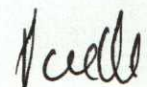


THE CONSTITUTION OF THE REPUBLIC OF TRINIDAD AND TOBAGO

NOTIFICATION

**IT IS HEREBY NOTIFIED** that, **I, PAULA-MAE WEEKES**, President, after consultation with the Prime Minister and the Leader of the Opposition in accordance with section 122 (3) of the Constitution of the Republic of Trinidad and Tobago, nominate **SUSAN ELIZABETH CRAIG-JAMES**, a person who is qualified and experienced in the discipline of sociology to be appointed as a member of the Police Service Commission.

Dated this 27<sup>th</sup> day of April, 2018



President.

## CURRICULUM VITAE

### SUSAN ELIZABETH CRAIG-JAMES

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Citizen of Trinidad and Tobago  
Marital Status: Widow

#### EDUCATION

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|----------------------------------|---|
| 2002<br>29 July–8 Aug.           | The Haggai Institute, Mid-Pacific Training Center, Maui, Hawaii.<br>Faculty Development Seminar   |
| 2000<br>15 Sept.–6 Oct.          | The Haggai Institute, Mid-Pacific Training Center, Maui, Hawaii.<br>Advanced Leadership Seminar<br>Training in Communication, Audiovisuals, Leadership and other skills for evangelism                            |
| 1986–1995<br>(part-time)<br>1995 | The London School of Economics and Political Science,<br>University of London, England, UK (Department of Sociology).<br>Doctor of Philosophy: Thesis entitled ‘The Evolution of Society<br>in Tobago, 1838–1900’ |
| 1966–1970<br>1970                | University of Edinburgh, Scotland, UK.<br>MA with First Class Honours in Sociology and Politics   |
| 1959–1965<br>1965                | The Bishop Anstey High School, Port of Spain, Trinidad and Tobago.<br>Cambridge GCE ‘A’ Level: 4 subjects<br>Open Island Scholarship in Modern Languages  |
| 1963                             | Cambridge School Certificate: 8 subjects<br>Jerningham Silver Medal for placing first in Trinidad and Tobago  |
| 1958                             | St. Margaret’s College, Belmont, Port of Spain, Trinidad and Tobago.  |
| 1956–1957                        | St. Crispin’s EC School, Woodbrook, Port of Spain, Trinidad and Tobago.   |
| 1951–1955                        | Scarborough Girls’ Anglican School, Tobago, Trinidad and Tobago.  |

SUSAN CRAIG-JAMES

### **AWARDS, FELLOWSHIPS, AND OTHER HONOURS**

*Award for Christian Excellence in academic work*, granted by the Trinidad and Tobago Council of Evangelical Churches to mark the fiftieth anniversary of Independence in Trinidad and Tobago: March 2012.

*Inducted into the Tobago Literary Hall of Fame*: December 2011.

*National Award: The Chaconia Medal (Silver) for long and meritorious service in the field of education*: August 2011.

*Tobago House of Assembly Chief Secretary's Award* for contribution to the history and sociology of Tobago: December 2008.

*International Third World Leaders Association, Nassau, Bahamas: Leader's Leader Award*: November 2008.

*Award from The Sport and Culture Fund*, Office of the Prime Minister, Trinidad and Tobago, to assist with the completion and publication of *The Changing Society of Tobago, 1838–1938: A Fractured Whole* (2 vols.): 2006.

*Research Fellowship* from the Tobago House of Assembly to assist with the completion of *Uneasy Yoke: Selected Documents relating to the Union of Trinidad and Tobago*: 2003.

*Professional Development Award from the International Development Research Centre (IDRC), Canada*, to enable completion of first draft of *The Changing Society of Tobago, 1838–1938: A Fractured Whole* (2 vols.): 2002.

*Scholarship from the Harold Wingate Foundation, London, England*, awarded to assist with research for: *The Changing Society of Tobago, 1838–1938: A Fractured Whole* and *Uneasy Yoke: Selected Documents relating to the Union of Trinidad and Tobago*: Sept. 1995–Aug. 1997.

*Honoured on Commemorative Calendar, 'Women of Worth'*, to celebrate the 75th Anniversary of The Bishop Anstey High School, Port of Spain, Trinidad and Tobago: 1996.

*British Council Fellowship and University of the West Indies (UWI) nominee* to visit Goldsmith's College, University of London, to advise on Caribbean Studies programme: Oct.–Nov. 1989.

*Nuffield Foundation (London) Fellowship* to consult British Archives: June–Nov. 1982.

*McLeod and Collymore Foundation (Trinidad and Tobago) Fellowship*: Oct. 1981–Oct. 1983.

*Inter-University Council Scholarship for Staff Development, and Visiting Fellowship*, Institute of Development Studies, University of Sussex, England: Aug.–Sept. 1978.

**AWARDS, FELLOWSHIPS, AND OTHER HONOURS concluded**

*Visiting Fellow*, Institute of Development Studies, University of Sussex, England: March–April 1977.

*Ford Foundation Supernumerary Fellow*, Institute of Social and Economic Research, UWI, St. Augustine: 1974–1975.

*Simon Gray Prize for Politics* at the University of Edinburgh: 1968.

*Open Island Scholarship in Modern Languages* for highest grades in Trinidad and Tobago in modern languages in GCE 'A' Level examinations: 1965.

*Jerningham Silver Medal*, award for coming first in Trinidad and Tobago in Cambridge School Certificate examinations, and *House Scholarship* to pursue Sixth Form studies: 1963.

*Port Services Scholarship* to attend secondary school: 1958.

**WORK EXPERIENCE**

- June 1997 to present      **Founder and Managing Director, Cornerstone Press (1998), which became Cornerstone Press Limited in September 1999.**  
Publishing and publishing services.
- 2010 (part-time)      **Research and writing** of *Uneasy Yoke: Selected Documents relating to the*  
2013 (full-time),      *Union of Trinidad and Tobago; compiled and edited, with Notes and Essays,*  
2014, 2015 and      *by me (2 vols.); Vol. 1, 1869–1899; Vol. 2, 1900–2018 (forthcoming).*  
2016 (part-time),  
2017 to March  
2018 (full-time)
- Nov. 2011 to Sept.      **Research, writing, and copy-editing** ‘*What Mean These Stones?*’:  
2012; June 2014 to      *Christianity and Education in Tobago, 1808–1872* (Scarborough, Tobago: St.  
Dec. 2016 (part-      Andrew’s Heritage Trust, 2016).  
time)
- Jan. 2014 to Apr.      **Copy-editor** of *The First Thirty Years: A Retrospection* by Reginald Dumas  
2015      (Scarborough, Tobago: The author, 2015).
- March/April 2012      **Copy-editor** for Draft 1 of two chapters of *From Colonial to Republic* (the  
history of Republic Bank Limited (Port of Spain: Republic Bank, 2013)).
- May 2010 to Nov.      **Copy-editor** of *Economic Policy and Management Choices: A*  
2011      *Contemporary Economic History of Trinidad and Tobago, 1950–2005* by  
Lloyd Best (in collaboration with Eric St. Cyr) (Tunapuna, Trinidad and  
Tobago: The Lloyd Best Institute of the West Indies, 2012).
- June 2009 to Jan.      **Copy-editor** (of the first draft) of *Ablaze! The Pentecostal Assemblies of the*  
2010      *West Indies* by Thomas Maginley (Maracas, Trinidad and Tobago: Pentecostal  
Assemblies of the West Indies, 2010).
- Aug. 2008 to Jan.      **Consultant** to the Tobago House of Assembly to recommend names for  
2009      twelve streets at Cove Eco-Industrial Business Park, Tobago.
- Sept.–Oct. 2008      Ministry of Labour and Small and Micro Enterprise Development  
**Copy-editor** of *The National Workplace Policy on HIV and AIDS.*

**WORK EXPERIENCE continued**

- April 2006 to August 2008      **Copy-editing, publishing and launching** of Susan Craig-James, *The Changing Society of Tobago, 1838–1938: A Fractured Whole* (2 vols.) (Arima, Trinidad and Tobago: Cornerstone Press, 2008).
- August to September 2006      **Copy-editor** of *Lost and Found: A Hindu Woman's Search for God* by Prabitha S. (Bangalore: Berean Bay Media House, 2007).
- Oct.–Dec. 2004      **Copy-editor** of *Not Allowed to Cry: The Birla Battle with Cancer* by Ingrid Albuquerque (Bangalore: Berean Bay Media House, 2005).
- Oct. 2002 to Oct. 2005      **Consultant to the United Nations Development Programme**  
Lead Consultant in Drafting Team to write the Trinidad and Tobago National Human Development Report 2005; author of three chapters of the Report.
- Nov. 2001 to March 2002      **National Institute of Higher Education, Research, Science and Technology (NIHERST), Port of Spain, Trinidad and Tobago**  
**Copy-editor** of *Papers of the Information Technology in Education Conference, 2000* (Port of Spain: NIHERST, 2002).
- Sept. 2001 to Feb. 2002      **UNESCO National Commission, Trinidad and Tobago**  
**Consultant** to write *Caribbean Heritage Travelling Exhibition: Guide to the Exhibition* for a proposed Travelling Exhibition on the history and culture of the Caribbean.
- Aug. 2001 to Feb. 2002      **Copy-editor** of *Basic Automechanics Manual for Vehicle Owners* by Roy Marslier (St. Augustine: Academy of Automechanics, 2006).
- Aug. to Nov. 2001      Ministry of Labour, Manpower Development and Industrial Relations  
**Consultant on, and editing of, Labour Market Bulletins; training of staff.**
- May 2000 to Nov. 2001      **Training Workshops and Seminars in Report Writing, Oral Presentations and related skills**  
Conducted for British West Indian Airways International Ltd., The Tobago House of Assembly, and for The Faculty of Engineering and The Centre for Gender and Development Studies, UWI, St. Augustine.



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**WORK EXPERIENCE continued**

Feb. to April 2000    **Consultant to the Tobago House of Assembly**  
**Copy-editor, technical editor and designer** of *The Tobago Business Register*.

May to Dec. 1998    **Consultant to the Tobago House of Assembly**  
**Contributor to and Editor of** *The Tobago Strategic Plan*.  
**Editor** of *The Medium-Term Policy Framework of Tobago, 1998–2000*.  
**Editor** of *The Process of Development Planning in Tobago*.

March to June 1998    **Consultant to the Government of Jamaica**  
**Technical Editor** of *1997 Survey of Living Conditions Report*.

March 1997 to May 1999    **Consultant to the Tobago House of Assembly**  
**Member of a Plan Team appointed to prepare a Development Plan for Tobago (1998–2013)**  
**Technical editor, copy-editor, and contributing author** of *Tobago Development Plan (1998–2013)*.

Duties as team member included:

- historical and contemporary analyses of Tobago's community life, and social and occupational structure (Items B-11, -12 and -13, p. 12 below);
- co-ordination of section of the Plan relating to culture, heritage and society (joint responsibility);
- technical and copy-editing of the Report.

Nov. 1971 to Aug. 1993    **Department of Sociology, The University of the West Indies, St. Augustine, Trinidad and Tobago**

1993                      Resigned for health reasons  
1981                      Promotion to Senior Lecturer  
1977–1978              Head, Department of Sociology  
1977                      Contract with Indefinite Tenure  
1974                      Promotion to Lecturer  
1971                      Assistant Lecturer

**WORK EXPERIENCE continued**

Nov. 1971 to Aug.  
1993 at UWI, St.  
Augustine cont.

Duties as University Lecturer:

- design, teaching and examining of undergraduate and postgraduate courses listed below;
- supervision of numerous undergraduate theses in the University's Caribbean Studies programme;
- supervision of coursework projects, especially for Methods of Social Investigation;
- supervision of postgraduate students;
- participation in departmental meetings and committees, and in other committees of the Faculty of Social Sciences and the University;
- research, writing, and publishing.

**Responsibility for Courses at UWI, St Augustine**

**Undergraduate courses**

Classical and Modern Sociological Theory

Methods of Social Investigation

Caribbean Social Structure

Anthropology of the Peoples of the Caribbean

Comparative Social Institutions (partial responsibility)

**Postgraduate course**

Social Aspects of Political and Economic Change

(with particular reference to the Caribbean and Latin America)

**Postgraduate students supervised**

1. Daphne Phillips. M. Sc. Thesis on 'Ethnicity and Social Class in Trinidad, 1970-1985' (1986).
2. Ann Lee. M. Sc. candidate upgraded to Ph. D registration; Ph.D. awarded for Thesis on 'The Steelband and Nationalism in Trinidad, 1940-1970' (1995). (My supervision ended in 1994.)
3. Roy McCree. M. Sc. Thesis on 'Professionalism and Club Football in Trinidad, 1975-1986' (1995).
4. Cheryl Lewis. M. Sc. Thesis on 'Child Labour in the Informal Economy of Trinidad and Tobago' (1995).

[I continued to supervise the theses by Roy McCree and Cheryl Lewis after I left The University of the West Indies in 1993.]



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**WORK EXPERIENCE continued**

1990 to 1991      **Copy-editor** of Bertril A. Baird, *The One and Only Christmas* (Shippensburg, Pennsylvania: Destiny Image, 1991).

1977 to 1982      **Compiler, editor, and publisher** of *Contemporary Caribbean: A Sociological Reader* (2 vols.) (St. Augustine, Trinidad and Tobago: The editor, 1981/1982).

Nov. 1970 to Sept. 1971      **Research Officer, Ministry of Planning and Development, Port of Spain, Trinidad and Tobago.**

Duties included:

- working on a team with representatives from various government ministries to design appropriate selection criteria and to recommend a suitable district for a Rural Improvement Project;
- co-ordinating Rural Improvement Project, sponsored by the United Nations in co-operation with the Government of Trinidad and Tobago, for the integrated development of five villages in south Trinidad;
- designing a census of five villages and a special survey of farmers and fishermen;
- hiring and training of field workers;
- supervision of data collection;
- meeting with village groups.

July 1968      Farm work in the south of France: picking apricots.

July to August 1967      Worked on Kibbutz Shamir in Upper Galilee, Israel, shortly after the Six Day War of June 1967: picking apples.

June 1967      Worked for two weeks in a factory making Kia-ora orange squash, Edinburgh, Scotland.

January to July 1966      **Scarborough Secondary School, Tobago**  
Teacher of English and French.

**AREAS OF SPECIALIZATION**

- \*\* Caribbean Sociology, Anthropology and History, especially of the 19th and 20th centuries**  
Lectured, researched, and published on several areas of Caribbean life, including women and the family, labour, peasant and other social movements, and Caribbean social thought and culture.
- \* *Edited and published Contemporary Caribbean: A Sociological Reader, a two-volume collection of essays, which is a standard international text for undergraduate and postgraduate courses on the Caribbean.*
- \* *Published a book, Smiles and Blood (1988), and a long essay, 'The Germs of An Idea' (1977), on the rise and development of labour movements in the Caribbean.*
  
- \*\* Sociology of Development**  
Studied the international literature in broad scope and taught the subject at postgraduate level, with emphasis on the Caribbean and Latin America.
- \* Experience as member of Tobago Plan Team (1997–1999).
- \* Experience as Lead Consultant for the National Human Development Report 2005 (2002–2005).
  
- \*\* Social History; Oral History/Life History Research and Methodology**  
I have written and published *The Changing Society of Tobago, 1838 to 1938: A Fractured Whole*, which is the only known historical sociology of the island of Tobago.
- \* Over forty years' experience of oral-history fieldwork; also published on the subject.
  
- \*\* Technical and Copy-Editing**  
Competent and experienced at editing books, professional documents, and reports.
  
- \*\* Rural Sociology**
- \* *Community Development and Local Government.* Practical experience as Co-ordinator of a Rural Improvement Project, sponsored by the United Nations, in five villages in south Trinidad; published a monograph on the subject area; contributed to Tobago Development Plan on this topic.
- \* *Peasants and Sharecroppers.* Doctoral thesis and *The Changing Society of Tobago, 1838 to 1938* consider in depth the international literature and related Caribbean debates and experiences; they also develop new insights on these groups.

## PAPERS AND PUBLICATIONS

### **A. Monographs and Books**

1. Compiler and Editor of *Uneasy Yoke: Selected Documents relating to the Union of Trinidad and Tobago, with Notes and Essays by the Compiler* (2 vols.) (forthcoming).
2. *'What Mean These Stones?': Christianity and Education in Tobago, 1808–1872* (pp. xxx + 496) (Scarborough, Tobago: St. Andrew's Heritage Trust, 2016).  
This work weaves the story of two Scottish Presbyterian churches built in the 1830s into that of all the Christian missions and denominations in Tobago. It describes the growth of schooling in Tobago from the period of enslavement, in the process offering fascinating insights on the society, its political life, and its relation to movements elsewhere.
3. *The Changing Society of Tobago, 1838–1938: A Fractured Whole* (2 vols.) (Arima, Trinidad and Tobago: Cornerstone Press, 2008).  
This book examines Tobago's economy, demography, polity, society, and culture through time, starting from British colonization in 1763. It ends with a chapter on modern Tobago from 1950 to 2000.
4. *Caribbean Heritage Travelling Exhibition: Guide to the Exhibition*.  
This work is a comprehensive overview of Caribbean history, society, and aspects of its culture from pre-Columbian times to the present, including sections on Caribbean people in the region and its diasporas who distinguished themselves in human history, and sections on distinguished Caribbean people who reconnected with Africa, India and China. It was prepared to inform UNESCO's proposed Travelling Exhibition on the Caribbean. Unpublished, 2002 (pp. xv + 186).
5. *Agriculture and Society in Tobago: 1763–1963*. Prepared for the Tobago House of Assembly, Scarborough, Tobago, 1997 (pp. xi + 83).
6. 'The Evolution of Society in Tobago: 1838–1900', Ph.D. dissertation, University of London, 1995 (pp. 586).
7. *Smiles and Blood: The Ruling Class Response to the Workers' Rebellion of 1937 in Trinidad and Tobago*. London: New Beacon Books, 1988.
8. Editor and publisher of *Contemporary Caribbean: A Sociological Reader* (2 vols.). St. Augustine, Trinidad and Tobago: The editor, 1981, 1982.  
This work comprises thirty-one essays by various scholars on all the linguistic areas of the Caribbean. My contributions include Preface, Introduction to Part V on Developments within the Working Class, and two essays listed at B-17 and B-18 on page 12 of this document.
9. *Community Development in Trinidad and Tobago, 1943–1973: From Welfare to Patronage*. Working Paper No. 4, UWI, Mona: ISER, 1974.

**PAPERS AND PUBLICATIONS continued**

**A. Monographs and Books cont.**

10. 'Black Power Groups in London, 1967–1969', MA Thesis, University of Edinburgh, 1970.

**B. Articles**

1. 'The Oilfields Workers Trade Union in Our Time'. Address at the Passing of the Torch Ceremony of the Oilfields Workers Trade Union, Trinidad and Tobago, 25 June 2008; published in *Trinidad and Tobago Review*, 6 October 2008, 16, 26.
2. 'Hon. James Alexander Alphaeus Biggart: His Contribution to Tobago and to The Bishop's High School'. Unpublished, 2006 (pp. 8).
3. 'The Rise, Demise and Rebirth of the Tobago House of Assembly'. In *Tobago House of Assembly: 25th Anniversary*. Scarborough, Tobago: Tobago House of Assembly, 2006, 32–39.
4. 'Clase, raza y género en el futuro del Caribe'. In *El Caribe: Un Mosaico Pluricultural*. Cancún: Gobierno del Estado de Quintana Roo, 2003, 249–255.
5. 'Lloyd Best: The Multi Dimensional Man'. In *Independent Thought and Caribbean Freedom: Essays in Honour of Lloyd Best*, edited by S. Ryan. UWI, St. Augustine: Sir Arthur Lewis Institute of Social and Economic Studies, 2003, 417–422.
6. 'L. E. S. Braithwaite: An Appreciation'. In *Caribbean Society and Social Institutions*, edited by C. Barrow and R. Reddock. Kingston: Ian Randle Press, 2001.
7. 'Tobago in the Twentieth Century'. Special retrospective edition on the twentieth century of *OPReP Newsletter*, The University of the West Indies, St. Augustine, Trinidad and Tobago, no. 38, Dec. 1999: 1–2.
8. 'Milch Cow or Hard Sucking Calf? The Joining of Trinidad and Tobago and Its Aftermath, 1884–1948' (pp. 37). Prepared for the Conference on Tobago and Trinidad: 100 Years Together, UWI, St. Augustine and THA, Tobago, October 1998.
9. 'The Transformation of the Tertiary Sector in Tobago, 1838–1990' (pp. 9). Prepared for the Tobago Strategic Plan, 1998.
10. 'The Social and Economic History of Tobago, 1838–1990: Persistent Poverty in the Absence of Adequate Development Strategy' (pp. 17). Prepared for the Tobago Strategic Plan, 1998.

**PAPERS AND PUBLICATIONS continued**

**B. Articles cont.**

11. 'Modern Tobago Society: A Macro-Sociological Analysis' (pp. 61; 39 tables). Prepared for the Tobago Development Plan (1998–2013), 1998.
12. 'Governance, People, Empowerment' (pp. 32). Prepared for the Tobago Development Plan (1998–2013), 1998.
13. 'Historical Background' (pp. 41). Prepared for the Tobago Development Plan (1998–2013), 1998.
14. 'The Popular Struggle to Possess the Land in Tobago, 1838–1855'. Paper tabled at a Seminar in honour of Prof. George Beckford, UWI, Mona, 1989. The enlarged version of this paper (pp. 62) was presented to the 22nd Annual Conference of the Association of Caribbean Historians, St. Augustine, 1990.
15. 'Smiles and Blood' (abridged version). In *The Labour Riots of 1937: Perspectives Fifty Years Later*, edited by R. Thomas. UWI, St. Augustine: Extra-Mural Studies Unit, 1987, 81–140.
16. 'Political Patronage and Community Resistance: Village Councils in Trinidad and Tobago'. In *Rural Development in the Caribbean*, edited by P. I. Gomes. London: C. Hurst and Co., and New York: St. Martin's Press, 1985, 173–193.
17. 'Sociological Theorizing in the English-Speaking Caribbean: A Review'. In *Contemporary Caribbean: A Sociological Reader*, Vol. 2, edited by S. Craig. St. Augustine: The editor, 1982, 143–180.
18. 'Background to the 1970 Confrontation in Trinidad and Tobago'. In *Contemporary Caribbean: A Sociological Reader*, Vol. 2, edited by S. Craig. St. Augustine: The editor, 1982, 385–423.
19. 'The Germs of an Idea'. Afterword to W. Arthur Lewis, *Labour in the West Indies* (1939). London: New Beacon Books, 1977, 59–84; reprinted in *Caribbean Contact*, April, May, July 1978; published in Spanish in *El Caribe Contemporáneo* (Centro de Estudios Latino Americanos, Universidad Nacional Autónoma de México, Mexico), nos. 3–4 (1980): 120–142.
20. 'Notes on Cultural Diversity and Integration in the Caribbean'. Paper presented at the International Conference on the Caribbean, Centro de Estudios Económicos y Sociales del Tercer Mundo, Mexico, August 1979.

**PAPERS AND PUBLICATIONS continued****B. Articles cont.**

21. 'The Application of Oral-History Research Techniques in the Study of Social Behaviour'. In *Methodology and Change*, edited by L. Lindsay. Working Paper No. 14, UWI, Mona: ISER, 1978: 234–243.
22. 'Community Development by Vaps'. *Tapia* (Trinidad) (December 1971).

**C. Review Essays**

1. 'Intertwining Roots'. A review essay on *Caribbean Reflections: The Life and Times of William Besson, 1901–1986*, Edited and with an Introduction by Jean Besson. *OPReP Newsletter* (UWI, St. Augustine), no. 20 (Dec. 1992) and no. 21 (March 1993); also published in *The Journal of Caribbean History* 26, no. 2 (1992): 215–227.
2. 'All Are Consumed': A socio-historical commentary on *Those That Be in Bondage* by A. R. F. Webber (1917) (pp. 34). Unpublished, 1984.
3. 'Millstones or Milestones?', review article on the family in the Caribbean. *Latin American Research Review* 14, no. 3 (1979): 256–263.
4. 'Sociology as Montage'. *Social and Economic Studies* 23, no. 1 (1974): 127–139.

**D. Book Reviews**

1. Review of *Caribbean Transformations* by S. Mintz. *Caribbean Studies* 16, no. 1 (1976): 185–188.
2. 'Some Notes and Impressions on Reading George Lamming's *Natives of My Person*'. *Race Today* (London) (January 1975): 21–22; also published in *Kairi Annual of the Arts* (Port of Spain) (1976): 8–9.
3. 'Objectivity as Commitment'. *Race and Class* (formerly *Race*) 16, no. 3 (1975): 327–329.
4. 'Sociology and Poverty'. *Social and Economic Studies* 22, no. 2 (1973): 295–298.



**PAPERS AND PUBLICATIONS continued**

**E. Chapters for the Trinidad and Tobago National Human Development Report 2005  
(Theme: The HIV/AIDS epidemic)**

1. 'Overview: Global Crisis, National and Personal Responsibility'  
Analyses the global and Caribbean HIV/AIDS epidemics, and gives a framework for understanding the structural, behavioural and other factors affecting the epidemic in Trinidad and Tobago.
2. 'Major Aspects of Human Development in Trinidad and Tobago'  
This is a detailed analysis, supported by the latest available official statistical and other data, covering the following topics:
  - Population trends and urbanization
  - Economic trends
  - Environmental issues
  - The UNDP indices on human development
  - Health conditions
  - Education
  - Household and individual incomes, poverty etc
  - Major threats to human development: crime, child abuse, domestic violence, disability.
3. 'Recommendations' based on library research and 100 interviews that I conducted; with inputs from the Drafting Team.

**CURRENT RESEARCH PROJECT**

***Uneasy Yoke: Selected Documents relating to the Union of Trinidad and Tobago (2 vols.)***

This book is a selection of the documents related to the decision to unify Trinidad and Tobago in 1889, and to the working of that Union since then. In all, approximately 140 documents are included, dating from 1869 (when the Union was first contemplated in the Colonial Office) to 2018. Each document (or group of documents) is preceded by Notes, giving the background and context in which it (or they) was (or were) created. Because of the paucity of research on Tobago, where necessary, substantial essays are written to link the documents. There will be at least 100 photographs.

*Uneasy Yoke* puts into the hands of its readers verbatim texts of **all** the major documents in the history of the Union of Trinidad and Tobago. Since there is no published work on the East Indian presence in Tobago, it includes two short essays on the subject that I have written.

*Uneasy Yoke* recovers and preserves a part of the national heritage on which far too little is known. It will help scholars, legislators, lawyers, journalists, teachers, and general readers to have a factual basis for understanding the making of the Union, and the frictions that have attended it over time. Readers interested in Caribbean regional integration will find it helpful.

**Expected year of completion: 2019.**

SUSAN CRAIG-JAMES

## **PUBLIC AND PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES**

### **The Haggai Institute**

Appointed in 2002 to be an International Faculty Member of the above Institute. I have been a facilitator at its international training seminars in Hawaii (2005, 2006) and Singapore (2006).

### **The President's Committee for National Self-Discovery**

Appointed by His Excellency Professor George Maxwell Richards, former President of the Republic of Trinidad and Tobago, to be a member of the above Committee: 2005.

### **UNESCO National Commission**

Appointed by the Government of Trinidad and Tobago as representative for the Social and Human Sciences on the UNESCO National Commission for Trinidad and Tobago: March 1998 to August 2000; July 2002 to June 2006.

### **Development Plan Team for Trinidad and Tobago**

Member of Multisectoral Core Group appointed by the Government of Trinidad and Tobago to prepare a Development Plan for Trinidad and Tobago: Nov. 2002–Feb. 2003.

### **Cabinet-Appointed Committee**

Member of Committee appointed by the Cabinet of the Government of Trinidad and Tobago to consider, and recommend on, the commemoration of one hundred years of the Union between Trinidad and Tobago: Nov.–Dec.1988.

### **Main Public Addresses**

'The Protestant Reformation: Its Meaning for our Time', two lectures to Faith Revival Ministries, Tunapuna, Trinidad and Tobago, to mark the 500th anniversary of the Reformation: October and November 2017.

'Why Is Trinidad and Tobago in its Present State?', address at Annual Convocation of Global Christian Ministry Forum International, Carapichaima, Trinidad and Tobago: August 2017.

'To Be a Pilgrim', address at the Awards Ceremony, The Bishop Anstey High School, Port of Spain, Trinidad and Tobago: January 2009.

'Hon. James Alexander Alphaeus Biggart: His Contribution to Tobago and to The Bishop's High School', address to The Bishop's High School, Tobago: June 2006.

## **PUBLIC AND PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES**

### **Main Public Addresses cont.**

'A Wonder in the Earth', testimony at Testimonial Conference in honour of Lloyd Best, UWI, St. Augustine: Sept. 2002.

Feature speaker on 'Tobago through Her Songs' at Friends of the Tobago Library Dinner to honour Dr. J. D. Elder, anthropologist, Grafton, Tobago: April 1999.

Address on 'Emancipation of the Mind' at the Emancipation Day celebrations organized by the First Citizens Bank of Trinidad and Tobago, Arima, Trinidad and Tobago: July 1997.

Opening Address on 'The Caribbean Response to the Great Commission' at the biennial Conference of the Caribbean Evangelical Theological Association, Trinidad and Tobago: March 1995.

Feature speaker on 'The Challenge to Caribbean Youth in a World of Rapid Change' at the graduation exercises of The Bishop's High School, Tobago: July 1992.

Lecture on 'The Experience of Doing Oral History Research in Trinidad and Tobago', School of Education Seminar, UWI, St. Augustine: May, 1990.

*This lecture was taped and replayed for oral history researchers in general. It was used as a teaching tool in the postgraduate programme of the History Department, UWI, St. Augustine.*

Guest Speaker at First Congress of Women Workers, Oilfields Workers Trade Union, Trinidad: May 1976.

### **Course Facilitator/Lecturer**

Sundry workshops and training programmes on Report Writing and related subjects listed under Work Experience: May 2000 to Nov. 2001.

Conducted several seminars for churches and for the Haggai Institute of Trinidad and Tobago on Communicating Effectively for Evangelism and other related topics: Oct. 2000 to Dec. 2002; May 2012.

Gave 17 lectures in French on Caribbean Sociology to students at the Centre Universitaire Antilles-Guyane, Martinique and Guadeloupe: May 1974.

Conducted course on Caribbean Sociology for social workers, at the request of UWI Extra-Mural Department, Trinidad: July-Aug. 1973.

Conducted course on Social Welfare and Community Development for workers in those fields, at the request of UWI Extra-Mural Department, Tobago: March 1973.

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## **PUBLIC AND PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES**

### **Conference Participation**

Member of Panel of Judges on Anthropology for the International Competition on Caribbean Thought, University of Quintana Roo, Cancún, Mexico; presented paper published in Spanish (B-4 on page 11) at the accompanying Conference: May 2003.

Feature speaker at Conference to mark the 350th anniversary of the town of Scarborough, Tobago; address on 'Transforming Tobago: Past Developments and Future Directions', Scarborough, Tobago: November 2004.

Testimonial Conference in honour of Lloyd Best, UWI, St. Augustine: Sept. 2002.

Panellist at the Conference on Henry Sylvestre Williams and the Pan African Movement, UWI, St. Augustine, Trinidad and Tobago; address on 'Pan African Ideas in Tobago': Jan. 2001.

Amsterdam 2000, organized by The Billy Graham Evangelistic Association, Amsterdam, Holland: July-Aug. 2000.

Conference on Tobago and Trinidad: 100 Years Together, organized by the University of the West Indies and the Policy Research and Development Institute, Tobago: Oct. 1998. Presented paper listed at B-8, p. 10 above.

22nd Annual Conference of the Association of Caribbean Historians, St. Augustine, Trinidad and Tobago: April, 1990. Presented revised and enlarged version of 'The Popular Struggle to Possess the Land in Tobago: 1838-1855'.

Tabled 'The Popular Struggle to Possess the Land in Tobago: 1838-1855' at the Seminar in honour of Prof. George Beckford, UWI, Mona, Jamaica: Sept. 1989.

UNESCO/ISER Eastern Caribbean Seminar on Women and the Family in the Caribbean, UWI, Cave Hill, Barbados: Nov. 1986.

Discussant at United Nations-ECLAC Workshop to consider a study on 'Social Structural Change in Dominica', prepared by its Social Affairs Unit, Dominica: Dec. 1984.

Fifteenth Annual Conference of the Association of Caribbean Historians on Migration in the Caribbean, Barbados: April 1984.

First Conference of Intellectuals for the Sovereignty of the People of Our America, Havana, Cuba: Sept. 1981.

Conference organized by the Dominican Republic Association of Sociologists on Alternative Strategies for Development in the Caribbean, Santo Domingo, Dominican Republic: Dec. 1980. Presented paper in Spanish on 'Post-war Development in Trinidad and Tobago'.

**PUBLIC AND PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES continued**

**Conference Participation cont.**

Joint Caribbean Development Bank and United Nations-ECLA meeting on The Caribbean in the 1980s, Barbados: Feb. 1980.

13th Congress of the Latin American Association of Sociologists, Panama City, Panama: Nov. 1979.

International Conference on the Caribbean, Centro de Estudios Económicos y Sociales del Tercer Mundo, Mexico City: Aug. 1979. Contribution listed as B-20 on page 12.

Address on 'The Social, Political and Economic Problems Facing Women in the Caribbean', at Progressive Women's Conference, St. George's, Grenada: June 1979.

Technical Workshop organized by United Nations-ECLA on The Application of Socio-Economic Indicators in Development Planning in the Caribbean, Port of Spain, Trinidad: 1978.

Workshop on Communication for Development organized by UNESCO, St. Lucia: Nov. 1975.

UWI representative at Workshop on Family and Child Legislation in the Caribbean, organized by UWI Extra-Mural Department, Port of Spain, Trinidad: Sept. 1975.

Conference on Methods of Social Research in the Caribbean, Ocho Rios, Jamaica: May 1975. Contribution (B-21, page 13) published in L. Lindsay (Ed.), *Methodology and Change*, 1978.

Conference on Implications of Independence for Grenada: Jan. 1974. Comment on Contribution by Beverly Steele, published in *Independence for Grenada: Myth or Reality*, UWI, St. Augustine: Institute of International Relations, 1974, 19-20.

Panel discussion organized by the Department of Government, UWI, Mona, on The Crisis of Succession in Trinidad and Tobago: 1973. Contribution published as 'Notes on Sociological Aspects of the Crisis of Succession in Trinidad and Tobago'. In *Ideas and Issues in Contemporary Affairs*. UWI, Mona: Department of Government, 1974, 76-80.

United Nations Conference on Local Government, Georgetown, Guyana: Jan. 1971.

**Church Activities**

Ordained as a Minister by Faith Revival Ministries World Outreach Inc., El Dorado Road, Tunapuna, Trinidad and Tobago, my home church: Jan. 2015.

Appointed Member of the Accreditation Commission of the Caribbean Evangelical Theological Association: 2008.



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## **PUBLIC AND PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES continued**

### **Church Activities cont.**

Prison ministry: I was part of a team of two persons who befriended, supported and counselled one male prisoner at a time, selected from those who have no visitors, in the Maximum Security Prison, Arouca, Trinidad: 1996 to 2007.

Facilitator on Communicating Effectively for Evangelism, The Haggai Institute, Maui, Hawaii: September 2005, November 2006; Singapore: November 2006.

Ordained as a Minister by Gospel Crusade Ministerial Fellowship, Florida, USA: 2002.

I am now accredited by Global Christian Ministry Forum International, the Caribbean Co-ordinator of which is Rev. Emmanuel Derry, 45 Pierre Hayes Circular Drive, St. Mary's, Carapichaima, Trinidad and Tobago (telephone (868) 673-1004).

Established a Sunday School in my home with team of four other teachers; 40 children attended: 1986 to 1990.

Lecturer on Church History in the Advanced Christian Ministry Training School of Faith Revival Ministries, Tunapuna, Trinidad and Tobago: 1989.

Diploma in Advanced Christian Ministry from the above-named School: 1988.

Ministerial licence granted by Gospel Crusade Ministerial Fellowship, Florida, USA: 1988.

## **FOREIGN LANGUAGES**

**French:** Read; write; speak—little practice in recent years.

**Spanish:** Read; write; speak—little practice in recent years.

## **COMPUTER LITERACY**

Microsoft Office Professional

Adobe Indesign: attended course; lack practice.

## **HOBBIES**

Walking, swimming, reading, movies.

## **BUSINESS MOTTO**

Producing Excellence with Integrity.

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The following persons have agreed to serve as referees.

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