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Johnella Butler, Provost, Spelman College

9:30–11:00 AM  RETROSPECTIVE ON SOCIAL JUSTICE MOVEMENTS
Ruby Sales, The SpiritHouse Project
Moderator: Joseph Jordan, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill

BREAK

11:30 AM–1:00 PM  GLOBAL SOUTH MOVEMENTS FOR JUSTICE
Sarah D. Shields, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill
Akinseeje Akinyele, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill
Moderator: Satya P. Mohanty, Cornell University

1:00–2:30 PM  LUNCH: Ruth’s Chris Steak House, Private Dining Room, Embassy Suites

2:30–4:00 PM  SOCIAL MOVEMENTS IN THE AMERICAS
Zachary Norris, Justice for Families
Akinseeje Akinyele, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill
Moderator: Ernesto Javier Martinez, University of Oregon

4:00–5:30 PM  U.S. DELEGATION OF WOMEN OF COLOR TO PALESTINE
Chandra Talpade Mohanty, Syracuse University
Barbara Ransby, University of Illinois at Chicago
Beverly Guy-Sheftall, Spelman College
Moderator: Ayoka Chenzira, Spelman College

DINNER (ON YOUR OWN)
Saturday, September 24

9:30–11:00 AM  Arts and Activism
Lynn Marshall-Linnemeyer, The Journey Projects
Ayoka Chenzira, Spelman College
moderator: Amie Macdonald, John Jay College/CUNY

BREAK

11:30 AM–1:00 PM  Faculty Research at HBCUs
Azaria Charles Mbughuni, Spelman College
Erica Williams, Spelman College
Rhonda Jones, North Carolina Central University
moderator: Moya Bailey, Emory University

1:00–2:30 PM  Lunch: Ruth’s Chris Steak House, Private Dining Room, Embassy Suites

2:30–4:30 PM  Workshop/Publishing
John Su, Marquette University
Larin McLaughlin, University of Illinois Press

4:30–6:00 PM  Challenges/Thriving at HBCUs
Johnnella Butler, Spelman College
Cynthia Spence, Spelman College
Shelby Lewis, Clark Atlanta University (retired)
moderator: Mona Phillips, Spelman College

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LYNN MARSHALL-LINNEMEIER, THE JOURNEY PROJECTS
AYOKA CHENZIRA, SPelman COLLEGE
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11:30 AM–1:00 PM FACULTY RESEARCH AT HBCUS
AZARIA CHARLES MBUGHUNI, SPelman COLLEGE
ERICA WILLIAMS, SPelman COLLEGE
RHONDA JONES, NORTH CAROLINA CENTRAL UNIVERSITY
moderator: MOYA BAILEY, EMBRY OUnIVERSITY

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