Rethinking African immigrants’ identity negotiation theorizing in transnational context: A decolonial approach

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African immigrants’ lived experiences have primarily been explored through a White/Western lens in the fields of Critical Intercultural Communication and Feminist/Gender Studies. My research rearticulates the need for transnational, non-western, and decolonial perspectives in the theorizing of African immigrants’ lived experiences and identity negotiation in diasporic contexts. In this talk, I map out my research foci through a discussion of African Feminisms as decolonial praxis, postcolonial and transnational politics of Blackness, and embodied ways of knowing. Thus, exploring the identity politics of diasporic African immigrants entails a decentering of White/Western theorization and a recentering of the voices/works of non-Western scholars.

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