

KEYNOTE LECTURE: African Methodist Episcopal (AME) Portraiture, 1785-1926: Black Formalist Aesthetics in Three Acts

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DURING THE 2020-2021 ACADEMIC YEAR, MELANEE WAS IN RESIDENCE AS THE PAUL MELLON GUEST SCHOLAR AT THE CENTER FOR ADVANCED STUDY IN THE VISUAL ARTS AT THE NATIONAL GALLERY OF ART. HARVEY WILL PRESENT ON HER RESEARCH ON AME ARCHITECTURE AND THE ART GEOGRAPHIES OF HISTORICALLY BLACK COLLEGES AND UNIVERSITIES.

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