## Media Policy, Media Reform, and Media Criticism

Session 3 Friday, October 10 9:45-11:45 African American Culture Room (Level 4)

This roundtable aims to bring together various conversations about media policy, convergence and reform/activism as they relate to scholars and critics of the media. What are the most productive ways to discuss regulation and policy in the current landscape of converging media, telecommunications and information services/technologies? How can we as scholars and educators continue to connect policy issues to the humanities-based study of media texts/institutions/audiences/etc.? What role can media scholars and educators play in formulating policy? Finally, in what ways can academics best advocate for media reform?