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**SUMMER SESSIONS**

# BLACKNESS, TECHNOLOGY, AND NETWORK INFRASTRUCTURE

**AFRICAM 159.1**

**TTh 2-4PM | Class #14253 | Session A**

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In this course, we will explore historical relationships between blackness, technology, network infrastructure, and the law. Beginning from the imbrication of slavery with industrial and modern development in the nineteenth-century United States and culminating in an exploration of black cultural production and political mobilization in the present, this course seeks to demonstrate the centrality of technology and infrastructure in the social and political lives of black peoples.

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