

The **DPCC Media and Public Scholarship (MPS) Fellow** was established in 2020 to advance the role of the Division on People of Color and Crime (DPCC) in public scholarship and to provide opportunities for doctoral students' professional and skill development in public scholarship. Public scholarship, as conceived by DPCC, consists of those activities that apply, conduct, or expose scholarly work in the public sphere. Such activities include public presentations, mass or social media engagement, service provision, and scholarly support for public, community, or government institutions.

Selected MPS Fellows will be paired with a member of the Executive Board who serves as the MPS Mentor and guides the agenda of the Fellow. Fellows are expected to engage in the following:

- Maintain DPCC's social media presence (e.g., Twitter, Facebook, YouTube, etc.).
- Maintain DPCC's web page.
- Participate in professional development opportunities centered on public scholarship.
- Engage in public scholarship activities as principal or collaborative researcher.
- Prepare for transferring fellowship work to a subsequent Fellow.

MPS Fellows should expect to commit approximately two hours a week to fellowship activities, including monitoring and engaging in social media. The fellow will be awarded a \$1000 stipend and a certificate of completion.

Eligible applicants must be (1) currently enrolled and in good standing in an accredited doctoral program and (2) a DPCC member. To apply, applicants must submit to Dr. Kwan-Lamar Blount-Hill, chair of the selection committee, kblounthill@bmcc.cuny.edu:

- An up-to-date curriculum vitae.
- A statement of interest (2500 words or less).

The deadline to apply is September 1, 2021.