



Modern Black Leadership in America

The emergence of Black leadership in American can be traced as far back as the 1800's if not before, through the heroic and brave endeavors of men and women such as Robert Smalls, Harriet Jacobs, Frederick Douglas, Sojourner Truth, Booker T. Washington and Harriet Tubman Dubois and many others. Throughout our history we continue to see the presence of black leadership in American through the Reconstruction era, the 1960's Civil Rights movement, The Black Power Movement, and today's Black Lives Matter Movement. The purpose of this bibliography is to serve as an introduction of sources and a general overview of provided materials. Provide un-bias background information about historical events, occasions and celebration.

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Our Time Is Now: Power, Purpose, and the Fight for A Fair America

Format: Audiobook CD

Author: Abrams, Stacey

Pub Date: 2020

Call #: CD 324.6097 ABRAMS

Lead from the Outside: How to Build your Future and Make Real Change

Format: Overdrive

Author: Abrams, Stacey

Pub Date: 2019

Call #: 328.7309 ABRAMS

The Black Presidency: Barack Obama and the Politics of Race in America

Format: Audiobook CD

Author: Dyson, Michael Eric **Pub Date:** 2016 **Call #:** CD 305.800973 DYSON

The Wilmington Ten: Violence, Injustice, and the Rise of Black Politics in the 1970s

Author: Janken, Kenneth Robert **Pub Date:** 2016 **Call #:** CD 305.8009 JANKEN

Books:

Conversations in Black: On Power, Politics, and Leadership

Author: Gordon, Ed. **Pub Date:** 2020

Fulton County Library System: 305.896097 GORDON

Our Time Is Now: Power, Purpose, and the Fight for A Fair America

Author: **Pub Date:** 2020

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Lead From the Outside: How to Build your Future and Make Real Change

Author: Abrams, Stacey **Pub Date:** 2019

Fulton County Library System: 328.7309 ABRAMS

Minority Leader: How to Lead from the Outside and Make Real Change

Author: Abrams, Stacey **Pub Date:** 2018

Auburn Avenue Research Library: B ABRAMS

**Truth Without Tears: African American Women Deans Share Lessons in Leadership /
Carolyn R. Hodges and Olga M. Welch**

Author: Hodges, Carolyn R. **Pub Date:** 2018

Auburn Avenue Research Library: 378.1 HODGES

**50 Billion Dollar Boss: African American Women Sharing Stories of Success in
Entrepreneurship and Leadership**

Author: Porter, Kathey **Pub Date:** 2016

Auburn Avenue Research Library: 305.488 PORTER

**A Crisis of Leadership and the Role of Citizens in Black America: Leaders of the New
School**

Author: Graves, Stephen C. W. **Pub Date:** 2016

Auburn Avenue Research Library: 305.8 GRAVES

American Black Women and Interpersonal Leadership Styles

Author: Hughes, Claretha **Pub Date:** 2014

Auburn Avenue Research Library: 658.4 HUGHES

Black Leaders on Black Leadership: Conversations with Julian Bond

Author: Leffler, Phyllis K

Pub Date: 2014

Auburn Avenue Research Library: 920.0092 LEFFLER

Collective Courage: A History of African American Cooperative Economic Thought and Practice

Author: Gordon Nembhard, Jessica

Pub Date: 2014

Auburn Avenue Research Library: 330.9 GORDON NEMBHARD

Unfinished Agenda: Urban Politics in the Era of Black Power

Author: Williams, Junius W.

Pub Date: 2014

Auburn Avenue Research Library: B WILLIAMS

Beyond Stereotypes in Black and White: How Everyday Leaders Can Build Healthier Opportunities for African American Boys and Men

Author: Treadwell, Henrie M.

Pub Date: 2013

Auburn Avenue Research Library: 305.38 TREADWELL

Thunder of Freedom: Black Leadership and the Transformation of 1960s Mississippi

Author: Sojourner, Sue

Pub Date: 2013

Auburn Avenue Research Library: 323.1196 SOJOURNER

Black Women in Leadership: Their Historical and Contemporary Contributions

Author:

Pub Date: 2013

Auburn Avenue Research Library: 303.34 BLACK

A History of African American Leadership

Author: Dierenfield, Bruce J.

Pub Date: 2012

Auburn Avenue Research Library: 920.0092 DIERENFIELD

Between Homeland and Motherland: Africa, U.S. Foreign Policy, and Black Leadership in America

Author: Tillery, Alvin B.

Pub Date: 2011

Auburn Avenue Research Library: 327.7306 TILLERY

Black Womanist Leadership: Tracing the Motherline

Author:

Pub Date: 2011

Auburn Avenue Research Library: 306.874 BLACK

Herstories: Leading with the Lessons of the Lives of Black Women Activists

Author: Alston, Judy A.

Pub Date: 2011

Auburn Avenue Research Library: 323.092 ALSTON

Real Role Models: Successful African Americans Beyond Pop Culture

Author: Spearman, Joah

Pub Date: 2010

Auburn Avenue Research Library: 920.0092 SPEARMAN

Barack Obama and African American Empowerment: The Rise of Black America's New Leadership

Author: **Pub Date:** 2009
Auburn Avenue Research Library: 973.932 OBAMA

Black Power in Dixie: A Political History of African Americans in Atlanta

Author: Hornsby, Alton **Pub Date:** 2009
Auburn Avenue Research Library: 305.896 HORNSBY

Booker T. Washington: Black Leadership in the Age of Jim Crow

Author: Smock, Raymond **Pub Date:** 2009
Auburn Avenue Research Library: B WASHINGTON

Want to Start a Revolution? Radical Women in the Black Freedom Struggle

Author: **Pub Date:** 2009
Auburn Avenue Research Library: 323.1196 WANT

William L. Dawson and the Limits of Black Electoral Leadership

Author: Manning, Christopher **Pub Date:** 2009
Auburn Avenue Research Library: 323.1196 WANT

Race, Gender, and Leadership: Re-envisioning Organizational Leadership From the Perspectives of African American Women Executives

Author: Parker, Patricia Sue **Pub Date:** 2004
Auburn Avenue Research Library: 303.34082 PARKER

Rise up : A Call to Leadership for African American Women

Author: Rose, Sylvia **Pub Date:** 2004
Auburn Avenue Research Library: 248.843 ROSE

Politics, Civil Rights, and Law in Black Atlanta, 1870-1970

Author: Mason, Herman **Pub Date:** 2000
Auburn Avenue Research Library: 975.8231 MASON

African American Leadership

Author: Walters, Ronald W. **Pub Date:** 1999
Auburn Avenue Research Library: 303.34 WALTERS

A Clashing of the Soul: John Hope and the Dilemma of African American Leadership and Black Higher Education in the Early Twentieth Century

Author: Davis, Leroy **Pub Date:** 1998
Auburn Avenue Research Library: B HOPE

Servants of the People: The 1960s Legacy of African-American Leadership

Author: Williams, Lea Esther

Pub Date: 1996

Auburn Avenue Research Library: 973.0496 WILLIAMS

Black Political Mobilization: Leadership, Power, and Mass Behavior

Author: Morrison, Minion K. C.

Pub Date: 1987

Auburn Avenue Research Library: WR 323.1 MORRISON

E-Books and Electronic Materials:

The Black Woman's Math Problem: Exploring the Resilience of Black Women Who Lead in the United States Federal Government.

Author: Allen, A

Pub Year: 2020

[GALILEO ACCESS](#)

African American Management History: Insights on Gaining a Cooperative Advantage

Author: Leon C. Prieto, and Simone T. A. Phipps.

Pub Year: 2019

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Black Women and Social Justice Education : Legacies and Lessons

Author: Stephanie Y. Evans, Andrea D. Domingue, Tania D. Mitchell **Pub Year:**2019

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Carving a Path For Those Who Will Follow: Stacey Abrams in conversation with Valerie Boyd

Author: Boyd, Valerie

Pub Year: 2019

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Where Are the Black Women in STEM Leadership? By training diverse women in science and tech to become leaders, the whole ecosystem benefits

Author: Jefferson Erika.

Pub Year: 2019

[GALILEO ACCESS](#)

Black Women in Politics : Demanding Citizenship, Challenging Power, and Seeking Justice

Author: Julia S. Jordan-Zachery, Nikol G. Alexander-Floyd

Pub Year: 2018

[GALILEO ACCESS](#)

Remaking Black Power: How Black Women Transformed an Era

Author: Ashley D. Farmer

Pub Year: 2017

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To Address Suffering That the Majority Can't See: Lessons from Black Women's Leadership in the Workplace.

Author: Dillard, Cynthia B.

Pub Year: 2016

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Legacy, Loyalty and Leadership: Creating a Pipeline of Indigenous Black Educational Leaders

Author: Ononuju, Ijeoma E.

Pub Year: 2016

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Reflective Practice on Leadership Committed to Social Justice: Counter Story of an African American Superintendent

Author: Dailey, Ardella.

Pub Year: 2015

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What Has This Got to Do with the Liberation of Black People? : The Impact of Ronald W. Walters on African American Thought and Leadership

Author: Robert C. Smith, et al.

Pub Year: 2014

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Exodus Politics : Civil Rights and Leadership in African American Literature and Culture

Author: Robert J. Patterson

Pub Year: 2013

[GALILEO ACCESS](#)

Keeping Leadership White: Invisible Blocks to Black Leadership and Its Denial in White Organizations.

Author: Lowe, Frank

Pub Year: 2013

[GALILEO ACCESS](#)

How and Why Black Women Are Elected to Political Office : A Narrative Analysis of Nine Cases in the State of Georgia

Author: Rosser-Mims, Dionne

Pub Year: 2012

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Booker T. Washington [electronic resource] : Black leadership in the age of Jim Crow .

Author: Smock, Raymond

Pub Date: 2009

[GALILEO ACCESS](#)

But Can S/he Lead? Market Assessments of Black Leadership in Corporate America.

Author: Cook, Alison, and Christy Glass.

Pub Year: 2008

[GALILEO ACCESS](#)

Protest Politics and the Jena Generation: Lessons for 21st-century Black Leaders. (cover story)

Author: Hotep, Uhuru

Pub Year: 2008

[GALILEO ACCESS](#)

[Race, gender, and leadership \[electronic resource\] : re-envisioning organizational leadership from the perspectives of African American women executives / Patricia S. Parker.](#)

Author: Parker, Patricia Sue.

Pub Year: 2005

[GALILEO ACCESS](#)

[Identifying and developing leadership opportunities for African American men.](#)

Author: Sutton, E.Michael, and Melvin C. Terrell.

Pub Year: 1997

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Suggestive AARL Databases

[The FCLS Auburn Avenue Research Library Online Catalog](#)

Gateway to the online catalog of the Atlanta-Fulton Public Library catalog. Select 'Auburn Avenue Research Library' to limit your search to the holdings of Research Library.

[African-American Newspapers: The 19th Century](#)

This collection of African American newspapers contains a wealth of information about cultural life and history during the 1800s and is rich with first-hand reports of the major events and issues of the day, including the Mexican War, Presidential and Congressional addresses, Congressional abstracts, business and commodity markets, the humanities, world travel and religion.

[AARL Finding Aids](#)

Finding aids are descriptive inventories that provide information on both the content and historical context of collections of archives and manuscripts. The Auburn Avenue Research Library Finding Aids presented by the [Digital Library of Georgia](#) describe approximately 100 unique research collections, including personal papers, organizational records, oral histories, photographs, and audio-visual resources.

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(Georgia Libraries Learning Online) a network of educational databases for all ages.

[ProQuest Historical Black NEWSPAPERS](#)

[Atlanta Daily World \(1931-2003\)](#) The Atlanta Daily World had the first black White House correspondent and was the first black daily in the nation in the 20th century.

[The Baltimore Afro-American](#) (1893-1988) was the most widely circulated black newspaper on the Atlantic coast. It was the first black newspaper to have correspondents reporting on World War II, foreign correspondents, and female sports correspondents.

[Chicago Defender \(1910-1975\)](#) A leading African-American newspaper, with more than two-thirds of its readership outside Chicago.

Cleveland Call and Post (1934-1991) was founded by Garrett Morgan, inventor of the gas mask and traffic light. Contributors included noted journalists Charles H. Loeb and John Fuster. The newspaper is well known for its support of the Scottsboro trial defendants with letters, clothing, stamps, and donations to the defense fund.

Los Angeles Sentinel (1934-2005) is the oldest and largest black newspaper in the western United States and the largest African-American owned newspaper in the U.S.

New York Amsterdam News (1922-1993) This leading Black newspaper of the 20th century reached its peak in the 1940s. The Amsterdam News was a strong advocate for the desegregation of the U.S. military during World War II, and also covered the historically important Harlem Renaissance.

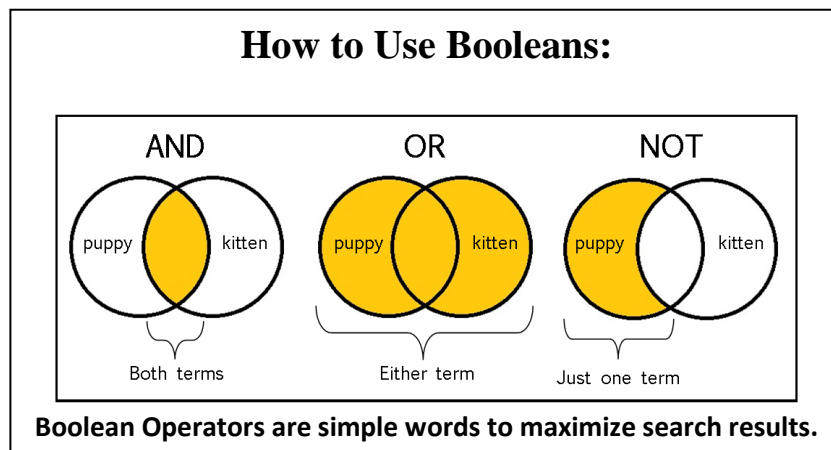
The Norfolk Journal and Guide (1921-2003) was the only black newspaper to provide on-the-scene, day-to-day coverage of the Scottsboro trial, and was one of the best researched and well written black newspapers of its time.

The Philadelphia Tribune (1912-2001) the oldest continuously published black newspaper, is dedicated to the needs and concerns of the fourth largest black community in the U.S. During the 1930s the paper supported the growth of the United Way, rallied against the riots in Chester, PA, and continuously fought against segregation.

Pittsburgh Courier (1911-2002) was one of the most nationally circulated Black newspapers, the Courier reached its peak in the 1930s. A conservative voice in the African American community, the Courier challenged the misrepresentation of African-Americans in the national media and advocated social reforms to advance the cause of civil rights.

Suggested Search Terms and Keywords:

Black Americans AND Leadership
Leadership in Education AND African Americans
Educational Leadership AND Minority AND United States.
African Americans AND Leadership
African American Women Civil Rights Workers AND History
African American Women Civil Rights Workers AND History
African American Women Political Activists AND History
Women Radicals AND African Americans OR Black Americans
African American Radicals AND History
African Americans OR Black Americans AND Civil Rights
Civil Rights Movements AND United States
Black Power AND United States AND History
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African Americans AND Economic Conditions.



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