

**Resources for “Power, Privilege, and Racial Diversity in Oregon”**

Online: “How I learned to stop worrying, and love discussing race,” by Jay Smooth, TED talk at: <http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=MbdxeFcQtaU>

Online: *The Race Card Project: Six-Word Essays*, special series by National Public Radio (2013), available at <http://www.npr.org/series/173814508/the-race-card-project>

Book: *Sun Down Towns: A Hidden Dimension of US Racism* by James Loewen (2005), New York: The New Press.

Book: *Transborder Lives: Indigenous Oaxacans in California and Oregon* (2007) by Lynn Stephen

Book: *The Color of Wealth: The Story Behind the U.S. Racial Wealth Divide* (2006) by Meizhu Lui

Book: *Race in North America: Origin and Evolution of a Worldview* (2011) by Audrey Smedley

Online: “Looking Back In Order to Move Forward: An Often Untold History Affecting Oregon’s Past, Present and Future”(2009) Timeline of Oregon and U.S. Racial, Immigration and Education History at: [http://oregonname.org/pdf/OregonRacialTimeline\\_Rector.pdf](http://oregonname.org/pdf/OregonRacialTimeline_Rector.pdf)

Article: “Building a West Coast Ghetto: African American Housing in Portland 1910-1960” by Stuart McElderry (2001), *Pacific Northwest Quarterly*, pp. 137-148.

News: “Oregon’s History Pockmarked with Racial Injustices.” *The Oregonian*, 19 Mar. 2008: A4.

News: “The White City” by Aaron Renn (2009), in *New Geography*, at: <http://www.newgeography.com/content/001110-the-white-city>

News Radio: *The Oregon Story: Agricultural Workers*, excerpt from OPB at: [http://www.opb.org/programs/oregonstory/ag\\_workers/workers\\_sub.html](http://www.opb.org/programs/oregonstory/ag_workers/workers_sub.html)

Online Report: “Communities of Color in Multnomah County” report by The Coalition of Communities of Color (2011), available at <http://www.coalitioncommunitiescolor.org/>

Online Report: “The State of Black Oregon” report by The Urban League of Portland (2009) at <http://www.ulpdx.org/StateofBlackOregon.html>

Movie: *Local Color: The little-known history of racism and the struggle for civil rights in Oregon*, OPB video documentary at: <http://watch.opb.org/video/1593884540/>

Movie: *Northeast Passage: The Inner City and the American Dream* by Spencer Wolf (2002), access opening ten minutes at [https://youtu.be/tn\\_GRPAbnZ0](https://youtu.be/tn_GRPAbnZ0)

Three Poems: “A Dark Light in the West: Race and Reconciliation” by poet Barry Lopez (2010); “Drawing the Line” by Lawson Inada, Oregon Poet Laureate, (1997); Sherman Alexie, from *Northwest Passages*

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**Resource list for "Race and Place: Racism and Resilience in Oregon's Past and Future"**

Blacks in Oregon:

[https://oregonencyclopedia.org/articles/blacks\\_in\\_oregon/#.WW2SUdPytgc](https://oregonencyclopedia.org/articles/blacks_in_oregon/#.WW2SUdPytgc)

The Contribution of New Americans to Oregon:

<http://oregonfb.org/wp-content/uploads/2016/08/ImmigrationOregonReportFeaturesAngiBailey.pdf>

New Americans in Oregon:

<https://www.americanimmigrationcouncil.org/research/new-americans-oregon>

OPB, Broken Treaties, Oregon Tribes Oral History:

<http://www.opb.org/artsandlife/series/brokentreaties/oregon-tribes-oral-history-broken-treaties/>

Oregon Black History Timeline:

<https://m.youtube.com/watch?v=fo2RVOunsZ8>

Oregon Demographics:

[http://www.oregonlive.com/mapes/index.ssf/2015/04/a\\_graphic\\_look\\_at\\_oregons\\_more.html](http://www.oregonlive.com/mapes/index.ssf/2015/04/a_graphic_look_at_oregons_more.html)

Oregon's Asian Population:

<http://www.spokesman.com/stories/2017/jul/04/asians-are-oregons-fastest-growing-demographic/>

Oregon's Latino Population:

[http://www.oregoncf.org/Templates/media/files/reports/latinos\\_in\\_oregon\\_report\\_2016.pdf](http://www.oregoncf.org/Templates/media/files/reports/latinos_in_oregon_report_2016.pdf)

Oregon's Racist History:

<http://gizmodo.com/oregon-was-founded-as-a-racist-utopia-1539567040>

Timeline of Oregon and U.S. Racial, Immigration and Education History:

<https://www.portlandoregon.gov/bps/article/412697>

Housing/Land Use Related:

- ★ The color of Law: A forgotten history of how our Govt. Segregated America by Richard Rothstein
- ★ Fair Housing Council of OR hosts trainings, bus tours & has information online @ fhco.org
- ★ SE Uplift hosts trainings & shares other organizations' trainings on these topics. See [SEUplift.org](http://SEUplift.org)

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