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The series aims to provide a platform for scholars, students and activists to deepen our collective understanding of the structure and experience of racial oppression and the long struggle for racial justice, as well as to draw connections among unique, but interlinked anti-racist struggles in the context of global histories of colonialism, imperialism and internationalism.

# Contextualizing BLM in the History of Slavery and Segregation

**Moderator: Jenny Sharpe**

*Professor of English, Comparative Literature, and Gender Studies, UCLA*

**Friday  
October 23, 2020  
4 p.m. PDT**

 **Registration**



## Black Lives Matter: Historical Roots

**Brenda Stevenson**

*Professor and Nickoll Family Endowed Chair in History, UCLA*

## Can Black Lives Matter in a Black Country? Notes from Jamaica

**Deborah Thomas**

*R. Jean Brownlee Professor of Anthropology and the Director of  
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