SECOND ANNUAL FAMILY HISTORIES GATHERING:
FAMILY HISTORIES, RACE, AND THE ARCHIVE

Wednesday, April 27th, 2016
12:00PM - 1:30PM
Sophia Gordon Hall (includes lunch!)

African American Photographs Assembled for 1900 Paris Exposition by W.E.B. Du Bois
Library of Congress Prints and Photographs Division, Washington, DC.

This end-of-year roundtable will showcase the work of several Tufts undergraduate and graduate students who have engaged this year in research on family histories of slavery, freedom, race, colonialism, and immigration. Some have engaged in projects based upon their own family and kinship networks, engaging living descendants and accessing private documents. All are interested in the relationship between family histories and contemporary politics of race, class, and nation; erasure, silence, and disparities within the archive; and the role of history, memory, and identification in social movement building.