: The Dilution of the Caste System among Caribbean East Indians" a Paper Presented at the Conference on The Islands in Between: Language, Literature and Culture of the Eastern Caribbean in Tortola, British Virgin Islands on the 3-7 November 2004.
- 25. "Managing Guyana's Forest Regions and the Development of Urban Forests: Cooperation and Challenge," Proceedings of the 9th Annual Caribbean Urban and Community Forestry Conference in St. John, USVI, June 2004: 36-41. (Wrote a paper but was unable to present).
- 26. "Migration under Indo-Caribbean Indenture Servitude 1838-1917" a paper presented at the 29th Annual Conference of the Caribbean Studies Association, St. Kitts Marriott Resort, Frigate Bay, St. Kitts, between May 31 and June 5, 2004.
- 27. "A History of Intra-Indo-Caribbean Migration," a paper presented at the Indian Diaspora in the Caribbean Conference: The Global Interface on St Augustine Campus, Trinidad, on the 21 and 22 of May 2004.
- 28. "Creating Opportunities out of Indo-Caribbean Indenture", a paper presented at the Conference: Globalization, Diaspora and Identity Formation at the Hotel Krasnapolky, Paramaribo, Suriname between 26 and 29 of February 2004.