

RESEARCH PRIORITIES

Research Priorities of the James R. Johnston Chair 2004-10

DAVID DIVINE

1. Black Community Archives

2. AIDS / HIV and the Black Communities

- N.S. Strategy on HIV/AIDS
- 16th International AIDS Conference 2006. Toronto.
- Public Health Agency of Canada - Working Group for the Status Report on "People from Countries where HIV / AIDS is Endemic (Black Canadian, African and Caribbean Communities)
- Black Men and AIDS / HIV International Conference 2008. Organized and Chaired by the James R. Johnston Chair in Black Canadian Studies. (Postponed due to accident involving Professor Divine)

3. Black Leadership

- Exploration of the nature of leadership in the Black communities over a 400-year presence in what is now known as Canada.
- 2007 Conference

4. Canadian Institutes of Health Research

- Institute of Gender & Health Workshop. Men, Masculinities & Health Research Network. January 6-8, 2006, Vancouver, B.C.

5. Black Men and Sexuality

- "The challenge for Black men is that what has been prescribed for us as our sexuality, and accepted by us to varying degrees, does violence to our potentially ever evolving critically conscious selves as Black men. It is a responsibility and a duty of Black men in my argument to counter such violence." (February 2005) - Professor David Divine

6. Education

- Chignecto Research: Outcome of Exploratory Interviews pertaining to the Student Support Worker Role in the Chignecto-Central Regional School Board. 2006 (Principal Investigator).

7. Immigration

- 2007 Conference

8. Social Economy

- Organizations which express the aspirations of people to contribute in their communities.