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EDUCATION

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| 2026
(expected) | PhD. Department of Geography and the Environment, The University of Texas at Austin
PhD Committee: Dr. Caroline Faria (Co-Chair) Dr. Pavithra Vasudevan (Co-Chair), Dr. Bjørn Sletto, Dr. Carlos Ramos Scharrón, Dr. Ashanté Reese |
| 2020 | M.A., Department of Geography and the Environment, The University of Texas at Austin
MA Thesis Committee: Dr. Caroline Faria (Co-Chair) Dr. Pavithra Vasudevan (Co-Chair), Dr. Bjørn Sletto
Thesis: “Racial Narratives in Leisure Landscapes: Colonial Tourism in Santo Domingo, Dominican Republic” <i>Awarded Outstanding Master’s Thesis Award for Social Science, Business, and Education</i> |
| 2018 | B.A., American University. Washington, DC. International Studies; Spanish Language and Latin American Studies
Certificate in Spanish Translation |

PUBLICATIONS

Journal Articles:

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| 2025 | Nimoh, S. “Airing the Ungeographic: <i>Anacostia Unmapped</i> and Black Geographies of Gentrification in Washington, DC.” <i>ACME: An International Journal for Critical Geographies</i> , 24(3), 260–277. https://doi.org/10.14288/acme.aa3oem-2360 |
| 2023 | Nimoh, S. “‘Kick, Push:’ Skating for Space and Joy” <i>Southern Cultures</i> 29(2): 20-23. [Black Geographies Special Issue] |
| 2021 | Faria, C., Caretta, M. A., Dever, E., Nimoh, S.* (2021). Care in/and through the archives: Postcolonial moves in geographic research. <i>Emotion, Space, and Society</i> 39. |

Book Chapters:

- 2024 Davis, K., **Nimoh, S.**, & Reason, J. “Black Geographies” in G. Chen & L. Eaves (Eds), *How to Foster Diversity, Equity, Inclusion, and Justice in Geography*. Edward Elgar Publishing.

Book Reviews:

Forthcoming **Nimoh, S.** *Disabled Ecologies: Lessons From a Wounded Desert*. Sunaura Taylor. In progress for *Gender, Place, and Culture*.

2019 The Feminist Geography Collective at UT Austin [El-Fil, Z., Elledge, A., Hakeem, M., Jefferson, H., **Nimoh, S.***, Velasco, G., Whitesell, D., Faria, C.] (2019) *Feminist Spaces: Gender and Geography in a Global Context*. *Human Geography: A Radical Journal of Geography*.

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Newsletters and Public Scholarship

2022 **Nimoh, S.** (2022). Black Womanhood and Colonial Body Memory: Reflections from Fieldwork. *Caribbean Geography Specialty Group Newsletter* 2(1): 24-27. <https://geo.cepal.org/en/contenido/proyectos/carigeo/pdf/CGSGNewsletter2022.pdf>

FELLOWSHIPS, GRANTS & AWARDS

External Fellowships, Grants and Awards

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| 2023-2024 | American Association of University Women American Dissertation Fellowship (\$25,000) |
| 2022 | Foreign Language and Area Studies Fellowship for Summer Haitian Creole study (\$8,500) |
| 2021-2022 | Foreign Language and Area Studies Fellowship for the study of Haitian Creole (\$33,000) |
| 2021 | Caribbean Geographies Speciality Group Conference Award (\$150) |
| 2021 | Latinx Geographies Speciality Group Conference Award (\$100) |
| 2020 | Autistic People of Color Fund: Autistic Women’s and Nonbinary Network (\$500) |
| 2020-2021 | Tinker Field Research Grant (\$969.11) |
| 2020-2021 | Society of Women Geographers Evelyn L. Pruitt Minority Fellowship (\$2,000) |
| 2020 | National Science Foundation Research Grant under Sletto PI (\$1,000) |
| 2017-2018 | Alumni Scholarship American University (\$5000) |
| 2015 | AmeriCorps Education Award (\$1,194.71) |

Internal Fellowships, Grants, and Awards to the University of Texas at Austin

2025	Professional Development Funding: Department of Geography and the Environment (\$200)
2025	The John L. Warfield Center for African and African American Studies Graduate Student Conference Grant (\$400)
2024-2025	Graduate Continuing Fellowship (\$52,000)
2023	Dissertation Writing Fellowship (\$10,000)
2023	James M. Young Endowment (\$850)
2023	Humanities Institute Research Grant (\$2,000)
2022-2023	College of Liberal Arts Thematic Fellowship (\$30,000)
2021	Outstanding Master's Thesis Award for Social Sciences, Business, and Education (\$2,000)
2021	Graduate Dean's Prestigious Fellowship Supplement (\$1,000)
2020	James M. Young Endowment (\$500)
2020	Recruitment Scholarship, University of Texas at Austin (\$5,000)
2019	The John L. Warfield Center for African and African American Studies Affiliated Graduate Student Summer Research Travel Grant (\$1,000) Affiliated Graduate Student Conference Travel Grant (\$450)
2019	Professional Development Funding: Department of Geography and the Environment (\$400)
2018-2019	Mentoring Fellowship, University of Texas at Austin (\$40,000)
2018-2019	Recruitment Scholarship, University of Texas at Austin (\$5,000)

ACADEMIC EMPLOYMENT

Graduate Teaching Assistant (The University of Texas at Austin)

Fall 2020	"Sustainable Development" Dr. Jayme Walenta
Spring 2020	"This Human World: Intro to Human Geography" Dr. Robert Lemon,
Spring 2021	"This Human World: Intro to Human Geography" Dr. Jayme Walenta
Fall 2019, 2021	"Critical Geographies of Health" Dr. Caroline Faria

Graduate Research Assistant (The University of Texas at Austin)

2022	Research Assistant: Disability and Reproductive Justice- Dr. Alison Kafer
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2020 Research Assistant: “Geographies of Displacement: Mexican Migrant/Refugee Children and Youth in the U.S.-Mexico Borderlands” Dr. Caroline Faria, Dr. Amy Thompson, and Dr. Rebecca Torres

2019-2020 Research Assistant for Dr. Pavithra Vasudevan

Campus Talks and Guest Lectures (The University of Texas at Austin)

2024 “Crip Ecologies: Climate Change and Interspecies Kinship”
Sick Bodies, Damaged Lands

2023 “Art, Environmentalism, and Kinship on Dominican Bateyes”
Sick Bodies, Damaged Lands: Art, Activism, and Resistance

2021 Panelist: “*Unrest* and the Medicalization and Stigma of Chronic Illness” Film screening and panel discussion. Disability Student Coalition.

2020 “Anacostia: The Politics of Race and Nature in Washington, DC”
Race, Capitalism, and the Environment

2019 “Environmental Racism: A Look at Anacostia”
Critical Geographies of Health

2019 “Anacostia: The Politics of Race and Nature in Washington, DC”
Race, Capitalism, and the Environment

2019 “Feminist Geography” Cherrypop radio show, UT Austin

2019 Panelist: “Environmental Justice in Academic and Community Spaces.”
Environmental Justice Committee. The University of Texas at Austin

CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS

Papers

2025 “Unearthing the Zombie: Black, Crip, Animal” New Directions in Black Disability Studies, University of Virginia

2025 “Black Revolutionary Mothering as Ecological Survival” American Association of Geographers Annual Meeting

2024 Invited Moderator: “Tracing the Contours of Caribbean Geography: Green Development and Environmental Justice.” Caribbean Geographies Speciality Group

2024 “Imagined Kinship on Caribbean Plantations: Literary Depictions of Black Feminist Care” Movements and Migrations Conference, Texas Christian University
Comparative Race and Ethnic Studies Department

- 2021 “Racial Narratives in Leisure Landscapes: Colonial Heritage Tourism in Santo Domingo” American Association of Geographers Annual Meeting
- 2019 “Forgetting Anacostia: The Removal of Black and Brown Lives from Washington, DC’s Memory” American Association of Geographers Annual Meeting
- 2018 “Fabricating the Nation: Retelling History through Remembering and Forgetting in Washington, DC.” Southwest Division of the American Association of Geographers Annual Meeting. *Graduate Student Paper Competition Finalist
- 2018 “De ‘Moreno’ a ‘Negro.’ La Racialización de Afrolatinxs en los Estados Unidos.” Spanish Language Capstone Mini Conference, American University
- 2017 “International Solidarity and Coalition Building.” The Darkening Teach-In, American University

Posters

- 2016 “Diversity or Inclusion?: The Disconnect Between Rhetoric and Practice on University Campuses.” American University Advanced International Studies Research Poster Conference

LANGUAGES, MEMBERSHIP & SERVICE

Languages

English (Native)

Spanish Language (advanced/professional fluency)

BA in Spanish Language and Latin American Studies- Certificate in Spanish translation

Haitian Creole (intermediate)

Completed 150 hours of Haitian Creole language learning intensive program at the Haitian Summer Institute of Florida International University

Professional Membership

2021-Present Central Texas Mycological Society Member

2018-Present American Association of Geographers

Specialty Group Membership: Black Geographies, Caribbean Geographies, Feminist Geography

2019-Present The John L. Warfield Center for African and African American Studies, Affiliated Graduate Student

Academic Service

2022-2025	Invited Speaker, “Graduate Research Funding: Challenges and Opportunities,” panel in GRG 390L: Research in Geography graduate course, The University of Texas at Austin.
2024	Review Committee: Outstanding Master’s Thesis/Report Award at UT Austin
2023	American Council of Learned Societies: Intention Foundry “Early Career Society Scholar” Representative for the American Association of Geographers
2021-2023	Black Geographies Speciality Group Student Representative
2021-2022	Caribbean Geographies Specialty Group Student Representative
2019	Panelist: “Grad School 101.” Black Graduate Student Association and Multicultural Engagement Center. The University of Texas at Austin.
2018-Present	Feminist Geography Collective, University of Texas at Austin
2019	Committee Member: Black Geographies Specialty Group Reading List Committee
2017-2018	Peer Reviewer: Clocks & Clouds Undergraduate Research Journal American University

PRIOR WORK EXPERIENCE

2016-2017	Records Coordinator: Peace Corps Headquarters, Washington, DC
2015-2016	Resilience Programming Guide Intern: CARE. Washington, DC
2014-2015	Team Leader, AmeriCorps: Jumpstart, Washington, DC