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A book talk by

Dr. Jared Ball, Dr. Derrick E. White and Obi Egbuna

on

Malcolm X: A Life of Reinvention by Manning Marable

Manning Marable's new biography of Malcolm is filled with new information and shocking revelations that go beyond the *Autobiography*, *Malcolm X* unfolds a sweeping story of race and class in America, from the rise of Marcus Garvey and the Ku Klux Klan to the struggles of the civil rights movement in the fifties and sixties.

Jared Ball is an Associate Professor of Communication Studies at **Morgan State University** in Baltimore, MD. He is a former editor of and current peer reviewer for the first academic journal dedicated to hip-hop, *The Global Journal of Hip-Hop Culture from Words, Beats and Life, Inc.*, and is the author of *IMiX What I Like: A MiXtape Manifesto* (AK Press) and co-editor of *Manning Marable's False Reinvention of Malcolm X: Black Writers Respond*, (Eds.) Jared Ball and Todd S. Burroughs, Baltimore: Black Classic Press (May 2012).

Derrick E. White is an Associate Professor at **Florida Atlantic University** and has several scholarly Publications: "Blacks Who Had Not Themselves Personally Suffered Illegal Discrimination: The Symbolic Incorporation of the Black Middle Class," in Joseph Young and Jana Evans Braziel, *Against Against Race: Cultural Amnesia, the Academy, and the Racialized Foundations of Knowledge* and "Liberated Grounds: The Institute of the Black World and Black Intellectual Space" in Leslie M. Alexander and Angel David Nieves, eds. "We Will Independent Be:" African American Place-Making and the Struggle to Claim Space in the U.S.

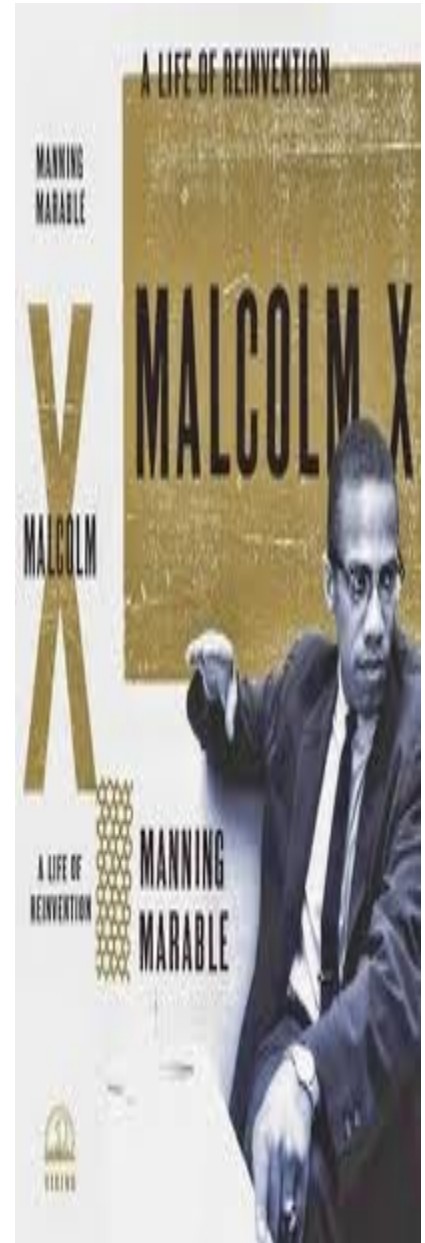
Obi Egbuna is a founding member of the Pan-African Liberation Organization (PALO), established in Washington, D.C., in 1990. Egbuna has tirelessly organized the Pan-African Liberation Organization to work in Zimbabwe, Cuba, the Caribbean, Asia and Latin America. He is also the technical advisor for the Pan-African Student Youth Movement (PASYM) at Bowie State University and consultant to Cease Fire Don't Smoke the Brothers, Inc., in Washington, DC. For the more than 15 years Obi has dedicated his life to organizing the communities throughout the world.

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