

Season Reception and Open House for our new exhibit:



The Great Migration

After Post-reconstruction, African Americans became pessimistic about their prospects for assimilation into Southern society as white supremacy was restored across the South. In search of freedom, equality, economic opportunities and to escape racial terrorism, nine million African Americans collectively left the South between 1865 and 1965. The "Great Migration" as it is called between 1910 and 1930 altered the political, social, and cultural history of the United States, as more than one million African Americans left the South.

Reception

Friday, 29 September 2017

3 - 6 p.m.



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