Thursday, February 19

• **THE BLACK VOICE AND THE 2009 PRESIDENTIAL INAUGURATION**
  Courtney Baker, *Assistant Professor of English, Connecticut College*

Professor Baker researches and teaches on the complexities of culture and social relations and researches races and visual culture. She also teaches literature classes that approach texts from multiple perspectives, including race and gender. She believes that the most interesting objects of study are the issues and artifacts that influence the ways we inhabit the world. Her writing has been published in the *Journal of American Culture*, and the magazine, *Art Papers.*

Noon, MBL Rowe Auditorium, 10 MBL Street, Woods Hole

Thursday, February 26

• **ROOTS OF A REBELLION: RIO DE JANEIRO’S 1910 “REVOLT OF THE LEASH”**
  Zachary Morgan, *Assistant Professor of History, Boston College*

Professor Morgan is a modern Latin American historian. He uses the field of political, social, and intellectual history to focus on the African Diaspora throughout the Americas, with a specific interest in Brazil. His current research focuses on race, state violence, and ideas of modernity in Brazil and in the broader Atlantic world. He was the 2003 recipient of the Woodrow Wilson National Fellowship Foundation’s Career Enhancement Fellowship at Princeton University.

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• **HARAMBEE**
  Ethnic potluck feast, celebrating everyone of every race! Enjoy multicultural arts, crafts, and music. You are welcome to bring your favorite potluck dish.
  4:00 PM, Swope Center, 5 North Street, Woods Hole