

RISE

Race, Inclusion, and Supportive Environments  
York University Committee



# Black History Month 2018

Theme: Celebrating Black Knowledge  
in the Academy

Co-sponsored by RISE and York University Libraries

Anton Wilhelm Amo source: <http://originalpeople.org/story-anton-wilhelm-amo-famous-west-african-philosopher/>

## Critical Race Theory and Anton Wilhelm Amo (1703-1756)

Join us as we recognize the Library's new Critical Race Theory research guide and celebrate the works of Anton Wilhelm Amo, the first known Enlightenment philosopher of African descent.

### Public Talks

Opening Remarks

Black Knowledge in Academia

Professor Andrea Davis

Chair, Department of Humanities, York University  
CERLAC and Harriet Tubman Institute Research Fellow

Reflection on Amo

Professor George Dei  
OISE, University of Toronto

Musical Tribute

Ashiya Singh

Wednesday February 14<sup>th</sup>, 2018

1:00-3:00pm

Scott Library Collaboratory (2nd floor)

Light refreshments

All welcome



To request an accommodation, contact Natasha Prasad at [nprasad@yorku.ca](mailto:nprasad@yorku.ca).  
This poster is available in alternate accessible formats upon request.

Please note: this event will be video-recorded.