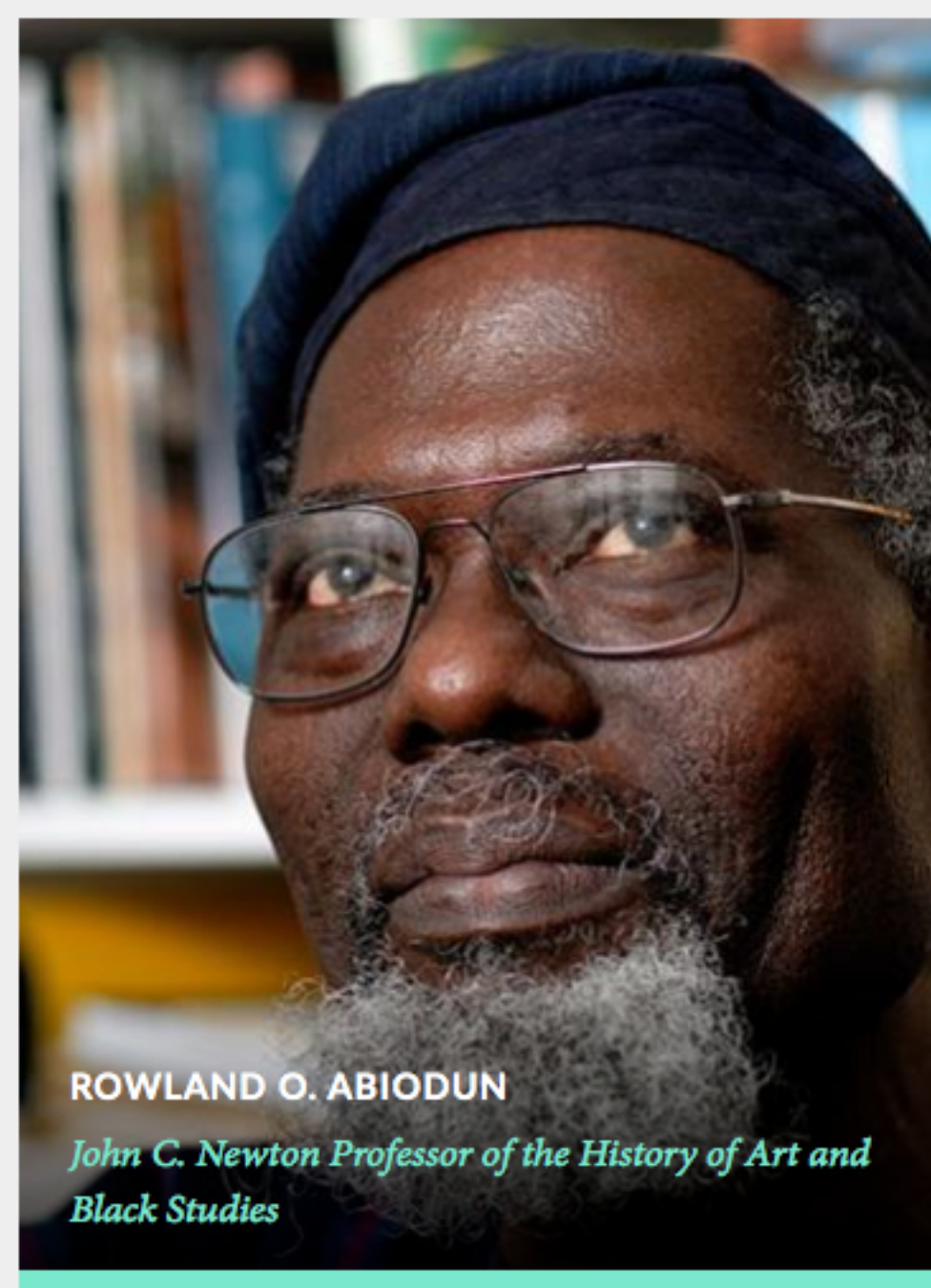
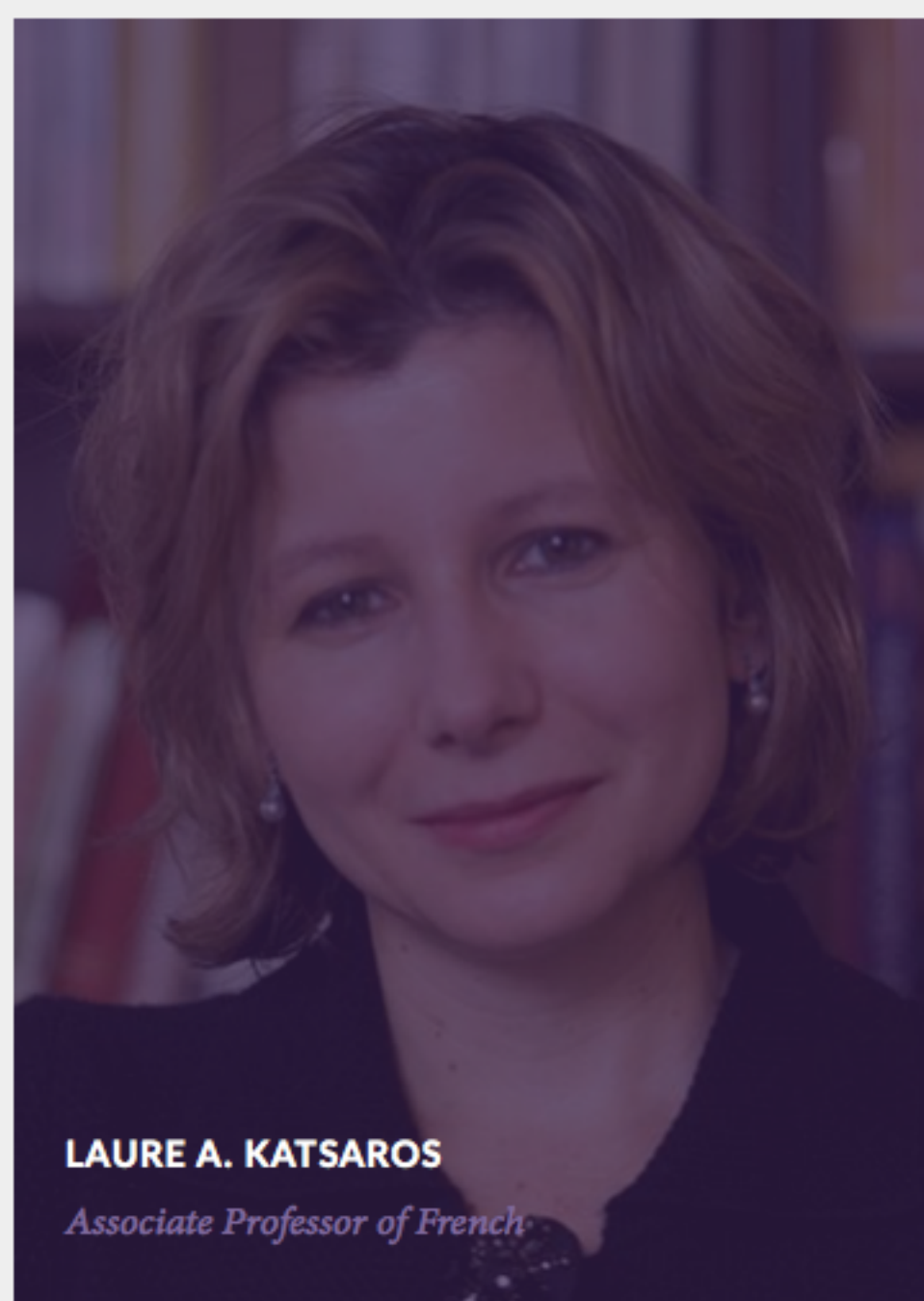


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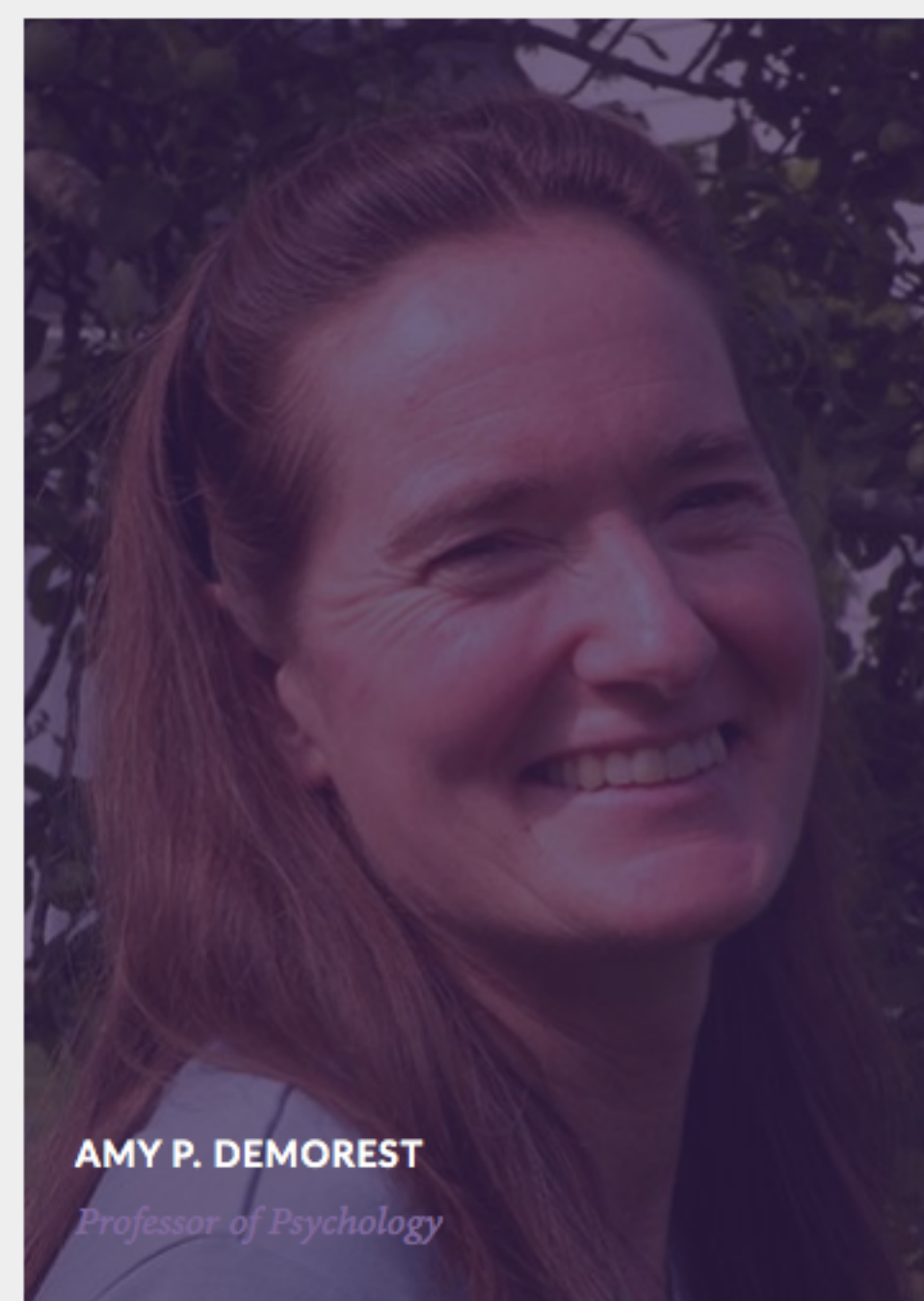
The Academic Experience



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“Yoruba art, like most African art forms, is more like an active ‘verb’ than a static ‘noun.’”

UPCOMING CLASSES

- Five Colleges Capstone Course in African Studies
- Myth, Ritual and Iconography in West Africa
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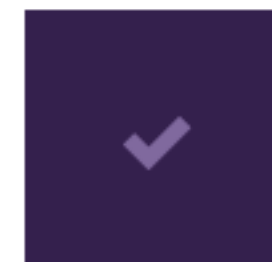
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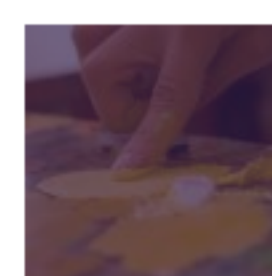
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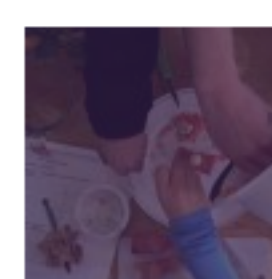
Adapt to new situations.



Pull it apart.



Get your hands dirty.



Make a beautiful mess.



Create your own answers.



The Open Curriculum

Amherst’s open curriculum is one of the boldest, most productive experiments in higher education. Each classroom is filled with inquisitive, fully engaged students committed to the topic at hand.

OUR OPEN CURRICULUM

EXPLORE MAJORS



The Five College Consortium

Amherst students can choose among more than 6,000 courses for credit at four nearby schools: Smith, Mount Holyoke and Hampshire Colleges, and the University of Massachusetts Amherst.

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It begins on campus: Students come to the College from more than 50 countries, and courses across the curriculum prepare students for life in a globally connected world. It continues off campus: 40 percent of Amherst students study abroad, choosing from more than 240 programs.

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Our Faculty

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Our faculty/student ratio

49

49 new tenured or tenure-track faculty members hired since 2010

74

74 faculty members have taught at Amherst for 20-plus years

Learning at Amherst

OUR MAJORS

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