The Future of Black Metropolis [1]

The year 2015 marked the 70th anniversary of the publication of the landmark text *Black Metropolis: A Study of Negro Life* in a Northern City by St. Clair Drake and Horace Cayton. In this talk, Northwestern University professor Mary Pattillo will bring their voluminous research up to date, focusing on the following questions: What and where is Black Metropolis in the early twenty-first century? What does life look like in Black Metropolis today? And, what is its future? Despite the fact that a shrinking proportion of Blacks live in Black neighborhoods, Pattillo argues that Black Metropolis is still an important analytical category that structures the experiences and outcomes of many African Americans.

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