“Katrina After Ten” Symposium
October 1 - 2, 2015

Thursday, October 1, 2015
Churchill House, Bass Performing Arts Space, 155 Angell Street

5-5:45pm—Poetry Performance, Sunni Patterson
6pm-7pm—Opening Keynote, George Lipsitz, Professor of Black Studies and Sociology at the University of California, Santa Barbara

Friday, October 2, 2015
Pembroke Hall, Room 305, 172 Meeting Street

9am—Breakfast
9:20am—Tricia Rose, Opening Comments

9:30am—11:00am
Environmental Racism and the Future of Urban Social Movements
- Joshua B. Guild, Associate Professor of History and African American Studies, Princeton University
- Malik Rahim, Co-founder of Common Ground Collective
- Cindi Katz, Professor of Geography, Environmental Psychology, Women’s Studies, and American Studies, and Chair of the Earth and Environmental Sciences Program, CUNY Graduate Center

11am—11:15am Coffee/Bio Break

11:15am—12:45pm
Reconstruction and the Right to the City
- Eric Tang, Assistant Professor of African and African Diaspora Studies Department and faculty member in the Center for Asian American Studies at the University of Texas at Austin
- Shana Griffin, black feminist activist and researcher
- William P. Quigley, Professor of Law and Director of the Law Clinic and the Gillis Long Poverty Law Center, Loyola University New Orleans
12:45—1:15pm Lunch

1:15—1:50pm—Lunch Conversation with Brenda Marie Osbey, former poet Laureate of Louisiana, Distinguished Visiting Professor of Africana Studies, Brown University. Moderated by Tricia Rose.

2—3:30pm
Moral Panics & Mass Incarceration in the Neoliberal City
- Jordan T. Camp, Postdoctoral Fellow, CSREA and Watson Institute, Brown University
- Malcolm Suber, New Orleans community activist, founding member of People’s Hurricane Relief Fund
- Lydia Pelot-Hobbs, Ph.D. Candidate in Geography, CUNY Graduate Center

3:30—3:45pm Coffee/Bio Break

3:45—5:30pm
Students at the Center and the Fight Against the Privatization of Public Education
- Kalamu ya Salaam, Writer and co-director of Students at the Center
- Jim Randels, Founder and co-director of Students at the Center, executive vice president of United Teachers of New Orleans
- Ashley Jones, Co-director of Students at the Center
- Tareian King, Member of Students at the Center

5:30pm—Closing Comments & Reception