Another Charlatan Exposed

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Has anyone else noticed how many diversity hires in so-called "higher education" are being exposed as the charlatans they truly are? A recent example involves plagiarism charges against Jerlando Jackson, Dean of *Michigan State University's* College of Education. Their common denominator is that each of them has benefitted from and promoted the phony Afro-Marxist Grievance Industry, better known as Diversity, Equity and Inclusion (DEI.)

Jackson is faced with allegations that he has routinely committed plagiarism throughout his career by copying the works of others verbatim, and without attribution. It isn't a matter of a single clause or even an entire sentence: his appropriation of the ideas of others ran the gamut from copying single sentences to entire pages. (Aaron Sibarium. "Dean of Michigan's Top-Ranked Ed School Is a Serial Plagiarist." WASHINGTON FREE BEACON, October 8, 2024.)



Jerlando Jackson: Prolific Plagiarist & Race-Hustler

The complaints against Jackson amount to approximately 68 singlespaced pages of plagiarism and "*research misconduct*" charges going back many years. Examples are drawn from his Dissertation and the hundreds of papers he has either written or co-authored in his career. Naturally, he's been the recipient of grants from the **National Science Foundation** to monitor and study DEI at American universities. On his website he credits himself with 75 percent of all the research involving blacks in the computer industry between 2008 and 2020.

For example, in a 2002 paper he copied whole pages from political scientist Lorraine McDonnell at the *University of California at Santa Barbara*, and also borrowed from *Harvard University's* Richard Elmore, a professor of Education. Ditto law professor Gary Orfield of *UCLA* in a 2003 paper Jackson published. In each instance, he did so without attribution, and didn't even include these authors in his bibliography.



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The complaints against Jackson come in the wake of a deluge of similar allegations against "diversity" commissars at other, once-prestigious educational institutions. These include Claudine Gay, former president of *Harvard*, and President Darryll Pines of the *University of Maryland*. Similar allegations have recently embattled other diversity commissars at *Harvard*, *Columbia University*, *UCLA*, and the *University of Wisconsin at Madison*.

According to Steve McGuire, a fellow at the *American Council of Trustees and Alumni,* the allegations against Jackson are particularly "galling" coming from the Dean of a school of education. McGuire stated, "No *professor who takes plagiarism seriously would accept this kind of work from an undergraduate student, let alone a dean.*"

If proven, the charges against Jackson are glaring evidence that he is unfit to preside over *Michigan State's* College of Education. They might also provide an answer to the question how so many black racehustlers have managed to successfully infiltrate secondary and higher education in the United States using advanced degrees in education.



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