

A WHITE HISTORIAN READS BLACK HISTORY

BLACK VOTING RIGHTS READING LIST

ONLINE - live links at www.susanstrasser.net/a-white-historian-reads-black-history

- Colored Conventions: Bringing 19th Century Black Organizing to Digital Life - coloredconventions.org/
- America's Reconstruction: People and Politics After the Civil War," with text by Eric Foner - bit.ly/2KZgAgZ
- Reconstruction - A Slate Academy, many excellent articles - bit.ly/2wQppCY
- Final report of 1898 Wilmington Race Riot Commission, North Carolina State Library - bit.ly/2NmEoOE
- *Eyes On The Prize* Part 6, "Bridge to Freedom 1965"- bit.ly/2HfpcPu or on Kanopy from many public libraries
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- Jim Rutenberg, "A Dream Undone: Inside the 50-year Campaign to Roll Back the Voting Rights Act," *New York Times Magazine*, July 29, 2015 - nyti.ms/2n1DLOD
- NYU's Brennan Center for Justice - brennancenter.org/issues/voting-rights-elections
- Election Law Blog, Rick Hasen, UC Irvine prof of law & polit science electionlawblog.org/
- Ari Berman - look for latest articles at motherjones.com
- Stacey Abrams, "We Cannot Resign Ourselves to Dismay and Disenfranchisement," *New York Times*, May 29, 2019 - nyti.ms/2KeQEA2

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