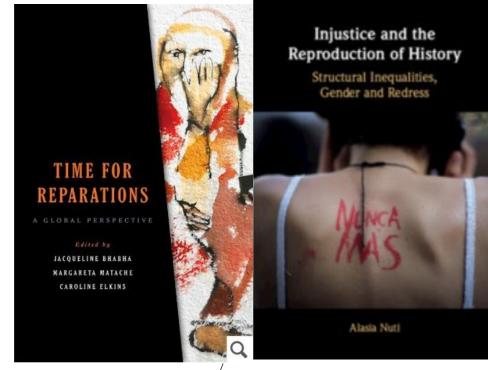
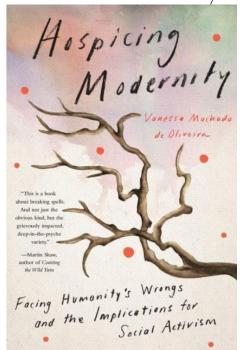


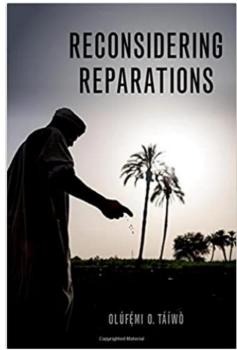
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REPARATIONS

- Interconnections between past-present-future
- A 'future-making approach' (Táíwò 2022)
- Its reconstructive agenda might involve the hospicing or abolition of certain norms, practices, institutions (de Oliveira 2021)
- Intergenerational consequences (Bishop 2021)







REPARATION FOR WHAT?

- Historical state/colonial violence: land theft, dispossession, enslavement, exploitation.
- Structural injustices: contemporary formations – afterlives – of this historical violence. History is not 'in the past'.
- The role of education institutions in sustaining these forces e.g. eugenics.









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EDUCATION AND REPARATION

Education has been a driver of violence, reproducing injustice across generations. But it can also be a site of transformation.

Towards a framework for just futures of education: material, epistemic, pedagogic reparations

Sriprakash, A. 2022 Reparations: theorising just futures of education, *Discourse: Studies in the Cultural Politics of Education*

MATERIAL REPARATION

- Recognising the moral debts of past and present injustice to ensure their redress and non-recurrence.
- Foregrounds questions of distributive justice.
- Involves the transformation of the very political-economic systems that have created and sustained injustices in education.

EPISTEMIC REPAIR

- Structural character of epistemic injustice: the erasures of people's humanity, histories, futures.
- Epistemic repair: oriented towards interrogating past and present epistemic injustices, refusing to carry forward their erasures, denials and distortions, precisely by attending to them through educational systems, institutions and practices.
- "an effort to shift [...] ways of knowing and being in the present in order to perceive and atone for the persistence of the past" (Ariana González Stokas – Reparative Universities)

REPARATIVE PEDAGOGIES

- Collective recognition and shared meanings at the heart of reparative justice.
- Reparative pedagogies the fostering of dialogue, the creation of meaning and understanding, the imagination of new social possibilities.
- The repair of injustice can be thought of as a praxis through which new norms, relations and institutions can be made; creating with others an expanded political imagination (Aslam, 2022)

IMPLICATIONS: UCL AND THE LEGACIES OF EUGENICS

REGISTERING AN
INTEREST IN
PARTICIPATING IN THE
ELEP NETWORK AND
EVENTS.

