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Leonard N. Moore is the Interim Vice President for Diversity and Community Engagement and the George Littlefield Professor of American History at The University of Texas at Austin. He is a native of Cleveland, Ohio, earning his B.A. from Jackson State University in 1993 and his Ph.D. from The Ohio State University in 1998. He was a history professor at Louisiana State University from 1998-2007, where he also directed the African and African American Studies Program and the Pre-Doctoral Scholar's Institute. He has been at The University of Texas at Austin since 2007.

At UT Austin he teaches a class annually on the black power movement and a signature course titled *Race in the Age of Trump*. In the fall semester he teaches more than 1,000 students across both courses. His innovative, unique, and engaging teaching style was featured as a cover story in the September/October 2015 edition of the *Alcalde*, the alumni magazine of UT Austin, and parents, alumni, and community members often visit his classes after reading the article. He has received a number of teaching awards including the Jean Holloway Award for Excellence in Teaching and the John Warfield Teaching Award. Moore also directs study abroad programs in Beijing and Cape Town, which have become national models for diversifying global education. He is the author of two books on black politics and his third book, *The Defeat of Black Power: Civil Rights and the National Black Political Convention of 1972*, will be published in early 2018. He is currently working on a biography of Adam Clayton Powell, Jr., the controversial pastor, congressman, and civil rights leader. Moore is also active in the Austin community and currently serves as Chairman of the Board for the Austin Area Urban League. He is married to Thaïs Bass-Moore and they have three children.

Spring 2018

Class Information

MAN 385: MANAGING DIVERSE WORKFORCE

McCombs School of Business
Monday, 3:30–6:30 p.m. • UTC 4.122

LAW 397S SMNR: RACE AND POLITICS

UT Law School
Friday, 10:30 a.m.–12:30 p.m. • TNH 3.125

OFFICE HOURS

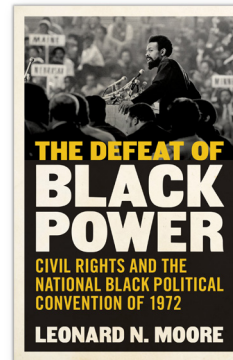
Wednesdays, 1:30–4 p.m. • MAI 12



Black Student Athlete Summit

Every January, Dr. Moore and his team host The Black Student Athlete Summit on the UT Austin campus. More than 250 student-athletes and athletics staff and administrators attend each year.

www.blackstudentathletesummit.org



Books

2018: *The Defeat of Black Power: Civil Rights and the National Black Political Convention of 1972*

2010: *Black Rage in New Orleans: Police Brutality and African American Activism from World War II to Hurricane Katrina*

2003: *Carl B. Stokes and the Rise of Black Political Power*



Study Abroad 2018: Cape Town

Tailored specifically for first-generation students, the Maymester program includes the study of South Africa's history and urban economic development landscape compared to that in the U.S. In addition to classroom learning, students engage in service learning experiences with organizations in low-income communities.