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### *Jah Kingdom: Rastafarians, Tanzania, and Pan-Africanism in the Age of Decolonization*

(The University of North Carolina Press, 2017)

Wednesday, May 2, 2018

12:30 pm—2 pm, Black Forum (Haines Hall 153)

Winner of the Anna Julia Cooper and C.L.R. James Award from the National Council for Black Studies, *Jah Kingdom* uses Rastafarian repatriation to Tanzania to examine the transnational politics of pan-African ideas and praxis following the rise of independent nation-states across the Caribbean and Africa.

“*Jah Kingdom* is the work of a talented, imaginative historian whose innovative approach to Rastafari and black internationalism captures a neglected stream in the long history of Pan-African political aspirations and anticolonial struggles.”—Minkah Makalani, University of Texas at Austin

Professor Bedasse holds a PhD from the University of Miami.

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