

Workshop in Urban Ethnography

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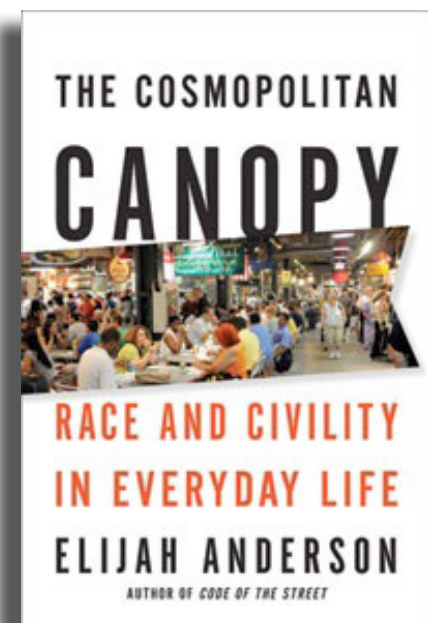
Elijah Anderson

“The Cosmopolitan Canopy” and the “Iconic Ghetto”



Elijah Anderson is the William K. Lanman, Jr. Professor of Sociology at Yale University. He is one of the leading urban ethnographers in the United States. His publications include *Code of the Street: Decency, Violence, and the Moral Life of the Inner City* (1999), winner of the Komarovskiy Award from the Eastern Sociological Society; *Streetwise: Race, Class, and Change in an Urban Community* (1990), winner of the American Sociological Association's Robert E. Park Award for the best published book in the area of Urban Sociology; and the classic sociological work, *A Place on the Corner* (1978; 2nd ed., 2003). Anderson's most recent ethnographic work, *The Cosmopolitan Canopy: Race and Civility in Everyday Life*, was published by WW Norton in March 2012.

Dr. Anderson has served on the Board of Directors of the American Academy of Political and Social Science and is formerly a vice-president of the American Sociological Association. He has served in an editorial capacity for a wide range of professional journals and special publications, including *Qualitative Sociology*, *Ethnography*, *American Journal of Sociology*, *American Sociological Review*, *City & Community*, *Annals of the Society of Political and Social Science*, and the *International Journal of Urban and Regional Research*. He has also served as a consultant to a variety of government agencies, including the White House, the United States Congress, the National Academy of Science and the National Science Foundation. Additionally, he was a member of the National Research Council's Panel on the Understanding and Control of Violent Behavior.



Monday, October 22nd, 2012, 11:30am-1:20pm

210 Prospect St, Room 203