

2021-2022

VISION

The vision of the SALISES is to:

- be an internationally renowned institution for development policy analysis;
- be a location for theoretical and philosophical reflection on development studies;
- provide a highly challenging and rewarding intellectual environment for graduate students and researchers interested in development policy analysis;
- provide policy advice to governments and other institutions through contract and graduate student research;
- engage in high quality research which is published in leading regional and non-regional journals and monographs;
- provide a physical and social environment conducive to good staff and student relations.

MISSION

The mission is to undertake high quality research and graduate teaching in the areas of social and economic development policy; governance and public policy with special reference to small developing countries.

OVERVIEW

The Institute continued to deliver on its Mission and Vision in the areas of research, teaching and academic supervision as well as outreach during the review period. This was against the backdrop of a freeze on our Departmental Account and the carryover of the restrictive Covid-19 pandemic. The passion, dedication and commitment of all staff shone through in the circumstances as the Institute remained steadfast in serving various publics and stakeholders as a knowledge and thought producing entity, as a valuable resource for serving and influencing policy, and as a home for graduate research enhancement.

SALISES Highlights and Achievements at a Glance 2021/2022

- In February 2022 we celebrated the promotion of Dr. Corin Bailey to the rank of Professor. His Professorship is in the area of Sociology, Crime & Social Inequality.
- We at SALISES also congratulated Ms. Alicia Graham for completing the MSc in E-Governance for Developing States.

Our public engagement and deliverables over the year included the successful launch and/or staging of the:

- 23rd Annual SALISES Conference under the theme – “Caribbean Lives, Disruptions, Resilience and the Way Forward”, May 3rd to May 4th 2022.
- 16th Annual Caribbean Child Research Conference, SALISES, Cave Hill Campus, “Almost Two Years! COVID-19, Children’s Rights and SDGS: Challenges and Opportunities”, November 24-25, 2022.
- SALISES Research Open Day Display and Press Conference February 9th – 11th 2022, Audine Wilkinson Library.

- See the link: https://theuwi-my.sharepoint.com/personal/20004968_cavehill_uwi_edu/layouts/15/stream.aspx?id=%2Fpersonal%2F20004968%5Fcavehill%5Fuwi%5Fedu%2FDocuments%2FSalises%20Research%20Day%202022%2Emp4&ga=1.

Our completed and published research included:

- Uploading of two (2) full Issues of our online *Journal of Eastern Caribbean Studies*.
- Appearance in print of peer reviewed scholarly work produced by the Fellows.
- Submission of a data set April to July 2022 to make for the World Economic Forum Executive Opinion Survey – the basis for the *Global Competitiveness Report* on Barbados.

TEACHING AND LEARNING

Prof Don Marshall

- INTR 6005 - Globalisation and Global Governance. Semester 1. (Masters in International Trade Policy programme).
- SALI6205 - Global Political Economy, Coordinator and Lecturer. Semester 1. (online MSc Development Studies SALISES).
- SALI6050 Directed Readings on the Thesis Topic (Module Leader).
- Academic Supervision: Main Supervisor of four MPhil students and two PhD students.

Prof Corin Bailey

- SALI6106 Deviance, Conflict and Social Management (Course Director & Lecturer).
- SALI6012 Research Methods (Co-lecturer in Qualitative Research Methods with Dr. Roy McCree).
- SALI6050 Directed Readings on the Thesis Topic (Module Leader).
- Academic Supervision: Main Supervisor of three MPhil students.

Dr Jonathan Lashley

- SALI6050 Directed Readings on the Thesis Topic (Course Coordinator).
- SALI6060 Research Paper (Delivered online for SALISES). [Course Facilitator, Lecturer and Examiner for both courses].
- Academic Supervision: Main Supervisor of two MPhil students, Main and Co-Supervisor four PhD students and Panel Advisor of one PhD student.

Dr Latoya Lazarus

- GEND 6605 Regulating Sexual Citizenship in ‘Postcolonial’ Nations.
- SALI 6001 Regulating Sexual Citizenship in ‘Postcolonial’ Countries.
- SALISES6050 Directed Readings on the Thesis Topic: Module Leader.
- Academic Supervision: Main Supervisor of one MPhil student, Co-Supervisor of two PhD students.

MEET THE TEAM

Professor Don D. Marshall, BA (Hons), MPhil (UWI), PhD (Newcastle).

Professor Corin A. Bailey, BA (First Class), PhD (UWI).

Dr Jonathan G. Lashley, BSc (Hons.), M.Sc. (Swansea), PhD.

Dr Latoya L. Lazarus, BA (Hons.), MA, PhD (York).

Mr Kenneth R. Chase, BA (UWI), MLIS (Long Island) Librarian II.
Ms Kenisha R. Chase, BSc (UWI).
Ms Alicia L. Graham, PSD, CCAB, BSc (Hons.) (UWI).
Mrs Sandra Tull, APS (Merit), BSc (UWI).
Ms Jacqueline Y. Thompson, BSc (UWI).
Ms Rashida S. Cox.
Mr Winfield St. C. Best.
Ms Magna D. Forde.

RESEARCH

Prof. Don Marshall

- He has been finalizing aspects to a self-authored manuscript entitled *Global Ordering Structures: Caribbean Financial Centres and Re-Regulatory Pressures*, Routledge. Along the way he teamed up with Aretha Campbell to co-author the final chapter in Campbell's manuscript with Palgrave Macmillan.
- Prof. Marshall has been preparing a bid for a substantial grant to lead research into the impact of China's lending in the Caribbean and Latin America. Contact has been made with the Chinese Academy of Social Sciences for support of the bid proposal.
- Prof. Marshall continued his research into Caribbean/IMF arrangements and the scope for industrial policy targeting.

Prof. Corin Bailey

- Prof. Bailey along with others (L. Lazarus, R. McCree, and N. Dietrich Jones) are in the final stages of preparing an anthology entitled *The Routledge Companion to Applied Qualitative Research in the Caribbean (The Work)*. Routledge, Taylor & Francis Group.
- He has been examining fear of crime among men and women in various spaces commencing first within the university.
- Prof Bailey has also been seeking to mobilise research and funding around restorative justice and prison rehabilitation.

Dr. Jonathan Lashley

- Dr. Lashley continues to research constraints to Caribbean enterprise development.
- Further to his work on barriers to success for women entrepreneurs he extended research into rural women entrepreneurs as well.

Dr Latoya Lazarus

- Dr. Lazarus has been examining the impact of the COVID-19 pandemic on selected Christian groups in Barbados.
- She has a forthcoming chapter on the above research in an anthology entitled *COVID 19 and the Caribbean: Interdisciplinary Perspectives*, edited by Sherma Roberts, Halimah DeShong, Wendy Grenade and Dwayne Devonish.
- Dr. Lazarus along with others (C. Bailey, R. McCree, and N. Dietrich Jones) are in the final stages of preparing an anthology entitled *The Routledge Companion to Applied Qualitative Research in the Caribbean (The Work)*. Routledge, Taylor & Francis Group.

PROJECTS

- 2021/2022 Youth Resilience in the Caribbean, *USAID* Status: This project is scheduled to end December 2022. Principal Investigator Corin Bailey.
- 2021/2022 The Future of the Democratic Labour Party in the Aftermath of the 2022 Barbados General Elections, *Democratic Labour Party*. Status: Completed July 2022. Principal Investigator Don Marshall.
- World Economic Forum Executive Opinion Survey – the basis for the upcoming ‘Global Competitiveness Report’ on Barbados, *World Economic Forum* Status: Completed July 2022. Principal Investigator Jonathan Lashley.
- United Nations Development Program (UNDP) ‘National LGBTI Survey for Barbados. Submitted and accepted July 2022 Principal Investigator Latoya Lazarus. Status: Ongoing.

RECOGNISING AND REWARDING EMPLOYEES

- Dr Corin Bailey was promoted to the rank of Professor in February 2022. His Professorship is in the area of Sociology, Crime & Social Inequality.
- Alicia Graham completed the MSc E-Governance in July 2022.
- Prof Corin Bailey celebrated 15 years of service to The UWI.
- Prof Don Marshall celebrated 25 years of service to The UWI.
- Mr Kenneth Chase celebrated 35 years of service to The UWI.
- Ms Kenisha Chase was attached to the Institute as Research Assistant for from August 2021 to July 2022.

ENHANCING EMPLOYEE SKILLS

Dr Latoya Lazarus

- March-May 2022 – successfully completed the Research Supervisor Development Course (certificate awarded). The UWI, Cave Hill Campus, Barbados.

SERVING AND ENGAGING

Prof Don Marshall

- Member of the University of the West Indies Disciplinary Committee.
- Faculty of Social Sciences’ Representative on the Sidney Martin Library Committee.
- Editor of the *Journal of Eastern Caribbean Studies* (JECS).
- Member, International Advisory Board, *Progress in Development Studies*, Sage.
- Member, International Advisory Board, *Globalizations*, Routledge.
- Resource Person on Development Studies and Governance matters for Starcom Network News, Barbados Today Online News and the Daily Nation Newspaper.
- Presented the paper ‘When Rules Start to Rule: Governmentality at this Historical Juncture’ 23rd Annual SALISES Conference under the theme – “Caribbean Lives, Disruptions, Resilience and the Way Forward”, May 4, 2022.

Prof Corin Bailey

- Officer-in-Charge, Institute of Criminology and Criminal Justice (ICJS), Vice-Chancellery. February 2021 – April 2021; February 2022 – August 2022.
- SOCI3036 Criminology II: Police & Society (Cave Hill). (Second examiner).

- SOCI3032 Criminology I. (Cave Hill). (Second examiner).
- SOCI3033 Drugs and Society. (Re-marker).
- Prof. Bailey was a member of the Round Table on ‘Caribbean Criminology’. the American Society of Criminology Annual Conference. Chicago. November 2021.
- He also presented a paper ‘Fear of Crime among Men in University’ at SALISES 23rd Annual Conference, May 3-4, 2022, under the theme “Caribbean Lives, Disruptions, Resilience and the Way Forward” May 3, 2022.

Dr Jonathan Lashley

- SALISES Representative on Campus Committee for Graduate Studies and Research (Cave Hill).
- Member of the UWI Cave Hill Campus Research Data Handling Committee.
- Resource Person and Module Presenter for the *Supervisor Development Course* conducted by the School for Graduate Studies and Research, UWI, Cave Hill Campus. Module presented on ‘*Supervisor/Student Relationships*’.
- Coordinator, SALISES Graduate Students
- Project Coordinator, World Economic Forum Executive Opinion Survey for Barbados. May 2022 to July 2022.
- Deputy Chairman 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) with responsibility for Socio-Economic Issues.
- Member: Technical and Vocational Education and Training (TVET) Council Technical Advisory Panel on TVET Monitoring System in Barbados (April 2017 to present).
- Dr. Bailey presented a paper ‘Constraints to Caribbean Enterprise Development: The More Things Change... and COVID-19’ at SALISES 23rd Annual Conference, online, May 4, 2022.
- He also presented ‘Poverty, Gender and Food Security among agricultural workers in Barbados’ with Corin Bailey and Latoya Lazarus at SALISES 22nd Annual Conference, online, September 29, 2021.

Dr Latoya Lazarus

- 2021 (October)-Present, Member of the One UWI Gender Equity and Justice Strategic and Research Committee.
- 2020 (August)-Present, Coordinator for the Social Development Policy Concentration in the SALISES MSc in Development Studies (across three campuses).
- 2019 (September)-Present, SALISES Representative to the Board of Studies for the Institute of Gender and Development Studies: Nita Barrow Unit.
- 2022 (January 31) “Religion, COVID-19 & the Barbadian Nation-State.” Presented at the SALISES Research for Development Online Outreach Forum.
- 2022 (February) Provided advice/recommendations to the Kellogg Foundation Exploration, via Dalberg Advisors, on their plans to engage in a development-based project relating to gender, sexual and reproductive health in Jamaica.
- 2022 (June 19) Panelist on the Ninth Virtual Panel/Conversation on Constitutional Reform, organized by the Faculty of Social Sciences in collaboration with the Faculty of Law, The University of the West Indies, Cave Hill Campus. Addressed the topic of “Faith in the Law: Gender, Sexuality and Religion.”

- Dr. Lazarus presented 'Poverty, Gender and Food Security among Agricultural Workers in Barbados' (with Corin Bailey and Jonathan Lashley) at the 22nd Annual SALISES Conference: Re-imagining Development for Small Island Developing States: Post-Pandemic Transformations. September 29, 2021.
- She also presented the paper 'Caring for the Vulnerable: COVID-19 and Responses by Christian Groups' at the 23rd Annual SALISES Virtual Conference: Caribbean Lives: Disruptions, Resilience and the Ways Forward, May 4, 2022.
- On July 14, Dr. Lazarus presented the paper 'Deployment of Spirituality and Religion by Political and Medical Elites in Barbados during the COVID-19 Pandemic' at the ESA-RN34 Biennial Conference 2022: Religion in an Unstable World: Challenges, Transformations and Future Prospects.

The Audine Wilkinson Library

Over period, the library staff assisted the SALISES team in its hosting of the 16th Annual Caribbean Child Research Virtual Conference which was held November 24-25, 2021, mounted and assisted in the SALISES Open Research Day and Press Briefing event. Databases featuring the core SALISES research themes remain under construction.

PROFESSIONAL, ADMINISTRATIVE, TECHNICAL AND SERVICE STAFF ACTIVITIES

Chase, Kenneth

Assisted in the event planning and execution of:

- The Audine Wilkinson Library Display (SALISES Research Open Day February 9-11, 2022).
- "Research Information Management: Library Roles and Opportunities," March 24, 2022 (sponsored by Ex Libris, Part of Clarivate).
- "Caribbean Lives, Disruptions, Resilience and the Way Forward" May 3-4, 2022 Virtual 23rd Annual SALISES Conference.
- "Creating Closer Connections: Elevating Librarian Expertise and Support at the Point of Need," May 26, 2022.
- "The Library's Role in the Open Research Ecosystem" July 14, 2022.
- Open Systems in the Age of Library Services Platforms: A Conversation with Marshall Breeding July 26, 2022.
- Kenneth Chase also serves as a UWI Safety Departmental Officer (Audine Wilkinson Library).

Chase, Kenisha

assisted with the event planning of the

- The Sir Arthur Lewis Institute of Social and Economic Studies (SALISES) 23rd Annual Conference, May 3-4, 2022.
- 16th Annual Caribbean Child Research Conference, SALISES, Cave Hill Campus, November 24-25, 2022, "*Almost Two Years! COVID-19, Children's Rights and SDGs: Challenges and Opportunities*".
- Ms Chase became a MPhil Candidate, SALISES (MPhil Governance and Public Policy) where she successfully completed the following courses SALI 6051 Research Design and Management and GRSM 6005 Post Graduate Research Student Workshop Series.

Cox, Rashida

assisted with the event planning of the

- 16th Annual Caribbean Child Research Conference, SALISES, Cave Hill Campus, November 24-25, 2022, “*Almost Two Years! COVID-19, Children’s Rights and SDGS: Challenges and Opportunities*”.

Graham, Alicia

- Member of the Barbados Association of Administrative Professionals.
- Member of the Cave Hill Ushering Team.
- UWI Departmental Safety Officer, SALISES.

Thompson, Jacqueline

- September 2021 – JECS Online Dashboard Training.
- September 2021 – Member PULSE Points Panel.
- November 2021 – Completed Issue JECS Vol. 45 No. 1, June 2020.
- November 2021 – Member PULSE Points Panel.
- February 15, 2022 - Webinar “NIS Old Age Pension” Mrs. Norma King-Brathwaite organized by the NIS, Barbados and UWI Bursary, Cave Hill Campus.
- March 10, 2022 – Attended Teams Training session - What’s New in Microsoft 365.
- April 21, 2022 – Attended Vice-Chancellery’s Zoom Wellness Session “Reflect, Renew and Reset”.
- Prepared and completed two Issues of the Journal of Eastern Caribbean Studies
- Member of the UWI Cave Hill Ushering Team.

Tull, Sandra

- November 18, 2021. Webinar “Mental Health”. Dr. Catherine Trotman & Prof. Dwayne Devonish.
- December 2, 2021. Webinar “Dealing with Change in the Workplace”. Prof. Dwayne Devonish.
- February 15, 2022. Webinar “NIS Old Age Pension” Mrs. Norma King-Brathwaite organized by the NIS, Barbados and UWI Bursary, Cave Hill Campus.
- March 10, 2022. Attended Teams Training session - What’s New in Microsoft 365.
- April 21, 2022. Vice-Chancellery’s Zoom Wellness Session “Reflect, Renew and Reset”.
- UWI Departmental Safety Officer, SALISES.

ACRONYMS

CASA	Caribbean Sociological Association.
CCRC	Caribbean Child Research Conference.
COVID-19	Coronavirus disease.
JECS	Journal of Eastern Caribbean Studies.
LGBTI	Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual, Transgender and Intersex.
MSMEs	Micro, Small & Medium Enterprises.
SALISES	Sir Arthur Lewis Institute of Social and Economic Studies.
TVET	Technical and Vocational Education and Training.
UNDP	United Nations Development Program.
UWI	The University of the West Indies.