



**THE UNIVERSITY OF THE WEST INDIES**  
**SIR ARTHUR LEWIS INSTITUTE**  
**OF SOCIAL AND ECONOMIC STUDIES**

**DEPARTMENTAL REPORT – 2018-2019**

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**SALISES Cave Hill in Review: Academic Year 2018/2019**

***Preface***

At the beginning of the academic year we welcomed Mrs. Melanie Callender-Forde as Temporary Research Assistant from August 1, 2018 as we bade farewell to Mr. Jamal Smith, Temporary Research Assistant. We would like to place on record our appreciation to Mr. Smith, who performed all tasks with the utmost dedication and who was always ready and willing to assist in all aspects of work activities of the Institute.

The Institute also said farewell to Ms. Beverley Hinds on January 31, 2019. Ms. Hinds has been Head of the Audine Wilkinson Library since 2003. We would like to thank Ms. Hinds for her astute commitment to the Institute. In May 2019, Mr. Kenneth Chase was seconded from the Sidney Martin Library to function as Librarian of the Audine Wilkinson Library. He has been well received especially in the circumstances where he joined the staff in time for its Biennial SALISES Retreat on May 7, 2019 at the Hilton Barbados Resort.

Again for the second academic year running members of staff have had to cope with grief and stress linked to serious health challenges affecting their close relatives. In October, we were saddened to learn of the passing of Mrs. Brenda Best, mother of Mr. Winfield Best, our Office Assistant and the passing of Ms. Loreen Armstrong, sister of Ms. Magna Forde, our Office Attendant; in November, we also learnt of the passing of Ms. Alda Forde, mother of Ms. Magna Forde, our Office Attendant; in December, we also learnt of the passing of Prof. Wilma Bailey, mother of Dr. Corin Bailey; and in April 2019, we mourned the loss of Mrs. Joan Maxwell, mother of the Institute's Director, Dr. Don Marshall. As with acts of support and solidarity in the preceding academic year, staff at SALISES worked to sustain the research, graduate teaching and outreach functions in an atmosphere of empathetic cooperation and goal-oriented solidarity.

### ***Major Highlights - Summary***

- We were delighted to share in the joy of four of our graduate research students who successfully defended their doctoral theses: Valda Alleyne, Clarence Henry and Ezra Jn. Baptiste in October 2018, and Dalano DaSouza in May 2019.
- SALISES Cave Hill launched the UWI-GLOBAL Belt and Road Research Network in January 2019 dedicated to research and publication of the implications of China's Belt and Road Initiatives for the Caribbean and the Global South.
- SALISES Cave Hill successfully staged the 20<sup>th</sup> Annual SALISES Conference May 7 -10, 2019 at the Hilton Barbados Resort under the theme "Rethinking Caribbean Futures: New Paradigms, Possibilities and Policies". This was made possible largely through the sponsorship and support of the Caribbean Development Bank, the Caribbean Policy Development Centre, the Office of the Vice-Chancellor, the Office of the Principal Cave Hill Campus and related offices. Over 90 papers were presented over the course of the three days. These followed the Opening Address by President and Vice-Chancellor of Brock University entitled "Future Competitiveness: Augmented Human Capital and Talent". Director of Economics at the Caribbean Development Bank, Dr. Justin Ram delivered the Plenary Address focusing on Sustainable Development on Day 1 and a Symposium on Crime and Violence in Barbados took place on Day 3. The Conference highlight was the Sir Arthur Lewis Distinguished Lecture delivered by the SALISES special honoree, Prof. Hilbourne A. Watson on Wednesday May 8, 2019. His lecture was entitled "Transnational Capitalist Globalisation and Caribbean Futures: Unlimited Supplies of Labour and the Robot Rampage". Immediately after the lecture, local band *Krosfyah* was featured and honoured for its 30 years in musical entertainment.
- SALISES made yet another contribution to knowledge and policy praxis in the area of Caribbean youth development. This was captured in the completion of a chapter within a larger research assignment commissioned by the Inter-American Development Bank on Masculinity, NEET Youth and Violence in the Caribbean. The work was undertaken by Don Marshall, Jonathan Lashley and Halimah DeShong between February 2019 and July 2019.

## **WORK OF THE INSTITUTE - OUTREACH**

### ***SALISES Developmental Talk Series***

The Institute hosted a Lecture on November 5, 2018 entitled “Integrity in Public Life, the Public Trust and Anti-Corruption Systems” with speaker Ms. Adriel Harris, a US-based Attorney-at-Law who has been conducting workshops advising on financial disclosure, ethical conduct and anti-corruption over the last 15 years.

### ***SALISES Policy Forum***

The Institute hosted its forum entitled “Barbados and the First Phase of the IMF/BERT Plan: Of Recovery and Precarity” with speakers The Right Honourable Professor Owen Arthur, Dr. Alana Griffith, Dr. Akhentoolove Corbin and Professor Winston Moore on January 23, 2019.

### ***Research Days***

SALISES Cave Hill took part in exhibited research work done by the Institute during the UWI Research Days 2019 (November 15-17, 2018).

### ***The UWI-Global Belt and Road Research Network Symposium***

The Institute hosted the first Symposium examining China’s foreign policy posture under the title: “Navigating Globalisation – China’s Belt and Road Initiative: Implications for the Caribbean”. This occurred on January 29, 2019 and featured the following speakers:

- Professor Dragana Mitrovic, Head, Centre for Asian and Far Eastern Studies, University of Belgrade.
- The Right Honourable Professor Owen Arthur, Professor of Practice, University of the West Indies.
- Prof. Andy Knight – University of Alberta.
- Prof. Gordon Houlden – Director of China Institute, University of Alberta.
- Dr. Ruben Gonzalez Vicente – Lieden University.
- Mark Hill – Chief Design Officer-Think Design.
- Prof. Hongsheng Ren – China University of Political Science and Law
- Dr. John Charlery- University of the West Indies.
- Dr. Chelston Brathwaite – Former Ambassador of Barbados to the People’s Republic of China.

### ***SALISES Annual Conference***

The Sir Arthur Lewis Institute of Social and Economic Studies (SALISES) 20<sup>th</sup> Annual Conference was held over the period May 7-10, 2019 at the Hilton Barbados, Needham’s Point, Barbados. The theme of the conference was “Rethinking Caribbean Futures: New Paradigms, Possibilities and Policies”.

### ***Journal of Eastern Caribbean Studies (JECS)***

During the academic year two issues of the Journal were printed - Volume 42, No. 2 (August) and Volume 42, No. 3 (December). These round out the 2017 Volume 42 edition. The next issue of the JECS shall read Volume 44 2019 and not, Volume 43 2018.

This gap year became necessary in light of the website adjustments and work associated with shifting the JECS onto an open access online platform. This will afford wider, global readership, a dramatic spike in access and a greater enabling of citation and journal recognition.

### ***The Audine Wilkinson Library***

The Audine Wilkinson Library continues to support the role of the institute by providing the necessary materials, advice and infrastructure to assist staff and students to undertake research of a high caliber. The Library has a special mandate to have a specialized collection of research publications on China's Belt and Road Initiative in the region and beyond. This takes the form of a database for ease of consultation.

The Library continues to build on increasing its visibility as noted last year's report by continuing to mount relevant displays of interest to the academic community and its patrons.

## **RESEARCH IN PROGRESS**

### ***Academic Publications in Progress***

#### **Lazarus, L.**

- 'Studying Religious Mobilisations in the Anglophone Caribbean: A Feminist Critical Reading of Discourse'. Editors Halimah DeShong and Kamala Kempadoo. *Methodologies in Caribbean Research in Gender and Sexuality*. A forthcoming title with Ian Randle Press. (2020).

#### **Lashley, J.**

- Bailey, C., **Lashley, J.**, Barrow, C., *Rethinking Poverty: Assets, Social Exclusion, Resilience and Human Rights in Barbados*. Book length manuscript submitted to Kingston, Jamaica: UWI Press (2019).
- Lashley, J. Katrine Smith and Luwayne Thomas. "Variability of Business Constraints by Growth Stage: A Qualitative Analysis of Women-led Firms in the Caribbean, **In** Compete Caribbean (*forthcoming*). *Reducing the Gender Gap in Firm Productivity in the Caribbean*. Inter-American Development Bank (IDB): Washington, D.C. (2019).

#### **Marshall, D.**

- Marshall, Don, D. *Global Ordering Structures and Caribbean Offshore Financial Centres*, London and New York: Routledge Publishers (2020 forthcoming). **ISBN-10:** 1409446492

### ***Individual Research Projects in Progress***

#### **Lazarus, L.**

- "Enacting Citizenship, Debating Sex and Sexuality: Conservative Christians' Participation in Legal Processes in Jamaica and Belize" (*Journal of Commonwealth and Comparative Politics*).
- Prisoner Survey and Correctional Needs Assessment project for the Inter-American Development Bank. (Submitted report on "National Correctional Needs Assessment Final Report for Her Majesty's Prison (HMP) Dodds, Barbados" in May 2019).

**Lashley, J.**

- ‘*Economic Impact Assessment of CARIFESTA XIII*’ for the Ministry of Culture, Barbados with Dr. Keith Nurse. Project Role: Proposal preparation and report writing.
- January 2019 to April 2019: World Economic Forum Executive Opinion Survey for Barbados. Project coordinator.
- April 2018 to July 2019: Grant Project from Compete Caribbean Programme- *Business Constraints and Growth Stage of Women-Led Firms in the Caribbean* (with Katrine Smith and Luwayne Thomas) as part of wider project on Reducing the Gender Gap in Firm Productivity in the Caribbean.

**PUBLICATIONS: BOOKS, ARTICLES, MONO-GRAPHS & TECHNICAL REPORTS**

*Peer Review Publications (in print)*

*Book-length Manuscript*

**Bailey, C. J. Lashley and C. Barrow** (2019) *Rethinking Poverty: Assets, Social Exclusion, Resilience and Human Rights in Barbados*. UWI Press.

*Refereed Journal Articles*

**Lashley, J.**

- Minto-Coy, Indianna, **Jonathan Lashley** and David Storey (eds.) (2018). Enterprise and Entrepreneurship in the Caribbean Region [Special Issue]. *Entrepreneurship and Regional Development*, 30(9-10), 921-1090.
- Minto-Coy, Indianna, **Jonathan Lashley** and David Storey (2018). Enterprise and entrepreneurship in the Caribbean region: introduction to the special issue. *Entrepreneurship and Regional Development*, 30(9-10), 921-941, DOI: 10.1080/08985626.2018.1515823.
- Drinkwater, Stephen, **Jonathan Lashley** and Catherine Robinson (2018). Barriers to Enterprise Development in the Caribbean. *Entrepreneurship and Regional Development*, 30(9-10), 942-963, DOI: 10.1080/08985626.2018.1515821.

**Lazarus, L.**

- Lazarus, L. (2018) “Defending the Family, Safeguarding the Nation: An Examination of Evangelical Mobilization in Present-day Barbados”. *Culture and Religion* 19 (4): 394-415.

*Refereed Chapters in Books and Publications*

**Marshall, D.**

“Living Young and NEET: Does Gender Matter?” (with Jonathan Lashley and Halimah DeShong) in Laurence Telson (ed) *Masculinity, Violence and Caribbean NEET Youth*, Washington, IADB. 2019. 111 pages.

**Lashley, J.**

“Living Young and NEET: Does Gender Matter?” (Marshall, Don, **Jonathan Lashley** and Halimah DeShong) in Laurence Telson (ed) *Masculinity, Violence and Caribbean NEET Youth*, Washington, IADB. 2019. 111 pages.

**Technical Reports**

**Marshall, D.**

- (with Jonathan Lashley and Halimah DeShong 2019). *Diagnostic of NEET Youth Programmes in the Caribbean*. Inter-American Development Bank: Washington, D.C. (69 pages).

**Bailey, C.**

- IDB Evaluation of Barbadian Prison System. (Submitted June 2019).

**Lashley, J.**

- Marshall, Don, **Jonathan Lashley** and Halimah DeShong (2019). *Diagnostic of NEET Youth Programmes in the Caribbean*. Inter-American Development Bank: Washington, D.C. (69 pages).

**Lazarus, L.**

- Lazarus, Latoya. 2019. “National Correctional Needs Assessment Final Report for Her Majesty’s Prison (HMP) Dodds, Barbados.” May 2019. Prepared for the Inter-American Development Bank.

**Working Papers and Seminar Papers presented at Conferences and/or Commissioned by the Press**

**Bailey, C.**

- State of the Barbados Crime Problem. Presented at **Symposium for Crime and Violence** in Barbados, 20<sup>th</sup> Annual SALISES Conference, May 10, 2019.

**Lashley, J.,**

- Presentation on ‘*Variability of Business Constraints by Growth Stage: A Qualitative Analysis of Women-led Firms in the Caribbean*’ (with Luwayne Thomas and Katrine Smith) at the Institute for Gender and Development Studies: Nita Barrow Unit (IGDS: NBU) Biennial Conference on Global Feminisms and the Anti-Colonial Project, University of the West Indies, Cave Hill Campus, Barbados, November 21 to 23 2018.
- Presentation on ‘*Socio-Economic and Labour Force Dimensions of Population Dynamics in Barbados*’ at Barbados Population Commission Data Validation Workshop, Warren’s Office Complex, Barbados, April 15, 2019.
- Presentation on “*Addressing Economic Inclusion: New Prospects for Caribbean Female Entrepreneurs*” (with Spinder Dhaliwal) at SALISES 20<sup>th</sup> Annual Conference, Bridgetown, Barbados, May 7 – 10, 2019.

**Marshall, D.**

- “South-South Relations and China’s Belt and Road Initiatives”, presented at the 20<sup>th</sup> SALISES Annual Conference, Hilton Barbados Resort, May 9, 2019.

**TEACHING AND SUPERVISION**

*Teaching*

**Bailey, C.**

- Social Research Methods – SALISES, Mona
- Deviance and Social Conflict – SALISES, Mona.

**Lashley, J.**

- SALI6050 - Directed Readings on Thesis Topic, SALISES, Cave Hill (Semester II).

**Lazarus, L.**

- GEND6104 - Sexualities, Bodies and Power (Semester II).
- Guest lecture for Dr. Don Marshall’s course SALI6205, The Global Political Economy, on the topic of “The United Nations, the International System of States and Human Rights,” SALISES, Cave Hill Campus, The University of the West Indies. October 17-23, 2018.

**Marshall, D.**

- INTR6118 - Globalisation and Global Governance. Semester 1. (Masters in International Trade Policy programme).
- SALI6205 - Global Political Economy, Coordinator and Lecturer. Semester 1. (MSc Development Studies, Mona, SALISES).

*Supervision*

**Bailey, C.**

- Angela Dixon, MPhil, Cave Hill.
- Ezra Jn. Baptiste, PhD, Cave Hill. (completed).

**Lashley, J.**

- Economic Integration and Growth in Small Island Developing States. (*Co-supervisor with Professor Winston Moore*) PhD. defence completed October 2018; passed with minor revisions. (SALISES, Cave Hill).
- ‘The Education Revolution’ Returns to Education Policy and Expenditure in St. Vincent and the Grenadines 1970 to 2014 (Co-Supervisor with Dr. Troy Lorde) PhD. defence completed May 2019; passed with minor revisions. (SALISES, Cave Hill).
- The Family Business Succession Model: An Analysis of Factors Influencing Succession Planning in Family Businesses in Barbados. (SALISES, Cave Hill).

### **In Progress- MPhil. Registered**

- Big Beauty, Small Islands: The CARICOM Cosmetics Industry (Ms. Roberta Straker) (co-supervisor with Dr. Troy Lorde) (SALISES, St. Augustine).
- Corporate Social Responsibility and Tourism in Tobago and St. Kitts and Nevis (Ms. Calista Arthur) (supervisory committee member) (SALISES, Mona).
- SME Competitiveness (Clint Hurley) (Faculty of Social Sciences, Department of Management Studies, UWI, Cave Hill) (appointed to supervisory panel Semester 2 2015/2016).
- Entrepreneurship (Orville Lynch) (Faculty of Social Sciences, Department of Management Studies, UWI, Cave Hill) (appointed to supervisory panel Semester 2 2016/2017).

### **Lazarus, L.**

- August, 2015- Ongoing: A member of the Advisory Committee for Cultural Studies MPhil Student, Solomon Hunte.
- January 2016-Ongoing: Supervisor for the Institute of Gender and Development Studies: Nita Barrow Unit's MSc Student, Katrina Hewitt.

### **Marshall, D.**

- Saskia Scotland, PhD Governance and Public Policy, SALISES, Cave Hill (part time and not in residence at UWI Cave Hill). Upgraded to PhD programme in 2016/17 and nearing completion.
- George Pilgrim, MPhil/PhD Governance and Public Policy, SALISES, Cave Hill (part time).
- Jamal Smith, MPhil/PhD Governance and Public Policy, SALISES, Cave Hill (part time).
- Mark Hill, MPhil/PhD, Governance and Public Policy, SALISES Cave Hill (part time.) Gearing up for upgrade to PhD programme.
- Lesvie Archer, PhD Cultural Studies, Faculty of Humanities, Cave Hill (part time and not in residence at UWI Cave Hill; granted a year's leave of absence).

### **Nurse, K.**

- Phillip Jackson, "The Digital Economy and Small Developing States" MPhil, Sir Arthur Lewis Institute of Social and Economic Studies, The University of the West Indies, Cave Hill Campus, Barbados.

### **PROFESSIONAL, PUBLIC AND UNIVERSITY SERVICE**

### **Bailey, C.**

- Member of the Board of Gender Studies.



**Lashley, J.**

- SALISES Representative on Board for Graduate Studies and Research (Cave Hill).
- Resource Person and Module Presenter for the *Supervisor Development Course* conducted by the School for Graduate Studies and Research, University of the West Indies, Cave Hill Campus. Module presented on '*Supervisor/Student Relationships*'.
- Deputy Chair and Member of Board of Directors: The Barbados Trust Fund Limited (June 2019 to present).
- Committee Member, External Census Advisory Committee for the Barbados 2020 Population and Housing Census, Barbados Statistical Service (March 2019 to present).
- Commissioner, Barbados Population Commission, Government of Barbados (January 2019 to present).
- Academic Journal Referee, *Journal of Eastern Caribbean Studies*, Cave Hill.
- SALISES Graduate Student Coordinator.
- SALISES Special Studies Unit (SSSU) September 2006-present.

**Lazarus, L.**

- Managing Editor for the *Journal of Eastern Caribbean Studies*. (JECS).
- Academic Journal Referee, *Journal of Eastern Caribbean Studies*. (JECS)
- SALISES representative to UWI/HARP (UWI/HIV Aids Response Program).
- Reviewed and reported on the "Reintegration Strategy at Her Majesty's Prison (HMP) Dodds, Barbados: An Examination of a Select Group of Staff's Views on the Institution's Reintegration Strategy"

**Marshall, D.**

- Editor of the *Journal of Eastern Caribbean Studies* (JECS).
- Member, International Advisory Board, *Progress in Development Studies*, Sage.
- Member, International Advisory Board, *Globalizations*, Routledge.

**Nurse, K.**

- Expert Policy member, Economic Development Advisory Board, Office of the Prime Minister, Government of the Republic of Trinidad and Tobago, (March 2016 to present).
- Expert Panel member, Committee for Development Policy, subsidiary body of the United Nations Economic and Social Council. (January 2016 to December 2018)
- Chair, World Trade Organization, (September 2012 to present).
- Advisory Board Member, The Anthem Press, *Other Canon Series*, London, UK, (March 2008 to present).
- Advisory Member, Board of the MA in Technology Governance, University of Tallinn, Estonia. (January 2006 to present).
- Editorial Board, *Feminist Economics*
- Editorial Board, *Journal of Small Islands*
- Editorial Board, University of Guyana Publishing Press.
- Chairman, Caribbean Tales Worldwide Distribution Inc., Barbados, (September 2010 to present).

**PROFESSIONAL, ADMINISTRATIVE, TECHNICAL & SERVICE STAFF ACTIVITIES**

## *Conferences/Workshops Attended/Training Sessions Attended*

### **Callender-Forde, M.**

- Member, SALISES Subcommittee on Graduate Studies and Research.
- Editorial Assistant, *Journal of Eastern Caribbean Studies*.
- Coordinator, UWI-Global Belt and Road Research Network.
- PhD Candidate, SALISES (PhD Governance and Public Policy).
- Belt and Road Symposium (January 2019).
- Kentico Website Training.

### **Cox, R.**

- Kentico Web Training, CITS, UWI, Cave Hill Campus (Apr-June 2019).
- Moodle Online Training, SALISES, Cave Hill Campus (May 2019).
- Caribbean Child Research Conference, SALISES, Cave Hill Campus (Jan- July 2019).
- Protocol for Events, Human Resources, Cave Hill Campus (July 2019).
- SALISES Conference & Retreat, SALISES, Cave Hill Campus (May 2019).

### **Graham, A.**

- Member of the Cave Hill Campus' Administrative Assistants' Committee.
- Member of the Cave Hill Ushering Team.
- SALISES Representative – Marketing Liaison Committee.
- Protocol for Events, Human Resources, Cave Hill Campus (July 2019).
- Kentico Website Training.

### **Thompson, J.**

- Member of the Cave Hill Ushering Team.
- Attended training Windows 10 and One Drive (March 2019).
- Attended training seminar on Protocol for Events (July 2019).

### **Tull, S.**

- Kentico Workshop/Refresher (5 October, 2018).
- “Global Feminisms and the Anti-Colonial Project”, Institute for Gender and Development Studies Biennial Conference. Errol Barrow Centre for Creative Imagination (22 November 2018).
- The European Union General Data Protection Regulation, The UWI, (24 April 2019).
- “Critical Thinking and Problem Solving”, The UWI, (18-19 June 2019).
- Protocol for Events, The UWI (15 July 2019).
- TMA Facilities Management Training, (17 July 2019).
- UWI Safety Departmental Officer, SALISES.