## AAAP 408/508 - WORKSHOP COURSE (Winter 2022)

## RACE + SPACE TIME

AAAP 408/508 - Race and Space over Time Tuesday 10am-12:50pm (4 Credits) Instructor: James Buckley (Historic Preservation): <u>jbuckley@uoregon.edu</u>



Sons of Haiti Masonic Lodge



Billy Webb Elks Lodge ("Colored YWCA", 1926)

This workshop, offered in partnership with the University of Oregon's Collaborative for Inclusive Urbanism (CIU), offers preservation, design and journalism students the opportunity to explore new ways to preserve, interpret, and design for the cultural heritage of minority communities in the U.S. using the historically African-American community of Albina in Northeast Portland as an example. This handson class will allow students to investigate how race has helped determine the space of American life and consider how designers and preservations can promote heritage conservation as a way to strengthen minority communities.

Participants will work with community members and experts in cultural and architectural preservation to develop tools that can help improve the design and interpretation of minority neighborhoods and conserve important sites and objects of minority culture. The workshop will make use of existing research efforts by the Architectural Heritage Center, Oregon Black Pioneers, Vanport Mosaic, and Vancouver Avenue Baptist Church to explore how preservationists might help interpret both lost histories of minority communities and enhance the future of those that remain in them.

Students will work on research and design projects individually, in small groups, and as a class. There are no pre-requisites for this course, which serves as an elective for both the MS Degree in Historic Preservation and the Specialization in Historic Preservation for the MArch Degree.