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Host of *Under the Radar with Callie Crossley*, Crossley is a frequent commentator on local and national television and radio programs. She appears weekly on GBH-TV's *Beat the Press* and hosts *Basic Black*, which focuses on current events impacting communities of color.

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2021 MAAH STONE BOOK AWARD FINALIST **DAN ROYLES**

TO MAKE THE WOUNDED WHOLE: THE AFRICAN AMERICAN STRUGGLE AGAINST HIV/AIDS

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Dan Royles is an Assistant Professor of History at Florida International University, where he teaches courses on United States, African American, LGBT, public, and oral history. His first book, To Make the Wounded Whole: the African American Struggle against HIV/AIDS, was published in 2020 by University of North Carolina Press. As part of the research for To Make the Wounded Whole he also launched the African American AIDS Activism Oral History Project, which gathers the life stories of African American AIDS activists, and the African American AIDS History Project, a digital archive of responses to HIV/AIDS in black America. His current projects include a biography of Claude Brown, author of Manchild in the Promised Land, and a historic context study for the National Park Service on violence against people of African descent in the U.S. and its territories from 1500 to the present.







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Brooks has published numerous articles on race, gender, performance and popular music culture. She is the author of the liner notes for The Complete Tammi Terrell and Take a Look: Aretha Franklin Complete on Columbia (Sony, 2011), both of which received the ASCAP Deems Taylor Award for outstanding music writing. Brooks recently published liner notes essays for Prince's Sign O' The Times deluxe box set and the Omnivore Recording reissue of Nina Simone's Little Girl Blue. Her writing has appeared in The New York Times, The Nation, The Guardian, Pitchfork and other press outlets.



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Walter Johnson grew up in Columbia, Missouri, and is a member of the Rock Bridge High School Hall of Fame (2006). His prize-winning books, Soul by Soul: Life Inside in the Antebellum Slave Market (1999) and River of Dark Dreams: Slavery and Empire in the Mississippi Valley's Cotton Kingdom (2013), were published by Harvard University Press. His autobiographical essay, "Guns in the Family," was included the 2019 edition of Best American Essays; it was originally published in the Boston Review, of which Johnson is a contributing editor. The Broken Heart of America: St. Louis and the Violent History of the United States, published in the spring of 2020, was a finalist for the National Book Critics' Circle Prize in Nonfiction and the Los Angeles Times Prize in History. Johnson is a founding member of the Commonwealth Project, which brings together academics, artists, and activists in an effort to imagine, foster, and support revolutionary social change, beginning in St. Louis.