

42nd Annual KIPAS

THE **KAWAIDA INSTITUTE OF PAN-AFRICAN STUDIES**

2018

Seminar in Social Theory and Practice

July 22 – 28, 2018 – Los Angeles, California



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THEME:

**“HOLDING GROUND AND
MOVING COURAGEOUSLY FORWARD :
FORGING OUR FUTURE IN RIGHTEOUS AND RELENTLESS STRUGGLE”**

“This is our duty:
to know our past and honor it;
to engage our present and improve it; and
to imagine a whole new future and forge it
in the most ethical, effective and expansive ways.”

Dr. Maulana Karenga



WHAT: A week-long seminar providing critical analysis, discussion and strategies for addressing major issues confronting African people throughout the world, i.e., male/female relations; police violence and community security; food security; human trafficking; healthcare; housing; gentrification; unemployment; poverty; reparations; education; equity; peace; environmental care and resistance.

WHEN: The seminar begins at 3:00pm
Sunday, July 22, 2018 and runs through Saturday, July 28, 2018.

WHERE: African American Cultural Center (Us)
3018 West 48th Street, Los Angeles, CA 90043
T: (323) 299-6124; F: (323) 299-0261

MASTER TEACHER:

DR. MAULANA KARENGA, Professor and Chair, Department of Africana Studies, CSULB; Chair, The Organization Us; creator of *Kwanzaa* and *Nguzo Saba*; author of numerous scholarly articles and books including: *Essays on Struggle: Position and Analysis*; *Maat, The Moral Ideal in Ancient Egypt: A Study in Classical African Ethics*; *Kwanzaa: A Celebration of Family, Community and Culture*; and *Odu Ifa: The Ethical Teachings*

PHILOSOPHICAL FOUNDATION:

The foundation and framework for the seminar is *Kawaida* philosophy. As defined by its founding theorist, Dr. Maulana Karenga, *Kawaida* is an ongoing synthesis of the best of African thought and practice in constant exchange with the world.

HOW: Registration and reservations are required:
For more information, please call (323) 299-6124 or visit

www.Us-Organization.org

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