

**Dr. David Childs, Ph.D.**  
Northern Kentucky University  
History and Black Studies Department Affiliate

Central State University, August 2009- May 2010

Part-time/ Visiting Faculty Positions

**Adjunct Instructor, African American History**

Temple Bible College and Seminary, August 2019-Present

**Adjunct Instructor, History**

Indiana Wesleyan University, August 2011-May 2012

**Adjunct Instructor, History**

Cincinnati Christian University, August 2010-May 2011

**Visiting Instructor, History**

Miami University, Fall 2008

**Visiting Instructor, Education**

Earlham College, Spring 2008

K-12 Positions

**Middle School Social Studies**

Christ Emmanuel Christian Academy, Fall 2009

**Summer Academy Teacher, Language Arts/Social Studies Secondary**

College of Mount Saint Joseph, July 2008-August 2010

**Substitute Teacher, Secondary Language Arts/Social Studies**

Northwest Local Schools, January 2006- January 2007

**Summer Academy Teacher, Secondary Language Arts**

Miami University, July 2008-August 2010

**Sunday School Teacher, Elementary/Middle Grades**

September 2001 to 2014

**COURSES TAUGHT**

Northern Kentucky University Courses

EDMT 694- Studies of the Learner

EDG 692-Applied Educational Research II

EDG 606- Leadership in a Diverse Society

EDMT 545- Methods and Pedagogy Middle School and Secondary Social Studies

EDU 312- Teaching Social Studies in Early Grades





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- Childs, D. (2018, December 23). What is a government shutdown? What will happen? [Blog post]. Retrieved from <https://www.democracyandme.org/what-is-a-government-shutdown-what-will-happen/>.
- Childs, D. (2018, December 17). Christmas traditions of the past and present: Teaching the history of Christmas [Blog post]. Retrieved from <https://www.democracyandme.org/christmas-traditions-of-the-past-and-present-teaching-the-history-of-christmas/>.
- Childs, D. (2018, December 10). A Democratic republic: What is that??? [Blog post]. Retrieved from <https://www.democracyandme.org/a-democratic-republic-what-is-that/>.
- Childs, D. (2018, November 30). There were Black cowboys? Teaching the American west from a more diverse perspective [Blog post]. Retrieved from <https://www.democracyandme.org/there-were-black-cowboys-teaching-the-american-west-from-a-more-diverse-perspective/>.

- Childs, D. (2018, November 22). Thanksgiving and the Wampanoag people: Native American culture in the past, present and future [Blog post]. Retrieved from <https://www.democracyandme.org/thanksgiving-and-the-wampanoag-people-native-american-culture-in-the-past-present-and-future/>.
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## **PRESENTATIONS**

### International (Peer-Reviewed)

- Childs, D. (2021, March). *Historic Black Ministers as Community Educators in the US and the World*. Paper presented at the Oxford Symposium on Religion, Oxfordshire, England, online.

### National (Peer-Reviewed)

- Childs, D. (2021, February). *Make it plain preacher! The historic black minister as public intellectual*. Paper presented at the National Association for African American Studies Conference, online.
- Childs, D. (2019, November). *Hamilton, hip hop, and the classroom*. Association for Middle Level Education, Nashville, TN.
- Childs, D. (2018, October). *How I got over: Examining historic Black religious music as popular culture*. Association for the Study of African American Life and History conference, Indianapolis, IN.



- Childs, D. (2017, November). *Exploring race and youth identity using hip-hop and media*. National Council for the Social Studies Conference, San Francisco, CA.
- Childs, D. (2017, September). *The social construction of blackness in history: Exploring black identity and popular culture in social studies classrooms through cultural Studies Framework*. Association for the Study of African American Life and History conference, Cincinnati, OH.
- Childs, D. (2017, September). *Re-mixing blackness in the classroom: Exploring African American youth identity using hip-hop and media in social studies classrooms*. Association for the Study of African American Life and History conference, Cincinnati, OH.
- Childs, D. (2016, December). *Hip-Hop, popular culture and race: Exploring stereotypes using hip-hop culture*. Paper presented at the National Council for the Social Studies Conference, Washington, D.C.
- Childs, D. (2015, July). *Using popular culture to explore African American identity and History in social studies classrooms*. Paper presented at the National Association for African American Studies Conference, Tampa, Florida.
- Childs, D., & Cook, C. (2014, April). *Teaching with media: Middle grades teacher's perceptions on the use of media in the classroom*. Paper presented at the American Educational Research Ass



Childs, D. (2012, September). *Exploring social studies themes through popular culture and hip-hop*. Paper presented at the Kentucky Association of Teacher Education Conference, Lexington,

Childs, D., Stephens, B., Wooten, G., Buroughs, L. (2012, April). *Lean wit' it rock wit' it: Exploring social studies themes through popular culture and music*, Paper presented at the Wilks Regional High School Leadership Conference, Oxford,

## **SERVICE**

### **Professional Service**

#### International Level

Article Reviewer, Oxford University Press, 2021- Present

#### National Level

Board of Directors Member, National African American Studies Association, 2021- Present

Advisory Board Member, National Underground Railroad Freedom Center, 2020- Present

Article Reviewer, Journal of Negro Education, 2018-Present

Co-Organizer, National Symposium on Teachers of Color, 2017

Session Moderator, Association for the Study of African American Life and History, September, 2017

Guest Editor, American Educational Studies Association Journal, 2017-Present

Article Reviewer, American Educational Studies Association, 2015-Present

Session Moderator, Ohio River National Freedom Corridor, October, 2015

Co-Program Chair, American Educational Research Association, 2012- 2013

Proposal Reviewer, National Council for the Social Studies, 2011-Present

Proposal Reviewer, American Educational Research Association, 2009-2010

#### State Level

NKU Rep, Coalition of Faculty and Senate Leadership, Kentucky, 2020-present

Article Reviewer, Ohio Social Studies Review, 2012-Present

Article Reviewer, Kentucky Social Studies Teaching and Learning, 2020-Present

#### Local Level

Parliamentarian, Faculty Senate, Northern Kentucky University, 2020 to present  
Chair, Faculty Senate Black Lives Matter Ad Hoc Committee Northern Kentucky University, 2020 to Present

Member, The Coalition of Faculty and Senate Leadership, CPE Kentucky  
Workshop Facilitator, Center for Teaching and Learning, Biased Book Talk,  
Spring 2020-Present

Inclusive Excellence Faculty Liaison, Northern Kentucky University, 2018

President, Black Faculty and Staff Association, 2017

Member, International Education, 2010 – 2012

Member, Honors Committee, 2010 – 2012

Member, Faculty Development, 2011 – 2012

Member, Graduate Education, 2011 – 2012

**Service to K-12 Schools**

Member, Cincinnati Association, Education Committee, 2020

Golden Key Honors Society  
History of Education Society