

# MOREHOUSE COLLEGE 2024 COMMEMORATION

HONORING HIS LIFE AND LEGACY



All events are free and open to the public with registration. Register at [morehouse.edu/MLK-Week](https://morehouse.edu/MLK-Week).

## MONDAY, JANUARY 15 | 9 a.m.

### Bonner Office of Community Service Day of Service

Join the Morehouse College community for a day of service to honor the life and legacy of Martin Luther King Jr. on the federal holiday.

**Contact:** Dr. W. Monty Whitney, Director, Bonner Office of Community Service, [communityservice@morehouse.edu](mailto:communityservice@morehouse.edu)



## THURSDAY, JANUARY 18 | 11 a.m.

### Martin Luther King Jr. Crown Forum I

**Speaker:** Rev. Dr. Eboni Marshall Turman, Associate Professor of Theology and African American Religion, Yale University School of Divinity

**Location:** Martin Luther King Jr. International Chapel

**Contact:** Rev. Terry Walker, [kingchapel@morehouse.edu](mailto:kingchapel@morehouse.edu)



Rev. Dr. Eboni Marshall Turman

## TUESDAY, JANUARY 23 | 7 p.m.

### Morehouse College Human Rights Film Festival Film Screening and Conversation

#### *The Right to Read*

Join NAACP activist, teacher, and alumnus **Kareem Weaver '94** for an encore screening of *The Right to Read*, his important documentary sharing the stories of two American families fighting to provide children with the most foundational indicator of life-long success: the ability to read. Post-discussion to immediately follow.

**Location:** Bank of America Auditorium, Shirley Massey Executive Conference Center

**Contact:** Ms. Kara Walker, Executive Director, Morehouse College Human Rights Film Festival, [kara.walker@morehouse.edu](mailto:kara.walker@morehouse.edu)



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**HUMAN RIGHTS FILM FESTIVAL**

## THURSDAY, JANUARY 25 | 11 a.m.

### Martin Luther King Jr. Crown Forum II

**Speaker:** Dr. Jeffrey O.G. Ogbar '91, Professor of History; Founding Director for the Study of Popular Music, University of Connecticut

**Topic:** King's Mecca: How Atlanta Shaped Martin Luther King Jr.'s Philosophy and Worldview

**Location:** Martin Luther King Jr. International Chapel

**Contact:** Rev. Terry Walker, [kingchapel@morehouse.edu](mailto:kingchapel@morehouse.edu)



Dr. Jeffrey O.G. Ogbar

## THURSDAY, JANUARY 25 | 5 p.m.

### Martin Luther King Jr. Lecture and Conversation Program

**Speaker:** Dr. Derrick P. Alridge, Philip J. Gibson Professor of Education; Director, Center for Race and Public Education in the South, University of Virginia

**Topic:** Schooling the Movement: The Activism of Southern Black Educators from Reconstruction through the Civil Rights Era

**Location:** Bank of America Auditorium, Shirley Massey Executive Conference Center

**Contact:** Dr. Vicki Crawford, Director, Morehouse College Martin Luther King Jr. Collection [kingcollection@morehouse.edu](mailto:kingcollection@morehouse.edu)



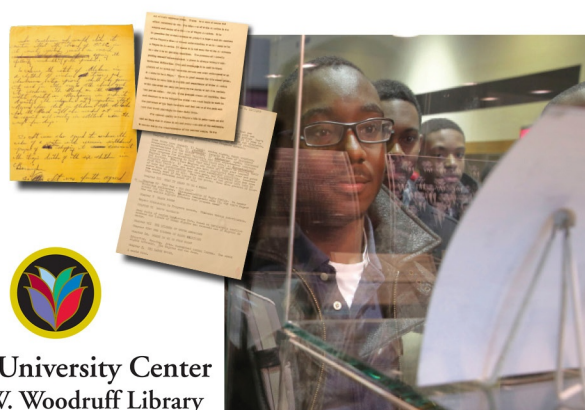
Dr. Derrick P. Alridge

## MONDAY, JANUARY 29 | 1 p.m.

### Viewing of Documents from the Martin Luther King Jr. Collection and the Joseph Echols and Evelyn Gibson Lowery Collection

**Location:** Archives Research Center, Atlanta University Center Robert W. Woodruff Library

**Contact:** Ms. Sara Tanner, Head, Archives Research Center, [stanner@auctr.edu](mailto:stanner@auctr.edu)



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