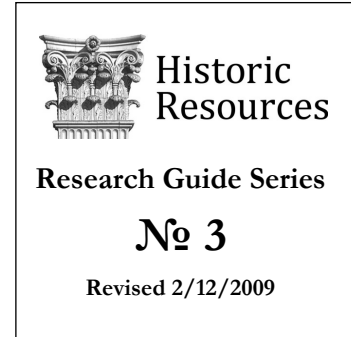


History of African-Americans in Portland & Oregon

A Selected Bibliography

This bibliography lists sources for the history of African-Americans in the city of Portland and the state of Oregon, and less comprehensively, the Pacific Northwest and Far West. A list of Portland and West Coast African-American newspapers and periodicals and a brief list of selected general Portland and Oregon historical studies follow the main bibliography.

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