

## **Ewuare X. Osayande**

### **~Previous Engagements~**

The following is a partial list of previous engagements for Ewuare Osayande.

**Keynote Address: “The Quest for a Just Peace,”** Annual Commemoration of the Life of The Rev. Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr., Westminster Presbyterian Church, Trenton, NJ, January 17, 2010.

**Lecture Presentation: “Resisting Racism When the President is Black,”** William Paterson University, Wayne, NJ, December 1, 2009.

**Keynote Address: “John Brown and the Legacy of Radical Abolitionism: Commemorating the 150<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of the Raid on Harpers Ferry.”** Glenville State College, Glenville, WV, October 15, 2009.

**Poetry Reading: “Return of the Native Son: Celebrating 20 Years of Poetry,”** Camden County Historical and Cultural Museum, Camden, NJ, June 25, 2009.

**Lecture Presentation: “The Political is Personal: Radicalizing Identity,”** Indiana/Purdue University, Fort Wayne, IN, April 29, 2009.

**Poetry Workshop & Reading: “Word is Born,”** Furious Flower Poetry Center, James Madison University, Harrisonburg, VA, April 16, 2009.

**Lecture Presentation: “Jesus and the Money-Changers: Railing Against the Economic Crisis,”** Messiah College, Philadelphia, PA, April 13, 2009.

**Lecture Presentation: “How to Resist White Supremacy When the President is Black,”** Nubian Village Academy, Richmond, VA, March 21, 2009.

**Workshop Facilitator: “Redefining Black Manhood: Resisting Sexism,”** Sankofa Conference, Bloomsburg University, Bloomsburg, PA, February 21, 2009.

**Lecture Presentation: “Race to the White House: Blackness in the Era of Obama,”** Rowan University, Glassboro, NJ, February 9, 2009.

**Keynote Address: “First Black President: From Hope to History”** Annual Commemoration of the Life of the Rev. Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr., Westminster Presbyterian Church, Trenton, NJ, January 18, 2009.

**Poetry Reading: The Congressional Black Caucus’ 38<sup>th</sup> Annual Legislative Conference.** Washington, DC, September 25, 2008.

**Keynote Address: “Race to the White House: Patriotism, Blackness and Obama,”** Robin’s Bookstore, Philadelphia, PA. April 15, 2008.

**Workshop Facilitator: "Redefining Manhood in Hip Hop: Resisting Sexism,"** Exploring & Unpacking Gender Today: Reclaiming Our Gender Identities Conference, Rutgers University, Camden, NJ. March 28, 2008.

**Guest Lecturer: "Spittin` Acid at the Sistahs: Rap, Race & Gender,"** Community College of Philadelphia, Philadelphia, PA. March 19, 2008.

**Facilitator: POWER Resisting Racism Intro Workshop,** Bard College, Annandale-on-the-Hudson, NY. March 16, 2008.

**Panelist: "I Used to Love Her: Hip Hop, Black Women & the Politics of Representation,"** The (Re)PRESENT: Race, Gender & Popular Culture Conference, Lehigh University, Bethlehem, PA. March 12, 2008.

**Panelist: "Beats, Rhymes & Sex(ism): Hip Hop & Political Action,"** Rutgers University, Newark, NJ. March 3, 2008.

**Keynote Speaker: "The Movement for Racial Justice Forty Years After King,"** Lehigh University, Bethlehem, PA. January 23, 2008.

**Guest Speaker: "The Poetics of Activism: Afro-Asian Solidarity,** Brown University, Providence, RI. November 3, 2007.

**Guest Lecture: "Hip Hop & The State of Black Culture,"** The Afro-American Historical and Cultural Museum, Philadelphia, PA. June 14, 2007.

**Panelist: "Writing is Fighting: Malcolm X Commemoration,"** The Schomburg Museum, Harlem, NY. May 19, 2007.

**Keynote Speaker: "Black Identity in the 21<sup>st</sup> Century,"** Black Student Union Student Conference, Bard College, NY. April 21, 2007.

**Guest Lecture: "Bling Bling into Oblivion: An Evening of Poetry & Politics,"** Franklin and Marshall College, Lancaster, PA. April 10, 2007.

**Guest Lecture: "Black to the Future: Race, Class & Gender in the 21<sup>st</sup> Century,"** Virginia Tech, Blacksburg, VA. March 15, 2007.

**Panelist: Racism and the Environmental Movement,** South Jersey Alliance for Environmental Justice Conference, Camden, NJ. February 23, 2007.

**Keynote Speaker: "Civil Rights and Self-Determination in Higher Ed,"** Promoting a Diverse Social & Cultural Life," The Consortium of High Achievement and Success Student Conference, Barnard College, New York, NY. November 19, 2006.

**Keynote Speaker: “Africans Unite!: Pan-Africanism in the Era of Bling-Bling and Globalization,”** Black Studies Conference, Knox College, Galesburg, IL. May 5, 2006.

**Lecture & Reading: “Power & Ivory Tower: Social Justice and the Dialectics of Diversity,”** Emory University, Atlanta, GA. October 12, 2006.

**Workshop Facilitator: Intersections of Identity Conference,** Rutgers University, Newark, NJ. April 28, 2006.

**Keynote Address: “Redefining Manhood: Resisting Sexism,”** Echoes of Violence Conference, Georgia State University, Atlanta, GA. August 4, 2005.

**POWER Resisting Racism Workshop:** Wesleyan University, Connecticut. April 30, 2005.

**Keynote Address: “Counting the Costs: What it Takes to be an Anti-Racist,”** The Damascus Road 10<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Conference, Atlanta, GA, 12 March 2005.

**Panelist: “Hip Hop’s Cultural Role in the Black Community,”** Temple University, Philadelphia, PA, February 10, 2005.

**Poetry Reading: The Civil Rights Commission of the State of New Jersey,** Trenton, NJ, February 8, 2005.

**Keynote Address: “When A Poem is Feared More than a Bomb: An Evening of Poetry & Politics,”** The Rev. Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. Lecture, Sarah Lawrence College, New York, NY, January 20, 2005

**Keynote Address and POWER Workshop:** The Rev. Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. Day, Deerfield Academy, Deerfield, MA January 17, 2005.

**POWER Resisting Racism Workshop:** Student Environmental Action Coalition, Boston, MA. January 8-9, 2005.

**Guest Lecture: POWER Workshop and Poetry Reading:** Messiah College, Grantham, PA, October 28, 2004.

**Facilitator: POWER Dismantling Racism Workshop and Lecture: “Regional Activist Training Conference,”** Bard College, Hudson, NY, September 2004.

**Poetry Reading: “Raise Your Fist!”** University of Massachusetts at Amherst, May 6, 2004.

**Guest Lecture: “White Privilege and Black Self-Determination,”** Swarthmore College, Swarthmore, PA, April 14, 2004

**Panelist: “Redefining Black Manhood: The Onus is On Us,”** African American Relationships Institute, Atlanta, GA, April 17, 2004.

**Guest Lecture: “The Passion for the Black Revolutionary Christ of History,”** Messiah College, Philadelphia, PA, April 6, 2004.

**Guest Lecture: “The New Slavery: The Privatization of Schools and Prisons,”** Syracuse University, Syracuse, NY. April 2004

**Keynote Address: “Free the Land!: The Environmental Movement and Third World Liberation,”** Climate Control Conference, Harvard University, Cambridge, MA, February 21, 2004.

**Guest Lecture: “Bling Bling into Oblivion: The Globalization of Hip Hop and the Exploitation of Black People Worldwide,”** Rutgers University, Camden, NJ, February 15, 2004

**Keynote Lecture: “With Allies Like These You Don’t Need Enemies,”** American Friends Service Committee, Philadelphia, PA, November 12, 2003.

**Guest Lecture: “You Can’t Separate Peace From Freedom’: Malcolm X and the Anti-War Movement,”** Temple University, Philadelphia, PA, April 2, 2003.